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Abstract

Introduction: The optimal development of toddlers requires both support and control from parents. Support refers to the emotional warmth that parents give to their children, as well as their supportive acts with respect to the individual needs and plans of their children. **The aim of the study:** The study aimed to assess the health problems of toddler after mother deprivation and evaluate the effect of mother deprivation on growth and development of toddler. **Research design:** Descriptive design utilized in carrying out of this study. **Subject:** A Convenient sample composed of 110 of toddlers at the outpatient clinics and emergency department of EL Mansoura Pediatrics University Hospital. **Tools: 2 tools** , Interviewing questionnaire to assess demographic data, of the toddlers, health problems of toddler and toddler physical examination sheet and Likert scale sheet. **Results:** 65.2% the studied toddlers with maternal deprivation had health problems, 43.5 % of the studied toddlers with maternal deprivation had moderate growth and development and 36.5% of them had delayed growth and development. **Conclusion:** Based on the study finding it concluded that, there are statistical significant differences between child lives with, duration of deprivation from the mother, cause of deprivation of mother, availability of the father with the child and their growth & development. In addition, there is statistical significant difference between growth & development of the studied toddler with maternal deprivation and their health problems. **Recommendation:** Maternal deprivation children need better rearing care, with physical and psychological support, particularly those with fathers.

Keywords: Toddler, Growth and Development, Health Problems, Maternal Deprivation

Introduction

The minor stages that begin from twelve months and touch thirty-six months older characterized by quick changes. Additionally, are often the foremost exciting and difficult time for fogeys and pediatricians? The foremost necessary developments for toddlers are in language and social skills; however, progress is clear altogether areas as development yield on the normal lines of emotive, motor, cognitive, and physical growth **(Kay, inexperienced & Sharma, 2016).**

Attachment theory provides a relevant framework at intervals that to research organic process outcomes associated with institutionalization because of it emphasizes the necessary role of the first two parent-child relationship for toddler's eudemonia. Secure toddlers expertise constant accessibility and luxury from caregivers, and this sense of confidence within the caregiver at the same time mirrored during a feeling of confidence in his/her interactions with the planet. This method promotes reconciling social-emotional development **(Barlow, van der Voort, Juffer, & Bakermans-Kranenburg, 2014; Groh et al., 2014).**

Maternal deprivation could also be partial; happens if the separation between mother and child happens or a brief time or if the mother will see the kid over short periods. Maternal deprivation could also be total if a whole separation happens between the mother and therefore the kid thanks to abandonment or death of the mother or by divorce (**Barlow, 2016**)

Toddlers have lost their mothers thanks to separation, abandonment, or death. A significant issue that has to be addressed within the scenario of orphanage-reared toddlers is that several of those toddlers have not solely been raised while not a permanent relationship mother, however have conjointly toughened deprivation of food, clean environments, health care, and sensory expertise (**Noel, Francis & Tilley, 2017**).

The complicated effects of stress caused by multiple and/or prolonged caregiver separations on attachment relationships for toddlers combined within the presence of trauma (**Barlow, 2016**). Attachment theory provides an overarching framework for understanding the many negative effects of caregiver separations on toddler's socio-emotional development. Within the context of trauma, parental

separations will have any negative implications on toddler's development (**Neece, inexperienced & Baker, 2012**).

A minor toddlers are helpless, delicate and tender and therefore the mother has to take special care so the kid grows up to be healthy and robust. Each kid ought to get correct food, ample sleep and rest, regular bathing, appropriate wear and wishes to immunize against Diseases (**Ansari & Winsler, 2016**).

The role of nursing is currently simpler than ever. Because the nurses begin to bring their services and health promotion and malady hindrance messages into communities wherever folks live and work. Nonetheless, this is often not new as nursing encompasses a long honorable history in serving folks at their homes, work and their communities (**Yetka, 2014**).

The role of fogeys and family is extremely necessary at this important stage during a child's life. They must be keen to encourage him showing emotion, mentally and showing emotion and provides him full support so he will get eliminate the worry, that afflicts him whenever he thought to require a revolution. The kid begins his first steps with some

worry of falling to the bottom, thus he is keen to stay to the items close him, like walls, article of furniture **(Negrao et al., 2014)**

The Significance of the Study

Life during a single parent family or broken home is often trying for each the kid and therefore the parent. Such families are baby-faced with challenges of inadequate money resources **(Children Defense realize, 2004)**. If youngsters from unstable homes compared with those from stable homes, it might see that the previous have additional social, tutorial and emotional issues **(Schultz, 2006)**.

The family and its structure play an excellent role in children's tutorial performance **(WHO, 2012)**. In Egypt, the amount of divorces and therefore the number of dead mothers accrued and there are several youngsters suffer from psychological and physical disorders. The incidence of divorces throughout 2015 was 250,000 divorce cases, a rise of eighty 9,000 from 2014 and Egypt registered the primary world divorce cases **(El-yome Elsabea, 2017)**.

Aim of the Study

This study was aimed to assess the health problems of a toddler after mother deprivation and evaluate the effect of maternal deprivation on growth and development of toddler through the following:

Research Objectives:

- Assess the health problems of a toddler after deprivation of mother.
- Evaluate the effect of maternal deprivation on growth and development of a toddler.

Research Question

1. What are the health problems of a toddler after mother deprivation?
2. What is the effect of maternal deprivation on growth and development of toddler?