

ABSTRACTS

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ART-THERAPEUTICAL COMPETENCE AS A COMPONENT OF PROFESSIONAL COMPETENCY OF SPECIALISTS IN THE SOCIAL SPHERE

In the article such concepts as «competency» and «competence» are differentiated. They are complementary and interdependent. Professional competency of a specialist in social sphere is an integrative quality that is made of key competency and competence. We distinguish art-therapeuthical, diagnostic and constructive and creative competences. The art-therapeuthical competence is represented by the complex of art-therapeuthical knowledge, abilities and skills. Also it includes the practical experience of art-therapeuthical activities and positive attitude to them. It predetermines the willingness and ability of specialists in social sphere to successfully influence the needs of different population categories.

Key words: competency, competence, professional competency, art-therapeuthical competence, specialist in social sphere.