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# Influence Massage Oxytocin to Smoothness Breast Milk in Primipara Mothers

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## **ABSTRACT**

The inability of secretion of breastfeeding was a problem which was experienced by breastfeeding mothers. It was needed non pharmacology effort namely massage of oxytocyn. The purpose of this study was to analyze the effect of oxytocyn massage to the smoothness of breastfeeding in primiparous mother in the Village of Segodobancang Districts of Tarik, Sidoarjo regency. This research design was one group pre test post test design. The population in this study were all primiparous mothers who experienced insufficiency of breastfeeding expenditure in Puskesmas Cimanggis Depok a number of 27 mothers. The sample amounted to 25 mothers with simple random sampling technique. The independent variable was the oxytocyn massage and the dependent variable was the fluency of mother's milk in primiparous. The data collection used observation sheet and questionnaire. The technique of data processing used editing, coding, scoring, tabulating and its statistical test used the statistical test of wilcoxon rank test. The results of this study were obtained from 25 respondents, before Oxytocyn massage was conducted, most of the respondents of their fluidity breastfeeding expenditure of 0 (0%), smoothly enough were 8 mothers (32%), less fluent were 17 mothers (68%), after being conducted oxytocyn massage most of their fluidity breastfeeding expenditure were 25 mothers (100%). The wilcoxon statistical test showed that's the value of p = 0,000 < a (0.05) so that H1 was accepted. The conclusion was that there's an effect of oxytocyn massage to the smoothness of breastfeeding in Puskesmas Cimanggis Depok.

Keywords: Oxitocyn Massage, Fluidity Breastfeeding, Primiparous Mother

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#### 1. INTRODUCTION

Women are creatures who have been blessed by God to be able to conceive, give birth, and breastfeed. The nature given to women is marked by the reproductive organs they have, namely the uterus and all its parts, for the growth and development of the fetus while in the womb, and breasts to be able to breastfeed the child when it is born, which means that all women have the potential to breastfeed their children, the same as their potential to conceive and give birth [1]. The phenomenon that occurs in mothers giving birth to their first child is breastfeeding problems with the inability to produce breast milk [2]. In addition, mothers often complain that their babies cry or refuse to breastfeed. Sore nipples do not contain breast milk [3]. Often interpreted as not having enough breast milk or not tasting good, it often causes the decision to stop breastfeeding [4].

In Indonesia, exclusive breastfeeding remains far from the national target. by 80%. The results of the survey Demographics Health Indonesia (IDHS) 2023 show that coverage giving breast milk exclusive baby 0-6 months is only 42% [5]. Based on data from the East Java Health Office [6][7], the coverage of exclusive breastfeeding in west Java Province was 68.3% [8]. Based on Leni's profile data [9], the coverage of exclusive breastfeeding was 8,598 (56.89%) out of 15,111 babies. In 2024, there were 13,574 (54.5%) of 24,942 babies. Compared to the 2024 target of 75%, the achievement of exclusive breastfeeding in Puskesmas Cimanggis Depok is still far below this target. In Puskesmas Cimanggis Depok, 152 babies were exclusively given breast milk. From the introduction of studies on

during in Puskesmas Cimanggis Depok, nine mothers obtained seven breastfeeding mothers who experienced irregular expenditure ASI and two said that milk production was smooth [10].

The benefits of breast milk are not balanced by breastfeeding, so babies do not receive breast milk properly. Several factors are thought to be the cause of babies not getting breast milk properly, one of which is the mother's knowledge [11]. The mother was reluctant to breastfeed because of pain during breastfeeding, fatigue during breastfeeding, and concerns about changes in the breasts after breastfeeding. Socio-cultural factors, lack of family, and environmental support in the breastfeeding process also greatly influence the breastfeeding process [12]. Lack of health education regarding factors that can increase production of breast milk also influences knowledge of primipara, which can cause a lack of breast milk volume [13]. None of the mothers postpartum directly out breast milk because expenditure breast milk is an interaction that is very complex between mechanical stimulation, nerves, and various hormones that influence the production of oxytocin [14]. The release of the hormone oxytocin is influenced not only by the baby's sucking but also by influenced by receptors located in the duct system, if the duct widens or becomes soft, then oxytocin is reflexively released by the pituitary gland which plays a role in squeezing milk from the alveoli [15].

Breast milk production can be influenced by two factors, its production and release. Breast milk production is influenced by prolactin, while its release is influenced by oxytocin [16]. The hormone oxytocin will come out through stimulation of the nipples through the baby's mouth sucking or through massage on the mother's spine, with done massage on which will feel calm, relaxed, increase the pain threshold, and love her baby, so that the hormone oxytocin is released and breast milk will come out quickly [17]. Massage or stimulation of the spine, neurotransmitters will stimulate the medulla oblongata directly sends a message to the hypothalamus in the posterior pituitary to release oxytocin which causes the breasts to release milk [18]. Massage in the spinal area will also relax tension and relieve stress and thus hormones oxytocin out and will help with expenses of breast milk, assisted by the baby's sucking on the nipple immediately after the baby is born under normal condition [19].

Based on the description above, the researcher is interested in conducting a study on "The Effect of Oxytocin Massage on the Smoothness of Breast Milk in primiparous mothers". Based on the background of the above problem, the problem in this study can be formulated as: "Is there an effect of Oxytocin Massage on the smoothness of breast milk in primiparous mothers at the Cimanggis Depok Health Center?"

#### 2. METHODS

A method used in this research is pre-test, experiment (experimental activities aimed at determining the effects that arise as a result of certain treatments) by using a one-group pre-test post-test design, namely design experiments that use one group of subjects and carry out measurements before and after treatment [20]. This sample consisted of 25 primiparous mothers who breastfed for one month after giving birth in September-October at the Cimanggis Depok Health Center [21].

# 3. RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

# 1. Characteristics Respondent Based On Age

The age characteristics explained the age of the respondents. The results of the review of respondent characteristics based on age were as follows [22]:

Table 1.Distribution Respondent Frequency Based On Type Age At The Cimanggis Health Center, Depok.

Age <20	Amount (Mother)	Percentage (%)	
<20	5	20	
20-25	18	72	
>25	2	8	
Total	25	100	

# 2. Characteristics Respondent Based On Education Final

The characteristics of the final education explain the respondents' last education. The results of the review of respondent characteristics based on last education are as follows [23]:

Table 2. Distribution Frequency Respondent Based on Education Final Mother Primipara at Cimanggis Health Center, Depok

Education Last Number (Mother)	Percentage (%)		
SD/MI 0	0		
Junior High School / Mts 0	0		
Senior High School / Ma 17	68		
PT 8	32		
Total 25	100		

The table, shows that the majority of respondents had a high school education and 17 mothers (68%).

# 3. Characteristics Of Respondents Based On Work

Job characteristics explain the respondents' jobs. The results of a review of respondents' characteristics based on their work are as follows [24].

Table 3. Frequency Distribution of Respondent Characteristics Based On Work at The Cimanggis Health Center, Depok

Work	Amount (Mother)	Percentage (%)	
housewife	11	44	
Self-employed	0	0	
Private	12	48	
Farmer	0	0	
civil servant	2	8	
Total	25	100	

# 4. Characteristics Respondent Based On Maintenance Breast

The characteristics of breast care will explain the breast care carried out by the respondents. The results of the review of respondent characteristics based on breast care were as follows [25]:

Table 4. Frequency distribution of respondent characteristics based on breast care at the Cimanggis Health Center Depok

<b>Maintenance Breast</b>	Amount (Mother)	Percentage (%)		
Yes	2	8		
No	23	92		
Total	25	100		

As shown in Table show the 23 mothers (92%) did not receive breast care.

## 5. Characteristics Respondent Based On Drug Launcher Breast Milk

The characteristics of breast milk stimulant drugs will explain their consumption. by respondents. Results of the review of characteristics Respondents based on breast milk stimulant drugs are as follows [26]:

Table 5. Frequency Distribution of Respondent Characteristics Based on Breast Milk Stimulant Drugs at Cimanggis Health Center, Depok

Drug Launcher Breast M	lilk Amount (Mothe	er) Percentage (%)
Yes	18	72
No	7	28
Total	25	100

The table, shows that the majority of respondents, namely 18 mothers (72%), consumed breast milk-stimulating drugs.

# **Data Special**

Specific data from respondents in this study included the smoothness of breast milk in primiparous mothers before being given oxytocin massage, the smoothness of breast milk in primiparous mothers after being given oxytocin massage, and cross tabulation [27][28]. Effect of oxytocin massage on the smoothness of breast milk in primiparous mothers at the Cimanggis Depok Health Center. The results review description data specifically in the form of a table as follows [29]:

# 1. Smoothness Of Breast Milk In Primiparous Mothers Before Oxytocin Massage At The Community Health Center

Table 6. Frequency Distribution Of Respondents Based On The Smoothness Of Breast Milk In Primiparous Mothers Before Oxytocin Massage At The Cimanggis Health Center, Depok

Smoothness breast milk	Amount (Mother)	Percentage (%)	
Fluent	0	0	
Enough Fluent	8	32	
Not enough Fluent	17	68	
Total	25	100	

Based on the table, it can be seen that part big respondents before the administration of oxytocin massage, breast milk production was not smooth for 17 mothers (68%).

# 2. Primiparous Mothers After Oxytocin Massage At Cimanggis Health Center, Depok

Table 7. Distribution frequency Respondent based on smoothness Breast milk in primiparous mothers after oxytocin massage at Cimanggis Health Center, Depok

Smoothness breast milk	Amount (Mother)	Percentage (%)	
Fluent	25	100	
Enough Fluent	0	0	
Not enough Fluent	0	0	
Total	25	100	

The table shows that part big Respondents after being given oxytocin massage, 25 mothers (100%) experienced smooth breast milk production.

# Tabulation Cross Influence Massage Oxytocin To Smoothness Breast Milk On Primiparous Mother.

Cross tabulation describes and conveys the results of the effect of oxytocin massage on breast milk smoothness in primiparous mothers. The results are presented in the following cross-tabulation table:

Table 8. Tabulation Cross Influence Oxytocin Massage on The Smooth Flow Of Breast Milk In Primiparous Mothers At The Cimanggis Depok Health Center

	Smoothness breast milk							
	Massage Oxytocin	1	Smooth	Enoug	gh	Less		Total
			Smooth Smooth					
		%		%		%		%
Before	0	0	8	32	17	68	25	100
After	25	100	0	0	0	0	25	100
After	25	100	0	0	0	0	25	100

Based on Table show that known existence change amount Respondent before done treatment in the form of oxytocin massage, most of the breast milk production was not smooth, amounting to 17 mothers (68%), while the number of respondents after the treatment in the form of oxytocin massage, most of the respondents had smooth breast milk production, amounting to 25 mothers (100%) [30]. The results of this study were strengthened by the results of the Wilcoxon difference test. The p value obtained was 0.000. The p-value of this research shows a p-value  $< \alpha$  (0.05), which means having a difference mark that is very meaningful. Based on the fluency value of breast milk before and after massage, oxytocin showed that before oxytocin massage, the majority of respondents' breast milk production was not smooth, whereas after massage oxytocin, some big expenditure respondents breast milk fluent so that we can conclude that there is influence massage [31].

#### 4. CONCLUSION

- 1. The smoothness of breast milk in primiparous mothers before oxytocin massage at the Cimanggis Depok Health Center showed that, most of the breast milk production was not smooth.
- 2. The smooth flow of breast milk in primiparous mothers after oxytocin massage at the Cimanggis Depok Health Center showed that, most of the breast milk production was smooth.
- 3. There is Influence Massage Oxytocin To Smoothness breast milk in Cimanggis Health Center, Depok.

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