

ABSTRACT

The family is the smallest social system that exists in the community that lives under one roof together and is interdependent, which is legalized by marriage. However, in the family there are often disagreements between family members, and if there is a turbulent argument it will cause a loss of mutual need and trust in the partner which will eventually lead to divorce. As a result of divorce, children can get less affection from their parents, which makes a child mentally frustrated, arrogant and unruly, and can reduce the communication relationship between children and parents. This study aims to find out how the interpersonal communication between parents and children from a broken home due to divorce. The research method used is qualitative with a case study approach. The results obtained are not all broken home children, communication with their parents is not effective. And parents have an important role in starting to communicate with children so that the relationship will be good.

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