Influence of Home Environment Affecting Obesity Among 3-5 Years Children

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Abstract:

Background: There are several studies show the significant link between the home environment (diet, physical activity, socioeconomic status, family status) and obesity in children from (3-5 year). this study was design to describe these relations.

Objectives: To investigate the relation between the home environment and the development of obesity in children 3-5 years.

Method:Descriptive quantitative study used in this study, we will take around 300 child from both gender and their age from (3-5 years) and had obesity, my sample will be collected by going to the kindergarten and get the permission from the manger of these kindergarten and put the Questionnaire in the children bag, then the family of these child who fill the Questionnaire will be inserted in the study, so my sample will be Convenience sampling.

Result: Less physical activity, wrong eating habit and eating fastfood associated with obesity, and there is no relation between healthy food, family income, maternal status and obesity.

Conclusion: There are relationships between obesity and less practicing sports, less physical activity, family income, and eating fast food, also there is no relationship between obesity and **maternal education**, **maternal status**.

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