TINGKAT PENGETAHUAN IBU-IBU RUMAH TANGGA TERHADAP PENULARAN PENYAKIT FLU BURUNG

(The Knowledge Of Mothers' Household On The Infection Of Avian Influenza)

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ABSTRACT

The research was aimed to describe the knowledge of mothers' household on the avian influenza infection. One hundred and twenty mothers' household were selected as the respondents by purposive judgement sampling. The knowledge was measured in two stages scale. Firstly, the respondents were asked to give the respond whether agree or disagree with the statement. It was continued asking to choose the level of conviction on their answer before. The results described that most of the mothers' household answered more than half of the statements relating with the avian influenza infection correctly (57.14%). Most of them were not sure with their answer although it was correct. Based on the grade of knowledge, it was showed that most of the respondents were in grade of between three and five. The conclusion was that the knowledge of mothers' household on the avian influenza was in the middle category, but they were not sure with their answer although it was correct.

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