Annotation

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The Thesis analyses: This diploma work deals with AIDS from three points of view: history of diffusion, current situation and medical perspective (etiology, modes of transmission, symptoms, impact on life of a patient and his community, treatment). The issue of prevention is discussed both generally as well as concretely (prevention of HIV).

The author also deals with Christian attitude toward HIV/AIDS (educative programmes focused on sexual health and a family life) and the role of the Christian Church in a fight against this disease. A vital part of this work is a field resarch among young people (age 15-18) monitoring their knowledge about HIV/AIDS.

The author finally defines important issues that should be a part of every preventive work and based on his quantitative data as well as on his experience he recommends, how to implement them into a practical preventive lesson.

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