

**RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN MOTHERS' KNOWLEDGE LEVEL ABOUT
FAMILY PLANNING AND PARTICIPATION POSTPARTUM FAMILY
PLANNING IN THE WORK AREA OF KATOBU COMMUNITY
HEALTH CENTER SOUTHEAST SULAWESI**

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ABSTRACT

Background : The coverage of Postpartum family planning in Indonesia is still below expectations. Postpartum family planning coverage in Muna Regency in 2022 was 47.8%. The low coverage of postpartum family planning is caused by several factors, including low maternal knowledge, lack of information and counseling, negative attitudes, lack of spousal support, and absence of home visits.

Objective : To determine the relationship between maternal knowledge about family planning and participation in postpartum family planning in the working area of Katobu Health Center, Muna Regency, Southeast Sulawesi.

Method : This study used a quantitative method with a cross-sectional design. The population in this study were all Postpartum Mothers from 6 Months to 1 Year in the UPT Katobu Health Center area from January to December 2024, a sample of 169 respondents using the Simple Random Sampling technique. The research variables are the level of knowledge about family planning and participation in postpartum family planning. Data were collected using a questionnaire. To determine using the chi square test.

Research Results : The level of maternal knowledge about family planning in the UPT Health Center area, Muna Regency, Southeast Sulawesi is mostly in the sufficient category, namely 55.7%. Participation in postpartum family planning in postpartum mothers at the Katobu Health Center Area, Muna Regency, Southeast Sulawesi is 57.4%. The results of the hypothesis test showed a significant relationship between the level of maternal knowledge about family planning and participation in postpartum family planning in the Katobu Health Center area, Muna Regency, Southeast Sulawesi with $p = 0.014$

Conclusion : There is a relationship between the level of maternal knowledge about family planning and participation in postpartum family planning..

Keywords: Knowledge Level, Postpartum family planning.

**HUBUNGAN TINGKAT PENGETAHUAN IBU TENTANG KB
DENGAN KEIKUTSERTAAN KB PASCA PERSALINAN
DI WILAYAH KERJA PUSKESMAS KATOBU
SULAWESI TENGGARA**

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ABSTRAK

Latar Belakang: Cakupan pelayanan KB pasca persalinan di Indonesia masih belum sesuai harapan. Cakupan KB Pasca Persalinan Kabupaten Muna tahun 2022 sebesar 47,8%. Rendahnya KB pasca persalinan antara lain disebabkan oleh rendahnya pengetahuan, kurangnya informasi dan konseling, sikap, tidak ada dukungan suami dan tidak ada kunjungan rumah.

Tujuan: Mengetahui hubungan antara tingkat pengetahuan ibu tentang KB dengan Keikutsertaan KB Pasca Persalinan di wilayah kerja UPT Puskesmas katobu Kab. Muna Sulawesi Tenggara.

Metode: Penelitian menggunakan pendekatan kuantitatif dengan desain *crosssectional*. Populasi dalam penelitian ini adalah seluruh ibu pasca persalinan dari 6 Bulan sampai 1 Tahun di wilayah UPT Puskesmas Katobu pada Januari sampai Desember 2024, sampel 169 responden dengan teknik *Simple Random Sampling*. Variabel penelitian terdiri tingkat pengetahuan ibu tentang KB dan variabel terikat yaitu Keikutsertaan KB Pasca Persalinan. Instrumen pengumpulan data adalah kuesioner. Data dianalisis menggunakan uji *chi square*.

Hasil Penelitian: Tingkat pengetahuan ibu tentang KB di wilayah UPT Puskesmas Katobu Kab. Muna Sulawesi Tenggara sebagian besar termasuk kategori cukup yaitu 55,7%. Keikutsertaan KB pasca persalinan pada ibu Pasca persalinan Puskesmas Katobu Kab. Muna Sulawesi Tenggara sebanyak 57,4%. Hasil Uji Hipotesis diperoleh ada hubungan antara tingkat pengetahuan ibu tentang KB dengan keikutsertaan KB pasca persalinan di wilayah UPT Puskesmas Katobu Kab. Muna Sulawesi Tenggara dengan $p=0,014$

Kesimpulan: ada hubungan antara tingkat pengetahuan ibu tentang KB dengan keikutsertaan KB pasca persalinan

Kata kunci: Tingkat Pengetahuan, KB Pasca Persalinan