**HEALTH EDUCATION ABOUT PREECLAMPSIA ON THE KNOWLEDGE OF PREGNANT WOMEN IN THE WORK AREA**

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# ABSTRACT

**Introduction:** Preeclampsia is a multi-systemic disorder that occurs in pregnancy characterized by hypertension at 20 weeks of gestation or above or in the third trimester of pregnancy, or can occur immediately after delivery.

**Objective:** To determine the effect of the application of health education about preeclampsia on the knowledge of pregnant women in the working area of the Kebun Handil health center.

**Method:**  This type of research is a descriptive research that aims to describe (explain). The subject of this study is with 2 respondents using the data collection method by observation.

**Results:** Mrs. D's knowledge before being given health education about preeclampsia was 20% with the category of less. Mrs. Y's knowledge before being given health education about preeclampsia was 35% with the category of less. After being given health education about Mrs. D and Mrs. Y's preeclampsia, their knowledge increased by 90% in the good category.

**Conclusion:** After conducting health education about preeclampsia on the knowledge of pregnant women, it shows that the change in knowledge about preeclampsia in pregnant women has increased.

**Suggestion:** It is hoped that this research can be used as a reference in increasing the knowledge of pregnant women about preeclampsia.

**Keywords:** Health Education, Preeclampsia, Knowledge.

**References :** Books : 28 (2014-2023) Journals : 9 (2019-2023).