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## **ABSTRACT OF THE THESIS**

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Existential frustration of adolescents in institutional care

### **Abstract of the thesis:**

The introduced thesis deals with aggressive behaviour and existential frustration among adolescents in institutional care. Firstly it describes these institutions and their functions. Further it brings knowledge from the area of socialization and self identity, influence of family and peers groups. As well it outlines sense of life in conception of V.E.Frankl. Risks and adverse effects of the institutional care are elaborated in more details.

The empirical part is focused on the survey, that 43 adolescents in institutional care participated in. The intention was to find out the level of fulfilling sense of life and variables of aggressiveness through the questionnaires "Logo-test" and "Buss and Durkee Inventory of Aggression."

The conclusions of this thesis can be usefull for experts employed in institutional care and inspiring for further research in this field.

### **Key words:**

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