

The diploma work deals with an attitude of trained nurses to a current possibility of studying nursing care at university and gaining graduation degree from a university. The main aim of the diploma work is to find out a current attitude of trained nurses towards academic study of nursing care and to survey readiness of nurses to study at a college. Another aim is to evaluate extension of support for academic study of ward nursing staff of the part of ward and head nurses. The work is conceived as theoretic-practical. In the theoretic part I summarized the initial state of nurse education up to the current transformation nursing care educational system in our country. The other part is exploring. I compare the attitude of trained nurses from general and teaching hospitals towards a possibility of gaining graduation.degree from university. Concurrently I want to show the point of view of head and ward nurses from teaching and general hospitals of academic education of the nursing staff. I stated 5 hypotheses relating to thenursing staff from teaching and general hospitals. The research file was made of 154 respondents from teaching and general hospitals. I chose the method of a questionnaire, made in my own construction, and statistic elaboration for the exploring research. The obtained information is elaborated in a percentage way and figured in charts and graphs. I concluded results of particular hypotheses and proposed recommendation in the conclusion of my work