

## **Summary**

This bachelor thesis focuses on various aspects of the initial examination of a patient in the dental hygienist's office. It deals with the correct execution of the examination, further on with its' registration and its' application for treatment.

Examining the patient is important for preventing unforeseen situations, for establishing a relationship with the patient and for providing optimal care. The examination is influenced by factors which include: time, cooperation with the doctor, the dental hygienist, and others.

The theoretical part concentrates on diseases, whose symptoms can be observed on the face and in the oral cavity of the patient as long as the examination is done correctly. In the practical part, a questionnaire study deals with the execution of the examination and the subsequent therapy. Another part of the work is a picture atlas of the examination in dentistry.