

**THE OVERVIEW OF THE LEVEL OF ANXIETY AMONG RESIDENTS  
LIVING IN FLOOD-PRONE AREAS IN WARUKKALONG VILLAGE,  
NGAWI DISTRICT**

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**ABSTRACT**

**Background:** Natural catastrophes are common in Indonesia. Floods dominated all-natural disasters that struck practically every corner of Indonesia, accounting for 1,288 events (42.1%). East Java comes in second with 211 catastrophe events for 2021, including 118 flood disasters. The Bengawan Madiun River flows through Kwadungan District in Ngawi Regency, which is a lowland region at an elevation of 52-54 meters above sea level. Flooding can have a long-term mental health impact in the form of anxiety and physical damage. **Objectives:** The aim of this study was to determine the level of anxiety among residents in flood-prone areas in Warukkalong Village, Ngawi Regency. **Method:** The research method used in this study is a survey method with descriptive quantitative research. **Results:** The findings revealed that the individuals living in flood-prone areas in Warukkalong Village, Ngawi Regency, were predominantly teens aged 18-25 years (35.23%), women (56.8%), those with a high school/vocational school education (40.9%), and those with mild anxiety (93.18%).

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