

ABSTRACT

Novia Fifi Isa. 2013. The Description of Pregnant Woman's Knowledge and Attitude towards *Section Caeseria* in Prof. Dr. Hi. Aloe Saboe General Hospital, Gorontalo City. Faculty of Sports and Health Sciences, Nursing Department, Universitas Negeri Gorontalo.

Pregnant woman's knowledge and attitude of pregnancy condition and delivery possibly can prepare her physical and mental so that the pregnant woman can choose safe and appropriate delivery process. In preparing delivery, a pregnant woman needs correct information so that she will have a description of pregnancy and delivery process. The description and information are expected to be useful in order the pregnant woman will be more ready for delivery process whether normal delivery of *section caeseria* delivery.

This research was aimed to know description of pregnant woman's knowledge and attitude towards *section caeseria* in Prof. Dr. Hi. Aloe Saboe General Hospital, Gorontalo City. This research used descriptive method to describe pregnant woman's knowledge and attitude towards *section caeseria* in Prof. Dr. Hi. Aloe Saboe General Hospital, Gorontalo City. Research population were 38 pregnant women and 36 of them were the sample who were taken by using purposive sampling. Research data were gathered through respondent interview by using questionnaire.

Research result showed that most of pregnant women or 20 respondents (55.6%) had good knowledge and most of them or 24 (66.7%) respondents prefer normal delivery to *section caeseria*. Pregnant woman's knowledge was very important in choosing appropriate delivery. The better pregnant woman's knowledge of delivery, the bigger pregnant woman's attitude towards normal delivery that has lower risk than *section caeseria*.

It is suggested that hospital should decrease the case in *section caeseria* by improving service quality particularly the Ante Natal Care. This is to give knowledge for pregnant woman through education, guidance, consultation so that pregnant woman can choose a safe an appropriate delivery process.



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