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“THE RELATIONSHIP OF THE INTENSITY OF THE USE OF MASK TO THE EVENT OF MASKNE (MASK OF ACNE) IN HOSPITAL I LAGA LIGO, EAST LUWU DISTRICT IN THE ERA OF THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC”

ABSTRACT

Background: The covid-19 pandemic is a problem that is happening almost all over the world. To minimize the impact of the covid-19 disaster, the government took the next step to renew the living system by implementing the new normal. In the new normal era, people are asked to live side by side with the covid-19 virus where everyone can do activities outside the home the same as before the pandemic. However, with condition that they must continue to carry out health protocols in accordance with the standards set by the Ministry of Health. One of the requirements of the health protocol set by the ministry of health is to use personal protective equipment in the form of masks. However, this creates a new problem in the form of skin disorders. This phenomenon is being popular lately called “Maskne” or mask of acne which means acne caused by using a mask for too long.

Objective: This study aims to determine the relationship between the intensity of the use of masks and the incidence of masks at I Laga Ligo Hospital, East Luwu District in the covid-19 pandemic era.

Methods: The type research that will be used in this research is a observational study. By using a cross sectional approach

Results: There is no significant relationship between the intensity of the use of masks and the incidence of masks in the I Laga Ligo Hospital, East Luwu District, where the p value = 0,318.

Conclutions: There is no relationship between the intensity of the use of masks with the incidence of acne vulgaris at the I Laga Ligo Hospital, East Luwu District

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