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THE IMPROVEMENT OF PREGNANCY CARE ABILITY IN FAMILY THROUGH DIRECT LEARNING WITH MODELING IN ACADEMY OF MIDWIFERY DARUSSALAM LHOKSEUMAWE

ABSTRACT: This research purposes to know the improvement of pregnancy care ability in family which is taught with direct learning model by modeling in Academy of Midwifery Darussalam Lhokseumawe. The methoed of this research was experiment by using "*Random Pre-tes, Post-tes Control Group*". Collecting data was conducted by observing the ability of student. Analyzing data was conducted by percentage, N-gain and T-test. Result of the research can be concluded that there is the significant improvement between control and treatment class.

Keywords: direct learning, modelling, pregnancy care ability in family.

PENINGKATAN KEMAMPUAN ASUHAN KEHAMILAN DALAM KELUARGA MELALUI PEMBELAJARAN LANGSUNG DENGAN PEMODELANDI AKADEMI KEBIDANAN DARUSSALAM LHOKSEUMAWE

ABSTRAK: Penelitian ini bertujuan untuk mengetahui peningkatan kemampuan langsung dengan pemodelan di Akademi Kebidanan Darussalam Lhokseumawe. Metode penelitian adalah eksperimen dengan rancangan "*Random Pre-tes, Post-tes Control Group*". Pengumpulan data dilakukan dengan observasi kemampuan mahasiswa. Analisa data dilakukan dengan persentase, N-gain dan uji-t. Hasil penelitian dapat disimpulkan bahwa terdapat peningkatan yang signifikan antara kelas perlakuan dan kontrol.

Kata kunci: pembelajaran langsung, pemodelan, kemampuan asuhan kehamilan dalam keluarga.

INTRODUCTION

The change of health service focus and curriculum of midwifery education to be better is the effort of various agents in order to reduce the number of mother and baby death which is high in Aceh. It shows that the number of mother death (AKI) reaches 307 per 100,000 borns and the number of baby death(AKB) reaches 26 per 1000 borns (Data of Department of Health Aceh Province in 2011). The number of death is the indicator of the degree of health that there is the problem in the health of mother and baby, so that, it needs the role of the related agents to reduce the risks whichinfluence that health condition.

The education of pregnancy care in family has the important role to produce the good quality student of midwifery to reduce the risk of mother and baby death which is caused by complication of pregnancy and pregnant women's behavior. The student is capable to serve by using complication early detection, early promotion about the disease of pregnancy as well as promotion of the good behavior may increase the degree of pregnant mother's health. it means to get well ability requires the creativity of lecturers and students, so that the activity of pregnancy care in family can be observed and demonstrated well.

The result of observation in private midwife clinic (BPS) and data from Academy of midwifery Darusalam in Lhokseumawe year 2013 shows that the ability of student in observing and serving pregnancy care is low. It can be viewed from the ability of student: 50% of the student did those activities in the low level ability, in the other side 40% of them reach enough level and only 10% have good ability.

According to the data above, the problem of the low ability of student happened bacause of several causes, those are (1) direct learning by using cooperative learning approach does not run maximally, (2) knowledge and basic ability does not support the learning yet, (3) Observation of student's activity moderately not optimal, and (4) and the lack of student's practice performance. Those cause the effort of government in reducing the number of mother death (AKI) and the number of baby death is far from what

we hope. Therefore, it needs to develop the learning with modeling as wel as to maximize knowledge and basic skill for the student of midwifery. Besides, it needs the observation activity moderately in order to motivate and improve the exercise performance of pregnancy care in family.

Modeling shows the example of pregnancy care exercise activity in family while the student directly observe model's behavior (Kardi, 2000). Direct learning by modeling is the learning activity which is approproate with exercise procedure, and it is able to improve the ability of pregnancy care in family by using the support of model as the motivator in exercise activity, the model shows the movement related to real life of pregnant woman, so that the student gets the complex description for mantaining interest to do exercise as well as becoming more perfect to solve the low of pregnancy care in family problem and reduce the risk of mother and baby death.

The previous researches realted to the effort in improving the ability of the student were conducted by Leblanc, L. A., (2003); Nikopaulus, C. K, *and* Keenan, M., (2004); Murphy, J.J *and* Davis, M. W., (2005),

however, the research about the effort in improving the pregnancy care ability in family by using modeling is very, therefore, the researcher is interested in conducting the research intend to improving student ability in Midwifery Academy Darussalam.

METHOD

This research was conducted by using experiment research method by designing Pretest-posttest Control Group Design, (Francel and Wallen, 2007). Radom sampling technique is used to take the sample and to determine the control and treatment group. Collecting data was conducted by observing the skill of the student. Data was analyzed by using percentage, N-Gain and T-test.

RESULT AND DISCUSSION

The tabulation result of student ability in conducting pregnancy care activity in family improves in both classes, detail of student ability improvement in all aspects of pregnancy care in family is showed in Table 1.

Table 1. Percentage of Student Score Based on Pregnancy Care Aspect in Family in Control and Treatment Class.

		Class						
No	Aspect	Treatment			Control			Danca
		First	Last	Increasing	First	Last	Increasing	-Range
1	First preparation	32	96	64	30	87	57	7
2	Anamnesis	12	95	83	12	83	71	12
3	Leopold	26	85	59	26	75	49	10
4	Mechanical body education	14	90	76	14	73	59	17
5	Education of nutrient and iron tablet	11	74	63	11	61	50	13
6	Education of the dangers of pregnancy	3	42	39	3	38	35	4
7	Care technique	13	80	67	12	69	57	10

According to the tabulation, first score and last score from both classes improve in all aspects of pregnancy care in family, the highest improvement of ability occurs in anamnesis aspect 83% in treatment class and 71% in control class. In the other side, the most different of last ability between control and treatment class occurs in mechanical body education

aspect is 17%. It is because of direct learning by using modeling, so that the student is able to manage the exercise well.

The result of first student score analysis shows that there is no difference between control and treatment class regarding to the ability of the pregnancy care in family, it shows in Table 2.

Table 2. Average Difference Test of Student First Ability in Pregnancy Care in Family Material From Control and Treatment Class.

	Class		Normality		Homogeneity	Singnificance	
	Treatment	Control	Treatment	Control	(Ekp-Ktr)		
Pretest	15,83	16,26	Normal	Normal	Homogeneous	Unsignificant	
			Sig:0,849	Sig:0,936	Sig:0,994	$T_{\rm hig=}0,282 < 1,672$	
						Sig:0,779> 0,05	

The analysis result indicates that student in treatment group and control group have the ability of pregnancy care in family homogeneous (similiar). In the other side, the analysis of the last ability of student which was measured after conducting the learning about pregnancy care in family shows the difference between both classes from analysis of Table 3.

Table 3. Average Difference Test of Student Last Ability in Pregnancy Care in Family Material From Control and Treatment Class.

	Class		Norm	Normality		Singnificance
	Treatment	Control	Treatment	Control	(Ekp-Ktr)	-
Postest	80	65,8	Normal	Normal	Homogeneous	Unsignificant
			Sig:0,239	Sig:0,722	Sig: 0,482	$T_{hig} = 656 > 1,672$
			-	-	_	Sig:0,00 < 0,05

The analysis result shows there is the significant difference between control and treatment class regarding to ability of student, the score is sig; 0,000 < 0,05. It it because direct learning by using modeling can improve the study result of the student, because the modeling helps student to remember modeling when practicing pregnancy care in family which is in accordance with the theory, the theory mentioned that the visual description or modeling and illustration may give the direct experience to the student about the material and certain ability, so, that is saved well in long term memory (Hiebert *et al*,.: Sausa: Slavin 1997). So that student easily perform this pregnancy care in family activity (Slavin 1997).

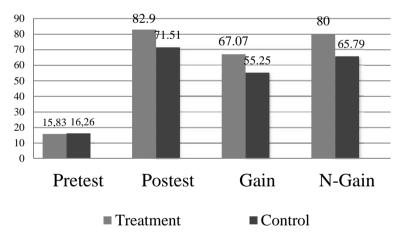
It means there is the improvement in asll aspect of pregnancy care in family both in control and treatment class, in average, they are in dependent catagory and capable to perform this activity because of direct learning model, especially because of the effect of modeling in treatment class, it is in accordances with Margareta's study (2012) about the effectiveness of video self modeling toward student dependent skill. In the other side, there is 7% of student in control class stands on corretive catagory in aspect of education of pregnancy dangers.

Student showed the practicing activity of pregnancy care in family well and independently, it is significantly improve after interfering by using modeling in both class. The improvement of student ability was gained by calculating the range between first score and last score (gain). significance test about the improvement of ability between control and treatment was conducted by testing the average of normalized gain score. N-Gain between both groups have normal distribution. Homogeneity test of two variant toward N-Gain score of the student in control and treatment class shows that the data in both classes is homogeneous. T-test of the last ability of student in order to view the difference between both classes is conducted in table 4.

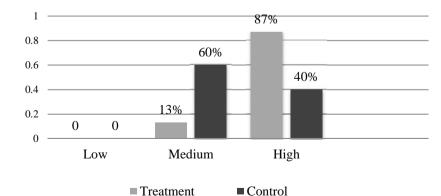
Table 4. Average Difference Test of Student N-Gain in Control and Treatment Class.

	Class		N	ormality	Homogonoity	Significance
	Treatment	Control	Treatment	Control	Homogeneity	1,672
N-Gain	80,00	65,79	Normal	NormalSig:0,498	Homogeneous	Significant
			Sig:0,492		Sig: 0,084	$t_{\rm hig=}0,282<1,672$
						Sig:0.00 > 0.05

The analysis result shows that there is the significant difference between control and treatment class by confidence level is 0,005. It is also showed in ability test data between control and treatment class regarding to the material about pregnancy care, and it is converted through figure 1.



Gambar 1. The Difference of Pregnancy Care in Family Ability in Treatment and Control Class.



Gambar 2. The Comparison of The Ability of Pregnancy Care in Family Between Control and Treatment Class.

The diagram above shows the ability of pregnancy care in family which is converted into N-gain catagories, are low category < 0.3, medium catagory > 0.3-0.7 and high catagory > 0.7 can be viewed in figure 2.

There is student in both class stand in low catagory 0% regarding to the ability of pregnancy care in family according to N-Gain catagory, in the medium catagory, there is the significant difference between both classes, control dominantly reach 47%, the last catagory is high where the treatment class reach 87%. The difference of student ability according to N-gain catagory shows the ability of the students in treatment class stand on high catagory and students in control class stand on medium catagory. It proves that the successful of community examination regarding to conduct pregnancy care in family by modeling can improve the ability because of the confidence of the student in doing the practicing activity. It is in accrodance with Bandura's theory, that mastery enactive give the authentic evidence about the student ability, with the successful experience of modeling, it can improve the confidence of the student in doing their tasks.

According to the analysis the first and last score from both class shows the improvement in all aspect of pregnancy care in family, the highest improvement of ability occurs in anamnesis aspect 83% in treatment class and 71% in control class. In the other hand, the highest difference of last student ability in control and treatment class occurs in mechanical body education is 17%. It is because of direct learning by modeling, so that, the student may manage their practice time well.

The effort in improving the ability of pregnancy care in family through managing learning time as well as practicing in all aspect can improve student's achievement, it is supported by Dwiningsih's research (2012) that modeling can fix the ability of learning management so that shows the average of student skill competences with good criteria. Direct learning by using modeling is conducted with two learning procedural meeting which is short and continued by practicing activity, so it can improve student's achievement. In contrary, Darmadi's research (2009) shows that modeling can improve the student's learning achievement by three learning cycles.

The analysis result of student's achievement through T-test shows the significant difference between two groups, which is score t_{hitung} 7,090 > t_{tabel} 1,672 by the significant score is 0.00 < 0.05. Hypothesis is there is the difference of student's ability which learns by using direct learning model with modeling in treatment class and direct learning without modeling in control class regarding to pregnancy care in family material is accepted because it is really different, it is different caused by learning using modeling which influences positively toward performance of student exercise. It is supported by Larson's theory (1998) that modeling gives positive effect toward performance in various task which related to the work, health behavior, counseling behavior, and academic learning result. Another study which related to modeling mentions that modeling supports student observes individual's behavior who is in similar profession with her, so that it improves the level of student's confidenceto practice pregnancy care in family activity and it is easy to reach the higher accuracy level (Goh, 2012).

The difference ability regarding to pregnancy care in family is significant in treatment and control class because of learning by using modeling which is from student, so that it affects the exercise activity. It is supported by theory that modeling which is from the student greater affects student's target behavior (Bandura, 1997).

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The ability of pregnancy care is taught by direct learning without modeling can also improve the student's ability in control class, because it gives student the real experience when doing the exercise activity. It is in accordance with Lestari's study (2008) that the direct learningthrough service beside pregnant mother's bed (*bed side teaching*) regarding to pregnancy care material in clinic community is very effective for improving student psychomotoric ability. However, the higher improvement happens in treatment class. It is proven by testing the hypothesis that there is significant improvement between both treatment.

The improvement of student ability by using modeling is very helpful student when doing the pregnancy care in family tasks, because the demonstrated activity through short video may improve independence in doing the activity in treatment class. It is supported by Shipley's study (2002) that modeling can helpstudent's functional living skill after watching the video which is demonstrated in that activity. It is also in accordance with Margareta's study (2012) that modeling improves student's independency. The difference learning result between treatment and control class is caused by using modeling in learning pregnancy care in family skill can be utilized by the student to practice the skill at home and mantain their interest to practice until resulting the better ability and independence when it is shown in the final and community practice.

CONCLUSION

Result of the research proves that the improvement of pregnancy care in family ability in midwifery student through implementation of direct learning model with modeling which is higher than direct learning without modeling. To improve student's ability in doing pregnancy care in family through modeling implementation of modeling can motivate skill practice from correction phase to independence.

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