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Every heating season brings about fire risk that every year statistics on fire occurrence speak for. Fires caused by heating appliances, flues, fuel appliances, electrothermal appliances or chimney bodies make a significant share in terms of the total fire occurrence number. It cannot be underestimated. A MAN AND THEIR APPROACH to creating conditions of safe running is a decisive factor for safety

of heating facilities. Citizens' more responsible approach to running the heating units and their inspection and chimney cleaning may prevent up to 90 per cent of fires. The main issue is citizens' ignorance of their obligations in connection with technical conditions and requirements for fire safety when installing and operating fuel and electrothermal appliances and central heating facilities, when building and using a chimney and flue and about periods of their cleaning and inspection execution. Read more on pages 10 to 14.

Economic aspects of systems for population supply regulation in the period of crisis phenomenon. The aim is not to question the Decree of the MoE SR no. 125/2003

but with reference to theory to state factors that would influence measure execution in practice. It does not even deal with the issue of financial flows for securing tasks resulting from the application of systems for population supply regulation. In the Slovak Republic population supplies in crisis situation mean the aggregate of legislative, organizational, material, technical and other measures that are to substitute consumption of basic types of life important



products in case of even community supply disruption. The basic aim of population supplies regulation is to provide for fair distribution of consumer goods in short supply. Various ration systems and consumer group categorization can be used for that purpose. Read more on pages 20 to 22.

Number four the international scientific conference titled *Quo Vadis Healthcare IV – New Trends in Healthcare Sciences* was held on October 24, 2019, on grounds of Faculty of Health Care Subjects, University of Prešov, in the town of Prešov, Slovak Republic. The requested paper in section *Trends in Education and Practice in the field of Urgent Health Care and Rescue Services* was the contribution by doc. Ing. Andrea Majlingova, PhD., from the Technical University in Zvolen titled *Collective e-Education in Study Subjects of Urgent Health Care and Rescue Services* – current state of the



KEGA project solution. Reader Majlingova outlined the current state of collective education with prepared news that are the joint outcome of the project. From amid the most important outcomes achieved when solving the project is creation of distance educational materials in four thematic fields: integrated rescue system, rescue apparatus and technology, urgent health care and nursing care. Read more on pages 35 to 36.