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THE EFFECT OF SLEEP HYGIENE ACTIVITY THERAPY ON SLEEP QUALITY IN THE ELDERLY: A SYSTEMATIC REVIEW

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Abstract

Background: The quality of sleep is related to the age factor. Elderly People over the age of 65 often experience sleep disturbances. Sleep disturbances experienced vary, usually caused by poor sleep hygiene. The impact of sleep disturbances can result in non-fulfillment of quality and quantity of sleep in the elderly, this also affects the immune system of the elderly so that the elderly are susceptible to disease. Sleep hygiene activity therapy is a non-pharmacological therapy that can improve the sleep quality of the elderly.

Objective: The purpose of this systematic review is to examine the effect of sleep hygiene on sleep quality in the elderly.

Design: This systematic review was carried out by searching for articles that match the inclusion criteria, namely sleep hygiene, sleep quality, and the elderly on the Google Scholar database, PubMed with years of publication from 2018 to 2022. Then 16 articles were found that matched, and presented in the form of a PICO table.

Results: Based on the analysis of journal reviews, it was found that there was an influence between sleep hygiene activities in the elderly.

Conclusion: The overall results of the articles that have been reviewed state that, the better sleep hygiene is done or applied by the elderly, the quality of sleep will be good or optimal.

Keywords: Elderly, Sleep Hygiene, Sleep Quality

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INTRODUCTION

The process of growth and development in humans will experience body changes both mentally and in health that are interrelated, and this condition can cause physical and mental health problems, namely the elderly (Li and Lansia, 2016). Changes/decreases in the body's ability/functions in adapting to the environment,

one of which is sleep quality disturbances (Nuraeni, 2022). The elderly is at risk of experiencing sleep disturbances caused by many factors such as retirement and changes in social patterns, death of a spouse, increased use of drugs, illnesses experienced, mood disorders, anxiety, and negative feelings are indicators of insomnia (Hartika, 2020). Sleep disturbances

that occur in the elderly are the impact of poor sleep hygiene activities and make the elderly apply a poor self-concept, for example the elderly with inadequate sleep patterns are prone to psychological disorders and poor physical disturbances (Hindriyastuti, 2018).

One aspect of improving the health of the elderly is sleeping behavior (Fitriyanti P, 2021). Sleep hygiene behavior is an action or effort in the form of behavioral training that someone can do with the aim of knowing how to create a comfortable environment around the bed so that they can get comfortable sleep and can improve sleep quality from bad to better (A.T, Septiyorini, Khofifah, tamara, & Nur, 2022).

Based on data (Girsang, Ramadani, Sulistyowati, Putrianti, & Wilson, 2021) the percentage of provinces in Indonesia with an elderly population greater than ten percent is as follows; DI Yogyakarta (15.52%), East Java (14.53%), Central Java (14.17%), North Sulawesi (12.74%), Bali (12.71%), South Sulawesi (11.24%) %), Lampung (10.22%), and West Java (10.18%). According to gender, there are more elderly women than male elderly, namely 52.32% compared to 47.68%. The prevalence of insomnia in Indonesia in the 60 year old group found 7% of cases complaining of sleep problems (Gunardi & Herlina, 2021).

Based on the background that has been described, the authors are interested in conducting a literature review on the effect of sleep hygiene activities on sleep quality in the elderly.

METHODS

The method used in this study is a Systematic Review with PRISMA (Preferred Reporting Items for Systematic Review) without meta-analysis. The presentation procedure was adapted from the University of Maryland Libraries (Libraries, 2021). The following are the steps: Identification of research questions, research questions to be answered "Does the application of sleep hygiene activity therapy affect sleep quality in the elderly?" Determining Inclusion Criteria. Inclusion criteria were made using the PICO (Population, Intervention,

Control, and Outcome) approach. Article Search, the keywords used to find suitable articles are "Sleep Hygiene, Sleep Quality and the Elderly", with issues in 2018-2022. Relevant Article Selection, Article selection was carried out by researchers using the PRISMA diagram, with the following results; identification: identification of articles from the database, namely through Google Scholar, PubMed and obtained 596 articles. Screening: based on the articles that match the keywords, they will be sorted according to trends and obtained 234 articles. Eligibility: articles that meet the inclusion criteria N: 28 articles. Included: articles reviewed N: 16 articles

RESULTS

Based on Table 1. PICO, the search results for articles from the database that have been selected by using a method that is entering keywords in accordance with the systematic review theme, we get 596 articles from Google Scholar, PubMed. After screening and eligibility, the authors obtained 16 articles that met the inclusion criteria and could be used as material for a systematic review and are presented in table 1 below.

Table 1. PICO

Title	P		I	C	0
Relationship Between Sleep Hygiene and Sleep Quality Levels in	Sleep Hygiene	D	: Cross sectional	-	There is a
The Elderly in Jebres District, Gandekan Village RW 05 Surakarta		Ts	: Simple Random Sampling		relationship
(2022), Putri wulan Dhari, Ika Silvitasari		S	: 40 elderly		
		A	: Spearman Rank		
The Influence of Sleep Hygiene Activity Therapy on Sleep Quality of	Sleep Hygiene	D	: Quasi Experiment Pre-Post Test One Group Design	-	There is a
Elderly at Posbindu in Pamongan Village (2022), Sonhaji, Ni			without control		relationship
Nyoman Maryaningtyas Adinatha, Wiji Setiani		Ts	: Purposive sampling		
		S	: 16 elderly		
		A	: The results of the normality test using Shapiro Wilk		
The Relationship Between Sleep Hygiene Behavior and Sleep	Sleep Hygiene	D	: Cross sectional study	-	There is a
Quality in The Elderly at Tresna werdha Ambon Institution (2021),		Ts	: Non probability sampling with total sampling		relationship
Fitriyanti Patarru, rosmina Situngkir, Iriane bate, Jefvans Evita akollo		S	: 35 elderly		
		A	:-		
The Effect of Sleep Hygiene on Sleep Quality in The Elderly at The	Sleep Hygiene	D	: Pre Experimental Design with One-Group Pretest-	-	There is a
Jara Mara Nursing Home Pati Buleleng (2020), Tri Suryo Wibowo			Posttest		relationship
		Ts	: Simple Random Sampling		
		S	: 15 Elderly		
		A	: Paired T-Test		
Efeect of Sleep Hygiene Program on Sleep Quality, Depression,	Sleep Hygiene	D	: A quasi-experimental with pre-posttest research	-	There is a
Anxiety and Stress among Resident Older Adults (2020), Mai			design		relationship
Elghareap Hasaan		Ts	:-		
		S	: 71 older adults		
		Α	: Chi square Test		
The Effect of Sleep Hygiene Activity Therapy on Sleep quality in	Sleep Hygiene	D	: Pre Experimental Design, One-Group Pretest-	-	There is a
The Elderly at The Tresna Werdha Social Service Centre Budi Luhur			Posttest Design.		relationship
Unit Yogyakarta (2019), Milla Annisa Nadyatama		Ts	: Simple Random Sampling		
		S	: 15 elderly		
		A	: Paired T-Test		
The Relationship Between Sleep Hygiene and Sleep Quality Among	Sleep Hygiene	D	: Cross sectional design.	-	There is a
Resident of an Elderly Care Instution in DKI Jakarta (2019), Mutia		Ts	: a purposive sample		relationship
Annisa, Dwi Nurviyandari Kusuma Wati		S	: 103 elderly		
		A	: Chi square test		
The Correlation Between Sleep Hygiene and Sleep Quality on people	Sleep Hygiene	D	: Cross Sectional	-	There is a
With Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus (2019), Fuji Rahmawati, Angeline H.		Ts	: Purposive sampling		relationship
Z. Tarigan, Eka yulia Fitri Y, Indra Prapto Nugroho		S	: 29 elderly		
		Α	: Pearson Product Moment Test		

Title	P		I	С	0
Epidemiology of Sleep Hygiene and Related Factors in Older Adults	Sleep Hygiene	D	: Descriptive-analytic study	-	There is a
(2019), Azita Chehri, and Leila Parsa		Ts	: Random cluster sampling		relationship
		S	: 598 elderly		_
		A	: Mann-Whitney and Kruskal-Wallis tests		
The Effect of Sleep Hygiene Therapy on Sleep quality in The Elderly	Sleep Hygiene	D	: Pre Experiment, Pretests-Posttest One group Design	-	There is a
at The Dharma Bakti Kasih Nursing Home, Surakarta (2019), Niko		Ts	: Non Probability sampling		relationship
Beni		S	: 38 Elderly		•
		A	: Wilcoxon Test		
The Relationship Between Sleep Hygiene and Physical Fatigue with	Sleep Hygiene	D	: Cross sectional design	Physical	There is a
Fulfulling The Sleep Needs of Elderly Trades at Tripe Agrobis	1 .0	Ts	: Porposive sampling	fatigue	relationship
Market in Plaosan, Lamongan Regency (2018), Farida Rohmawati		S	: 63 elderly		-
		A	: Spearman Rank Test		
The effect of Sleep Hygiene on The Quality of Sleep of the Elderly at	Sleep Hygiene	D	: Quasy Eksperimen, pre-post test design	-	There is a
The Pucang Gading Elderly Home, Semarang (2018), Sarlina Mento		Ts	; -		relationship
Ambarita		S	: 36 elderly		-
		A	: Wilcoxon test.		
The Relationship Between Sleep Hygiene and Sleep quality in The	Sleep Hygiene	D	: Cross Sectional	-	There is a
Elderly (2018), Ifana Z. Rahmah, D. Retnaningsih, Rista Apriana		TS	: Saturated Sampling		relationship
		S	: 35 elderly		_
		A	: Spearman Rank Test		
The Effectiveness of Sleep Hygiene Program on Sleep Quality and	Sleep Hygiene	D	: Cross Sectional	-	There is a
Stress Level in Elderly population (2018), Kiran Sharma, Swati		Ts	:-		relationship
srivastava		S	: 70 elderly		
		A	: Pearsons test		
The Effect of Sleep Hygiene and Brain Gym on Increasing Elderly	Sleep Hygiene	D	: Pretest posttest with control group design quasy	Brain Gym	There is a
Comfort and Sleep Quality (2018), Nursalam; S., Fitriana Kurniasari;			experiment		relationship
Ulfiana, Elida; Efendi, Ferry		Ts	: Purposive sampling		
		S	: 50 eldely		
		A	: Paired t-test test		
Effect Of Sleep Hygiene And Deep Breathing Exercise With	Sleep Hygiene	D	: Quasy experiment with pretest posttest with	Deep	There is a
Spiritual Care On Sleep Quality And Quality Of Life Of			control grup design	Breathing	relationship
Hemodialysis Patient In Ahmad Yani Islamic Hospital Surabaya		Ts	: Non probability sampling with total sampling	Exercise	-
(2018), Siti Nur Hasina, Tintin Sukartini, Eppy Setiyowati			technique	with	
		S	: 38 elderly	Spiritual	
		A	: MANOVA	Care	

Based on the results of a review of the 16 journals that have been described in table 1 above, It was found that there was a significant effect between sleep hygiene activities and sleep quality in the elderly.

DISCUSSION

The elderly with poor sleep hygiene behavior tends to have very poor sleep quality (Patarru, Situngkir, bate, & Evita Akollo, 2021). The conditions experienced by the elderly are caused by several factors, including; environment and habits of the elderly who rarely take naps, rarely exercise, ambient noise, and some of them say they have feelings of anxiety for various reasons such as not feeling at home in the orphanage and thinking about their families, and the unstable room temperature makes the elderly feel hot and cold so that they the elderly have an uncomfortable feeling when sleeping, then improper lighting causes it to be difficult for the elderly to start sleeping (Dhari & Silvitasari, 2022).

Regulation of sleep and awakening is regulated the brainstem (Reticular by Activating System and Bulbar Synchronizing Region), thalamus and various hormones produced by the hypothalamus. Serotonin is a neurotransmitter that is responsible for the transfer of nerve impulses to the brain which plays a role in inducing drowsiness, as well as a modulator of brain work capacity. In the body, serotonin is converted to melatonin. In the elderly, this melatonin hormone will decrease with age, the amount of melatonin hormone production can be increased by doing activities that can improve blood flow. Disruption of melatonin performance in the body can be caused by various things including electrical radiation, lighting so that this can make it difficult for the elderly to sleep. The amount of melatonin hormone production can be increased by carrying out activities that can improve blood flow such as (Ambarwati, 2017).

Sleep quality is a benchmark used as a reference to determine a person's ability to

easily fall asleep and maintain sleep (Sonhaji & Setiani, 2022). A person's sleep quality can be described through several items such as; long sleep time, complaints felt during sleep or conditions after waking up (Parawangsa, 2022). Good sleep quality is a condition where a person can get fitness, freshness, and satisfaction when he wakes up. The quality of sleep in the elderly is said to be good if the night's sleep is fulfilled for 6 hours, and the time needed to fall asleep is no more than 30 minutes, and they do not wake up more than 2 times at night. Decreased sleep quality can be influenced by environmental factors such as improper lighting, unstable room temperature, and the presence of noise (Savitri, 2020).

Sleep hygiene can be done by setting a wake and sleep schedule every day, being in bed only when sleeping and sleepy, making the mind and body calm and relaxed, taking naps of less than 30 minutes, sleeping with dark lighting, comfortable bedroom temperatures, avoiding loud noises, taking a warm evening shower, cleaning the bedroom regularly, eating regularly every day, not eating too much before going to bed, not drinking coffee or caffeine before going to bed, not smoking before going to bed and exercising regularly every morning (Rahmawati, Tarigan, Fitri, & Nugroho, 2019). If this method is done, then the quality of sleep will be good.

CONCLUSION

The better the sleep hygiene activities carried out by the elderly, the better the perceived quality of sleep. Sleep hygiene activities need to be carried out by regularly arranging schedules and carried out under supervision to obtain optimal results.

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