

# Educational training changes the perception of social work team's smoking cessation

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# Introduction

Since "Tobacco Hazard Prevention Act" in January 2009 in Taiwan, the medical system is also to prevent second-hand smoke in hospital. The dean is invited to take the oath, use posters, radio, slogans ...etc, and education to promote smoke-free. Social workers & volunteers actively involved in this program. In order to enhance of smoking cessation knowledge, through education and training, the team have been enhanced to the patients and their families, Propaganda to smoking cessation knowledge.

# Purpose

- 1. Exploring the changes in education and training to the social work team's cognition of smoking cessation.
- 2. Enhance the intelligence of the social worker team on the clinical practice of smoking cessation.
- 3. Provide the reference for the hospital-related medical team to establish a smoking cessation policy.

### Methods

The sample of this thesis was social worker team. The survey was used pretest and posttest, and statistical analysis:

- 1. 16 social workers and 75 volunteers
- When a social worker uses staff meeting, he or she should consult a professional doctor for physical course training and comply pretest and posttest.
- Volunteers use the semi-annual conference report to invite professional doctors to conduct physical course training, and to test both before and after, and to make a Q&A discussion.

Social workers participate in smoke-free education

### Results

- Sixteen social workers were tested and found that their pretest average score was 57.5 and the posttest average score was 94.4. Shows smoking cessation knowledge has grown substantially.
- 2. 75 volunteers were tested and found that their pretest average score was 68.7 and the posttest average score was 96.4. In the after-satisfaction entity course, Q&A discussions have achieved remarkable results.
- after education satisfaction: Very satisfied with 60% (45 people), satisfaction 40% (30 people), and total satisfaction is 100%.



Smoking cessation physicians serve as educational training/instructors to enhance awareness of smoking bans

# **Conclusions& Comments**

- 1. Diversified education and training has a significant effect on the promotion of smoke-free environment. It is very helpful to social workers and volunteers team through paper, entity and online digital courses.
- 2. Social workers use their professional knowledge to promote cognitive change in smoking cessation, which is beneficial to the practice of smoking cessation, and thus contributes to the smoke-free environment.
- 3. From the after education satisfaction survey, understanding the two-way communication(Q&A) through the site is very helpful for the future.

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