The subject of this thesis is measurement of adaptive behavior of adults with intellectual disabilities. Theoretical chapters include topics as adulthood of people with intellectual disabilities, assessment of adults with intellectual disabilities, adaptive behavior and its measurement. The final chapter of theoretical part involves information about social services with emphasis on a new legislation. Second part of the thesis contains analysis of two survey investigating measurement of adaptive behavior of adults with intellectual disabilities in two kinds of social services - personal assistance and social rehabilitation. First survey investigates characteristics of measurement in these social services on nationwide level. The aim of second survey is to examine an assessment tool designed for needs of concrete social services provider.