

OPCAT visit to the Zita Special Foster Home



On 25-26 July 2015, staff members of the Office of the Commissioner for Fundamental Rights conducted an OPCAT NPM visit to the “Zita” Special Foster Home of the Child Protection Directorate of Somogy County in Kaposvár. Staff members of the OPCAT NPM Department interviewed the children and members of the management and staff of the institution; furthermore, they examined the relevant documents and the material conditions of the facility. The visit was also regarded as a follow-up to earlier on-the-spot visits of the ombudsman to the Zita Foster Home.

The visit was carried out with the participation of the following staff members of the OPCAT National Preventive Mechanism Department:

- Judit Zeller, lawyer, psychologist, head of delegation
- Gergely Fliegauf, psychologist, head of department
- Rita Rostás, psychologist, pedagogue
- Gábor Izsák, lawyer

The National Preventive Mechanism is going to publish a report on the findings and results of the visit.