## ABSTRACT

This diploma thesis deals with the role of social andragogy in the prevention and possible solution of risky behavior with focus on risky addictive behavior. The thesis provides the reader with a compact insight into issue of addictive behavior, its development, complications, consequences and solutions. The aim of the work is to define the dangerousness and harmfulness of addictive substances, their devastating impact on the health and social status of an individual with an emphasis on the role of social andragogy. The theoretical part of the work introduces the problem of addiction as a whole, presents individual addictive substances available in the Czech Republic, divides them into individual categories, and introduces the reader to the history of the use of addictive substances. In the context of social andragogy, they will learn about the processes of socialization and resocialization, integration and reinteration, which play an important role in the prevention and solution of addictive behavior. Andragogic intervention is one of the very high-quality means that help people with signs of addictive behavior to return to the normal social environment. The reader will be introduced to its meaning, goal and entire process in the final chapter of the theoretical part. The theoretical part deals, among other things, with the issue of crime and delinquency, which is closely related to the issue of addictive behavior. Within this part, the work is dedicated to the approximation of basic concepts, valid legislation regarding drug crime and its prevention. The empirical part is based on the implementation, analysis, evaluation and interpretation of qualitative research results.