THE APPLICATION OF AN OPEN CORD CARE METHOD WITH ALCOHOL FOR THE DURATION OF UMBILICAL CORD LOSS IN NEWBORNS IN THE AREA OF CEPOGO DISTRICT HEALTH CENTER BOYOLALI

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ABSTRACT

Background: Indonesia is included in the high infant mortality rate, the cause of neonatal death due to infection with the umbilical cord. Umbilical cord care is one of the treatments that require attention. Open cord care method with alcohol is an act of combining two methods with the aim that the umbilical cord is immediately dry and not infected with the umbilical cord. **Aim:** find out the length of the umbilical cord by applying an open umbilical cord method with alcohol. **Method:** Descriptive research method with case study research design. The sample in this study were two respondents. This research instrument uses an observation sheet. **Result:** Umbilical cord care using open threatment method with alcohol on day 6 with normal category. **Conclusion:** Umbilical cord with umbilical cord care uses an open method with alcohol released on the sixth day with the normal category.

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