# Service sheet / external procedure no. EK-16

## CITY OFFICE OF KRAKOW

Issuing referrals for special education in a kindergarten (branch), in a public, integration, special case in a general school (branch), an integration, special case in a special educational centre, in a youth social therapy centre

# 1. Handle the matter electronically

Not applicable.

## 2. Appendices

Application for a referral for special education in kindergartens and mainstream schools, kindergartens, pre-school departments in primary schools and schools or integration departments, kindergartens and schools or special departments, other forms of pre-school education and the centres referred to in art. 2 point 7 of the Act of 14 December 2016 *Education Law* (Journal of Laws of 2017, no. 59, item 949).

## 3. Sign language version

## 4. Matter handled by

- 1. Technical Education Unit, Special and Institutions, the Department of Education , of the City of Krakow, 18 Stachowicza, 30-103 Krakow
- 2. General Schools' Department, Department of Education of the City of Krakow, 18 Stachowicza, 30-103 Krakow

## 5. Documents from the Applicant (client)

- 1. Request of parents / legal guardians of the child for a referral for special education constituting an appendix to this procedure.
- 2. Original or copy of the decision regarding the need for special education issued by a public psychological and pedagogical counselling centre.

#### 6. Fees

The proceedings are not subject to fees.

## 7. Form of settlement

1. Referral to special education in the form of a letter obligating the director of the kindergarten / school / centre, in accordance with art. 127 par. 13, 14, 15 of the Act of

December 14, 2016 *Educational law* (Journal of Laws of 2017 item 59, item 949) to provide the child / student with an appropriate form of education.

2. Address by the Mayor of the City of Krakow to the relevant local government unit / staroste who is the appropriate governing body for the kindergarten / school / centre, in accordance with art. 127 par. 13, 14, 15 of the Act of 14 December 2016 *Educational Law* (Journal of Laws of 2017 item 59, item 949), to issue a referral for special education in a kindergarten / school / centre located outside the Municipality of Krakow.

## 8. Deadline for settling

Within one month from the day of the commencement of the proceedings, and in a particularly complicated case, no later than within two months from the date of initiation of the proceedings.

#### 9. Documents obtained in the proceedings

Request of parents / legal guardians of the child for a referral for special education - constituting an appendix to this procedure.

#### **10. Appeal procedure**

Not applicable.

#### 11. Legal basis

Art. 127 par. 13, 14, 15 of the Act of 14 December 2016 *Educational Law* (Journal of Laws of 2017, no. 59, item 949).

## 12. Additional information for the client

- 1. Children / students are sent to kindergarten / school / centres according to age, education completed stage and type of disability.
- 2. In the case of a request for a referral to a kindergarten / school / centre, in accordance with art. 127 par. 13, 14, 15 of the Act of 14 December 2016 *Educational Law* (Journal of Laws of 2017 item 59, item 949), located outside the Municipality of Krakow, the Mayor of the City of Krakow will apply to the relevant local government unit / staroste who is the governing body for the kindergarten / school / centre, for a referral.
- 3. In a case where the child lives outside the area of the Municipality of Krakow, and in the given municipality / poviat there is no appropriate kindergarten / school / centre, it shall be arranged in accordance with art. 127 par. 13, 14, 15 of the Act of 14 December 2016 *Educational Law* (Journal of Laws of 2017 item 59, item 949), that the application together with the decision regarding the need for special education should be directed to the local government unit

/ staroste competent for the child's place of residence. A local government unit / staroste with a separate application, accompanied by a complete set of documents, asks for a referral to the Mayor of the City of Krakow.

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