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IMPROVEMENT OF KNOWLEDGE RELATED TO CORONAVIRUS DISEASE (COVID-19)

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ABSTRACT

Health promotion activities about COVID-19 through the installation of banners are an activity in order to provide information related to the COVID-19 pandemic. The banner installation was carried out starting from April 20, 2020, which is located at 3 points in Gelam Village, Sidoarjo Regency. After the banners were installed at these 3 points, the residents whose houses were near the installation of the banners gradually changed their behavior who cared about preventing the spread of Covid-19. Changes in behavior include providing a place to wash hands before entering the house and prayer room, wearing masks when leaving the house, avoiding crowding, and signaling the mosque for physical distancing.

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INTRODUCTION

With the COVID-19 pandemic, it is necessary to convey information related to the prevention of COVID-19 in the community. The delivery of this information must still comply with the government health protocol. Therefore, the

delivery of information deemed appropriate is one of them through banners or posters.

OBJECTIVES

General Purpose

After placing a banner about COVID-19, it is hoped that the public will get

information related to preventing the spread of COVID-19.

Special Purpose

After installing a banner about COVID-19, it is hoped that the community in the Gelam Village area, Sidoarjo can:

1. Find out about clinical symptoms of COVID-19.
2. Find out about the high-risk groups in COVID-19.
3. Find out about the modes of transmission of COVID-19.
4. Find out about how to prevent transmission of COVID-19.
5. Find out about procedures for increasing body immunity recommended by the Indonesian Ministry of Health.

PLAN OF ACTION

Strategy Plan

The strategy plan implemented, including:

1. Coordination with the Gelam village government regarding the installation of banners..
2. Determination of the place for placing the banner.
3. Banner installation at a predetermined place.

Implementation

Actions taken in the implementation of these activities, including:

1. Contacted the Gelam village government to coordinate the installation of banners.
2. Installed banners in a predetermined place.

Setting

This banner installation activity was carried out at 3 points in the Gelam Village

area, Sidoarjo Regency which began on April 20, 2020.

Target

The target of this banner installation activity is all people who pass through the 3 banner installation points, especially residents of Gelam Village, Sidoarjo..

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

The activity of installing banners containing information related to Covid-19 began on April 20, 2020. The impact of the banner installation was that there was a slight change in behavior related to preventing the spread of Covid-19 around the place where the banner was installed. The change in behavior is in the form of providing a place to wash hands in front of the house so that anyone who enters the house can wash their hands first, people are more concerned about using masks when outside the house, avoiding crowds, and doing physical distancing. For example, the application of physical distancing is by marking the prayer room for areas that can be used for prayer.

CONCLUSION

With the holding of this health education activity, it is hoped that each participant of this counseling activity can provide first aid to people who have burns. This is because most of the participants (80%) have been able to re-demonstrate the treatment of burns.

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