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## THE EFFECT OF BIBLIOTHERAPY ON THE EFFECT OF ANXIETY ANXIETY

HOSPITALIZATION IN SCHOOL AGES CHILDREN IN HOSPITAL AN-NISA TANGERANG 2019

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ABSTRACT

Background: Hospitalization can cause anxiety in school-age children. Children become increasingly anxious and this affects the healing process. For children who are hospitalized, to eliminate anxiety can be done using books as a therapeutic medium which is also called bibliotherapy. The research aims to identify the effect of bibliotherapy on anxiety levels of the effect of hospitalization on school-age children. This research is a quantitative study with a research design using the Pre-Experiment method and the research design used is a one group pre-test and posttest design with a sample of 39 respondents. The results showed the level of anxiety pre-test and post-test conducted biblioterapim intervention can be known that (mean) average level of anxiety before (pre-test) given bibliotherapy intervention of 3.95 (mean) average level of anxiety after (post -test) given biblioterpi intervention of 1.28. Hypothesis test results Paired Simple T-Test at a significance level of 95% ( $\alpha = 0.05$  indicates that the value of p value = 0,000) p value  $<\alpha$ , ie 0,000 < 0.05 means that Ho is rejected and H<sub>a</sub> is accepted which indicates that there is an influence bibliotherapy on the anxiety level of the effect of hospitalization on school-age children in Tangerang an-nisa hospital in 2019. Suggestions are expected for hospitals to implement bibliotherapy interventions for children undergoing hospitalization.

**Keywords:** Bibliotherapy, Anxiety, Hospitalization, School Age Children