This diplom thesis deals with forensic social work. It is a direction of social work, and the expression of forensic social work can be found mostly in foreign literature. The aim of this work is to define forensic social work with regard to our legal system and law 108/2006 on social services, to anchor this definition in the Czech social and legal system and to follow the development of other fields such as forensic psychology, anthropology and sociology that forensic social work is part of intrdisciplinary and international cooperation and cooperation in the forensic sciences. Part of this thesis is a qualitative research of the current practice of social work in helping an adult client who has been the victim of rape or other sexual assault.