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The 3rd A. C. Kuijsten's Seminar of Applied Demography

DEMOGRAPHIC DEVELOPMENTS, HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES: LONG-TERM CARE IN AGEING SOCIETIES

Friday, 17th September 2010

Charles University in Prague, Faculty of Science (Albertov 6, Prague 2)

Objectives of the seminar:

- ⇒ to discuss the accelerating process of population ageing, prolongation of human life and prospective health situation of seniors in the Czech Republic and other European countries;
- ⇒ to estimate an impact of these factors on the demand for health and social services, and long term care in particular;
- ⇒ to propose a suitable welfare model for ageing societies, clearly specifying the position of long term care within, and the role of different subjects such as family, state, and civic society;
- ⇒ to assess current approaches and priorities of the Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs (CR) in the sphere of long term care addressed to seniors;
- ⇒ to overview approaches to long-term care provision in European countries and to appraise further developments of this sphere.

Target groups:

Demographers, physicians, social gerontologists and other specialists dealing with population ageing, the health of seniors as well as health care and social services, politicians and decision makers in the sphere of public administration, representatives of public health insurance companies and care providers, economists, psychologists, sociologists and journalists covering such and similar topics.

Program:

08:30–09:00 Registration of participants and buffet breakfast

09:00–09:15 **Opening of the seminar** – welcoming addresses of the Charles University in Prague, Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs representatives, introduction of speakers and guests

Block I: What can we expect?

09:20–09:50 **Demographic perspectives of the Czech Republic and other European countries** (*Boris Burcin and Tomáš Kučera, Charles University in Prague, Faculty of Science, Department of Demography and Geodemography*)

09:55–10:25 **Trends and prospects of the seniors' health in the Czech Republic and EU countries** (*Jitka Rychtaříková, Charles University in Prague, Faculty of Science, Department of Demography and Geodemography*)

10:30–11:00 **Expected consequences of demographic and the seniors' health status developments for long-term care** (*Zdeněk Kalvach, Medicovert, Prague*)

11:00–11:30 Coffee Break

Block II: What could/should be done?

11:30–12:00 **Position of long-term care in the welfare model for ageing societies and the role of family, state, and the civic society** (*Joseph Troisi, United Nations International Institute on Ageing, Malta*)

12:05–12:35 **Approaches and priorities of the Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs of the Czech Republic regarding long-term care provisions** (*Petr Wija, Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs of the Czech Republic*)

12:40–13:10 **Issues of care in international policy frameworks on ageing** (*Alexandre Sidorenko, international expert on ageing, former United Nations Focal Point on Ageing*)

13:15–13:45 **Conclusions and recommendations, closing of the seminar**

14:00–15:00 Working lunch of participants

Format: Each partial topic presentation will consist of a 15-minute presentation and a 15 minute of chaired discussion

Working language: Working language of the seminar will be English

Deliverables: Abstracts of invited papers up to 300 words each, will be published prior to the seminar and distributed during registration; Paper presentations (PowerPoint presentations plus voice record) will be published on DVD and distributed among participants after the seminar.

Registration: Participants are kindly requested to register using the registration form (below) before September 13, 2010

Registration fee: No registration fee

Registration form

I hereby confirm my participation in the 3rd A. C. Kuijsten's Seminar of Applied Demography on Demographic developments, health and social services: Long-term care in ageing societies being held at Faculty of Science, Charles University in Prague, Albertov 6, Prague 2 on Friday, 17th September 2010.

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