## ABSTRACT

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## THE IMPLEMENTATION OF ABDOMINAL STRETCHING TO REDUCE DISMENORE ON THE TEENAGERS IN GRIYAN PAJANG, LAWEYAN, SURAKARTA

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**Background**: Adolescence is a human development period in which major change called puberty occurs. Singular sign of puberty on female teenagers is menstruation. However, many of them face menstrual problems including dismenore. Dismenore is a pain on the stomach occuring during menstruation. Abdominal Stretching is a non-pharmacological therapy to reduce dismenore. Aim: To identify the implementation of abdominal stretching to reduce dismenore in Griyan RT 04/01 Pajang, Laweyan, Surakarta in 2018. Method: This research used case study method with descriptive design. Findings: Before the implementation of abdominal stretching, both Mrs. D's and Mrs. R's menstrual pain is on medium scale, 5 and 6 respectively. Meanwhile after being treated with abdominal stretching for three days, their menstrual pain decreases by 3 points. **Conclusion**: The implementation of abdominal stretching can decrease dismenore and can be used as a non-pharmacological therapy for people with dismenore.

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