

Abstract

Diploma thesis is concerned about social and legal protection of children in Slovak republic. Main focus is on de-institutionalization and transformation process which is still ongoing in substitute care. Changes which occurred during previous realization of de-institutionalization process are evaluated by implementation theory. Findings from interviews with experts were used to identify implementation deficit. Identification of key stakeholders helped me for handling with interactions between them. Important theory in this implementation process is also „street-level bureaucracy“ which identify deficiencies between governmental level and social workers. All found information was at the end of diploma thesis processed to SWOT analysis.