



ABSTRACT

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DIFFERENCES IN FOOD ACCEPTANCE OF ANIMAL DISH BY TASTE,
EATING HABITS, AND APPETITE IN THE VARIOUS CLASSES OF
INPATIENT SURGICAL PATIENTS AT CENGKARENG HOSPITAL 2016

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Food service is good if patient acceptance of food $\geq 80\%$. Patients acceptance affected by taste, habits/preferences eating, and patients appetite. Animal protein is a dish that rich of protein value as needed in the process of wound healing in surgical patients.

The aims of this study is to determine differences in the acceptability of animal dishes based on taste, habits/preferences eating, and appetite in the various classes of inpatient surgical patients at Cengkareng Hospital. This study was a cross sectional study. Samples were obtained by purposive sampling technique. The data were taken using a questionnaire to determine acceptance animal dish served. Leftover food is taken with food weighing method. The statistical test used Mann-Whitney test.

The study was conducted on 192 surgical patients. Based on the statistical test, there is difference of patients acceptance for animal side dish based on taste and appetite ($p=0,001$). There is a difference of patients acceptance for animal dish based on habits/preferences eating ($p = 0.022$). In analysis showed that taste, appetite, and habits/preferences eating significantly affect for animal dish acceptance in surgical patients at Cengkareng Hospital.

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