

Abstract

Diploma thesis analyses the macro practice in the Czech social work. It defines macro practical concept and its relationship to social policy and community social work by analysing the Czech and foreign specialized publications. It defines the key knowledge, skills and abilities which macro practitioner should manage. It emphasizes the macro scope towards the political representation. Macro practical methods are presented too. Diploma thesis defines two main principles - networking and evidence based practice. At first, macro practitioner is the creator of professional's networks or social services network. Secondly, in the evidence based practice macro practitioner is obligated to manage his decision making process on the base of the best and the most recent scientific researches. It all concludes the macro practice framework, which leads to the effective work with social excluded people. Macro practice is viewed as the approach, which helps clients, communities, regions and target groups in the implementation of their civil right, when it uses the empowerment techniques. According to the international perspective, the status of the actual Czech macro practice is viewed as unconsolted. Therefore, author proposes the development of the social work education on the bachelor and master degree programs, in which macro practice would play the significant role. Theoretical concepts are taken from the foreign courses.