Abstract:


The thesis describes the possibilities in professional development of social workers in drop-in centres for youth and children in Czech Republic considering the increase of quality standards in providing social services.

In theoretical part of the thesis there is a focus on social work specifications as a profession in context of czech social politics especially in non-state non-profit sector which offers space for organizations providing quality social services. Then we deal with the possibilities of social workers professional development via various forms of supervision or other education.

Exploratory inquiry aims to concrete possibilities of professional development from the point of view of social workers in drop-in centres for youth and children in Czech Republic regarding to valid Standards of quality in providing social services regulation.

The methods of document analysis and online survey are used in the thesis.