

**OPCAT NMM visit to
the Departments of Psychiatry of Erzsébet Kórház
in Sátoraljaújhely**

18 April 2023

On 18 April 2023 the staff members of the Office of the Commissioner for Fundamental Rights of Hungary performing the tasks of the National Preventive Mechanism (hereinafter referred to as: the NPM) paid a visit to the the Departments of Psychiatry of Erzsébet Kórház in Sátoraljaújhely.



1. Room in the Department of Acute Psychiatry



2. Room in the Psychiatric Rehabilitation and Day-Care Unit

The purpose of the visit was to review the method of providing care to the patients (who are placed in emergency wards), to investigate the conditions of placement and care at the Hospital, as well as the treatment of detainees. In addition, the members of the visiting group conducted interviews with the patients, as well as the management and staff members of both departments.

The members of the visiting group consisted of:

Dr. Dóra Deák-Kondákor, lawyer

Dr. István Sárközy, lawyer

Dr. Nándor Pálfi, lawyer

Dr. György Szekeres, psychiatrist MD

Gabriella Hartmenn, dietician expert

The NPM will prepare a report on the visit.