ABSTRACT

Work is an important aspect in life. Each individual wants to have a suitable job according interest for life satisfaction. To get a good job, it requires maturity or readiness to work. One of the factors of work readiness is emotional intelligence.

A lot of work will be a part of all types of work, especially a nurse. With high emotional intelligence will help individuals to create good working conditions so that to produce good work performance.

This research was conducted at STIKES Aisyiyah in Bandung with emotional intelligence as independent variable and work readiness as the dependent variable. The purpose of this study was to determine emotional intelligence and work readiness at STIKes Aisyiyah in Bandung. In addition, to determine the effect of emotional intelligence to the work readiness nursing students at STIkes Aisyiyah in Bandung.

The population in this study were nursing students of STIKES Aisyiyah Bandung. The method applied in this study is a quantitative method with the aim of descrptive research. Data analysis in this study through descriptive statistical analysis, normality test, autocorrelation, heteroscedastisity test, simple regression analysis, coefficient of determinan, hypotesis test T test. Based on the resluts of the test and data analysis, it can be concluded that emotional intelligence has a significant effect on work readiness by 27%.

The results of this study are expected to provide input to STIKES Aisyiyah educators with leaderhip training and counseling programs ti improve the abality to lead adn improve low emotional intelligence and the evaluation of practical learning to improve work ability.

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