

This thesis treats of some aspects of foster care. In prologue, it introduces the system of foster care in the Czech Republic. Major part is devoted to the mediation process of foster care. Right selection and special preparation of prospective fosterers is particularly emphasised. Next part relates the importance of the services for foster family after child adoption. At the conclusion, the situation in regions of Zlín and Olomouc are described and appreciated. Interviews with social workers from both regions are supplemented.