



Government of Romania
Ministry of Health

ORDER FOR RENDERING THE SOCIAL ASSISTANCE ACTIVITY MORE EFFICIENT AND OBSERVING HUMAN RIGHTS IN PSYCHIATRIC MEDICAL CENTRES OR OTHER MEDICAL CENTRES INCLUDING PSYCHIATRY SECTIONS AND DEPARTMENTS WITHIN THEIR STRUCTURE

MINISTRY OF HEALTH

The Minister of Health,

On the grounds of the provisions of GD no. 168/2005 regarding the organization and operation of the Ministry of Health, with the subsequent amendments and additions, and of Law 487/2002 concerning Mental Health and Protection of Individuals with Mental Disorders, with the subsequent amendments,

Seeing the approval report of the General Directorate for Medical Assistance, Medical Structures and Remuneration no.

Issues the following,

ORDER

Art.1

The psychiatric Medical Centres from the Ministry of Health network or other medical centres, including psychiatry sections and departments, have the obligation to employ social assistants with standardized and budgeted positions, with the observance of the normative acts in force.

Art. 2

The remuneration rights of the social assistants specified in art. 1 are established according to the provisions of EGO no. 115/2004 regarding remuneration and other rights of the contractual personnel from the public medical units in the sanitary sector, approved by means of Law 125/2005.

Art.3

The medical units will found, with the approval of the Ministry of Health, social workers centres and will ensure social workers' training in the social activities specific for mental patients and in human rights and patients' rights observance.

Art.4

The specialized directorates from within the Ministry of Health, the county and Bucharest public health directorates and the legal person psychiatric medical centres, as well as those including psychiatry departments and sections, will observe the provisions of this order.

MINISTER OF HEALTH

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