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FEAR EXPERIENCE – THE POLICEMEN IN DANGER

(Summary)

This research presents psychological analysis of fear among the policemen who faced danger on duty. Their profession entails the risk of participation in difficult situations which may lead to accidents, serious injury or even loss of life. Their basic duty is to patrol the streets and guarantee security at mass gatherings. Some of the descriptions of the incidents connected with fear experienced by the policemen at work have been subjected to psychological analysis. The research group was composed of ten policemen, aged 22–25, working in the Crime Prevention Department in Warsaw. They were examined with Z.Uchnast's *Personalistic Qualitative Analysis* test.

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