ABSTRACT

Tugiyem Markuat. 2014. Relation of Nurse Therapeutic Communication and Level of Anxiety on Patient of Pulmonary TB in General Ward of Tropic G4, RSUD Prof. Dr. H. Aloe Saboe Gorontalo City. Skripsi, Department of Nursing, Faculty of Health and Sport Sciences, Universitas Negeri Gorontalo. The principal supervisor was Dr. Lintje Boekoesoe, M.Kes and co-supervisor was Wirda Y. Dulahu S.Kep, Ns, M.Kep.

Therapeutic communication is a communication of nursing to reduce patient’s anxiety primarily patient of Pulmonary TB. However, there are several nurses recently which have not been optimal in applying the therapeutic communication. The research aimed to understand the relation of therapeutic communication and level of anxiety on patient of Pulmonary TB in general ward of tropic G4, RSUD Prof. Dr. H. Aloe Saboe.

The research applied cross sectional design with the technique of sampling was accidental sampling. The instrument was questionnaire for 30 respondents. Data analysis applied spearman correlation statistic.

The result showed that some respondents (50%) said that therapeutic communication was categorized into good, while anxiety as dominated by mild anxiety showed 14 (m46.7%). Result of spearman correlation statistical test was P value = (0,000) < α=0.05 so it can be concluded that there was a relation of nurse therapeutic communication and level of anxiety on patient of Pulmonary TB in general ward of tropic G4, RSUD Prof. Dr. H. Aloe Saboe. It is suggested that it needs to increase the application of nurse therapeutic communication in every nursing care process.

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