

THE ROLE OF EDUCATION STAFF IN PRE-TRIAL DETENTION INSTITUTION.

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Abstract

“It is said that no one truly knows a nation until one has been inside its jails. A nation should not be judged by how it treats its highest citizens, but its lowest ones.” Nelson Mandela. This quote is the principle of respect of all human beings, despite their errors. Is the base in which the management of prisons should be builded. But does it happen like this in custodies in Albania? Does it exist a vision or faith in the prison staff that what they are doing is of a big importance? Does the education staff really works or the work is done only in papers? Does their work really affect in the improving the life quality of detainees? How does society perceives their work? This and other questions will be the content where we also will see the important role of social worker, in reducing the stress of the detainees, in their equal education with their age group out of prison, in their re-integration in society after leaving the institution. It will be explained the importance of informing the public and media for the values and efforts, challenges and the dynamics of the daily work and the importance of the prison administration from non-military and civil administration.

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