

NURSES' ATTITUDES AND KNOWLEDGE REGARDING PALLIATIVE CARE AT BANYUBENING HOSPITAL.

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Palliative care in Indonesia is not yet popular when compared to curative and rehabilitative care. This is reinforced by WHO data which shows that 86% of patients who require palliative care have not received it. According to Tampubolong, N.R, et. all (2021), several obstacles in implementing palliative care in Indonesia, namely the absence of a palliative care module in the education curriculum and training of health workers in health services, the lack of palliative care education for nurses, the lack of perception of care providers, and the lack of facilities to provide palliative care.

The aim of this study was to determine the level of attitudes and knowledge of the medical team about palliative care in Banyubening Hospital Boyolali Indonesia.



This research is quantitative research by distributing questionnaires to 21 nurses.



Measuring the level of attitudes, The Frommelt's Attitude Toward Care of the Dying (FATCOD) scale questionnaire was used and Knowledge measured used, the Palliative Care Quiz for Nursing (PCQN) questionnaire.





By using the rho sperm test, it was found that there was no significant relationship between attitudes and knowledge with a value of p > 0.05 (0.207 > 0.05), and the level of strength of the relationship between the attitude variable and palliative nursing knowledge was 0.287 or in the sufficient category and the direction of the relationship was negative. Attitude is in the negative category (70.7 <112) while knowledge is in the sufficient category (10.4 <10.9)

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Based on the results of the study, it can be concluded that there is a need for a palliative care module, improving facilities to provide palliative care, and training for health workers who present professional nurses who are able to facilitate palliative care.

