In my graduation theses "Viral hepatitis in children and their prevention" I put mind to the most frequent viral hepatitis in the Czech Republic. The text is divided into the four chapters. The first chapter is devoted to viral hepatitis in general, their etiology, epidemiology, clinical manifestation and their therapy. The second and the third chapters are concentrated on acute and chronic hepatitis with explanations of hepatitis' transmission and clinic manifestation, diagnostics, treatment and preventive measures. At last chapter I mentioned about hepatitis at pregnant women and newborn babies of mothers HbsAg positive and their prophylaxis. The main aim of work is review about risk associated with viral infection and accentuation of importance preventive measures, which protect transmission of virus.