ABSTRACT

Relationship between Intimacy and Family Satisfaction in Adolescents with Divorced Parents

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Divorce is currently still a widespread problem in Indonesia. Divorce can have an impact on children, especially teenagers. Where, the teenage stage is the most difficult stage in life. Divorce of both parents can make teenagers feel low family satisfaction. Intimacy is a supporting factor that strengthens family satisfaction for teenagers. The aim of this research is to determine the relationship between intimacy and family satisfaction in adolescents with divorced parents. This research uses quantitative methods by conducting correlation analysis. Respondents in this study were teenagers aged 10-21 years whose parents divorced when they were teenagers. Data collection in this study used the Family Satisfaction Scale measurement tool developed by Zabriskie and Ward (2013) and the Functional Analytic Psychotherapy Intimacy Scale (FAPIS) developed by Leonard et al., (2014) via an online questionnaire. The research results show that there is a significant positive relationship between intimacy and family satisfaction in adolescents with divorced parents (rho=0.559, p<.001). This shows that the higher the intimacy, the higher the family satisfaction, and vice versa

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