

Research on New Procedures Using a Method That Has Not Yet Been Used in Clinical Practice on a Living Human

Abstract

Uterus transplantation, use of hypothermia in acute myocardial infarction or gastric peroral endoscopic pyloromyotomy, these are the topics of three Czech on going researches of novel medical methods, to which this thesis is devoted. The aim of this thesis is to elaborate on the whole issue of new methods by presenting the Czech legislative framework and current clinical practice and to assess the overall situation in this area. In one of the chapters, attention is also paid to the potential legal ground for the possibility of compensating patients for injury, ie civil liability, most likely occurring as a liability for the non lege artis procedure or as a specific type of strict no-fault liability.