SOCIAL WORK AND SOCIAL PROTECTION OF POPULATION IN RUSSIA

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Social Work in Russia since 1991

The Regulation of the Government introduced profession "social worker" in the State Codex of Professions.

Social Work in Russia is:
Area of scientific knowledge, profession and practice in the organizations and establishment of social service and social protection of population.

Since 1991 in 80 higher educational institutions in Russia professional social work education and training for Bachelor and Master Degree has been implemented.

In 1995 года Professional Development System was set up in the area of social work.
Social Work in Russia
Legislation provision

Adopted:
Federal Laws
Governmental Regulations
Professional Standards
Standards of Social Service Provision

System of social services and organizations was established
Social Work Goals

Providing complex of actions (social services) aimed to overcome environment, psychological and social barriers and limitation of well-being of a person or family, caused by health problems, social deviation, limited ability to social interaction with environment.

Satisfaction of needs
Cooping with social and life problems

Restoration of a person and a family capacity to live independently
Social rehabilitation
Organization of Social Work

Structure and Property types of services - state and nongovernmental

State establishments - properties of the subjects of the Russian Federation functioning under the auspices of the regional state bodies

Establishments of the other types of property – Charity, NGOs, religious and the other organizations or individuals involved in commercial activity on rendering social services to population without juridical status.
According to the forms of social service provision the establishments are the following:

- **Residential care institution (residential care unit inside organization)**
  - Under the terms of temporary or permanent residence (till 6 months) and five days per week, providing services to all citizens who lost fully or partly autonomy and need permanent care and organizing conditions for life, rehabilitation, psychological and social support, feeding and care, employment, leisure, and special education.

- **Day Care Institution (day care unit)**
  - Establishment which provides social services for population during limited period of time during 24 hours (day/night).
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### DAY CARE INSTITUTIONS:

- Social & Rehabilitation centers for Children;
- Centers of Support for Neglected Children;
- Rehabilitative centers for Children with Disabilities;
- Crisis Centers for Women;
- Centers of Psycho-Pedagogical Support to Population;
- Social Service Centers;
- Centers of social adaptation, including homeless people;
- Night Shelters;
- Social Shelters;
- Social Hostels;
- The other similar organizations.
Professionalization of social work

- Programs of continuing professional development
- Self Education, field placement
- Programs of higher professional and vocational education
Creation of multiples rehabilitation system

Mobile teams

In 2014 - more 2,5 thousand disabled

Skype – technology

In 2014 – 257 disabled
126 877 disabled people (86%) receive rehabilitation services

Social protection system:

- 87 community rehabilitation centers accessible for the disabled
- 8 multiples rehabilitation centers for severe disabled
Moscow Governmental Programm
"Sport in Moscow" 2012-2018

20,883 people require rehabilitative sport technologies

14,927 people receive services - (72 %)

Functioning:

Public sport - 630 sport groups and teams

Special Olympic - 35 units

Accessibility :

Fully or partly adapted for the disabled 282 objects (93,8%)
In 2015 EIC center was established

Center offers 35 bads, including 15 places for children up to 4 years

In 2014 - 140 disabled children received rehabilitation
Targeted support to population

- **2011**: Disabled and veterans of the II World War
- **2012**: Disabled veterans of the Wars
- **2013**: Disabled people, big families in need
- **2014**: Disabled children, people who were in Leningrad occupation during the II World War, lonely pensioners, elderly, who were children during the II World War

**Services**
- **Rehabilitative services**
- **Targeted support**
- **Social support**
- **Consumer goods**
City environment accessible for the disabled

Till the end of 2015 82 % public buildings will be adapted for the needs of disabled people (42000 buildings)
Project of Ministry of Labour and the Institute in 83 regions of the RF—workshops «Accessible Environment » 2013

Workshops «Accessible Environment »
83 regions
1570 participants
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