



**ABSTRACT**

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***The Effectiveness of Audio Therapy with Surah Ar Rahman Recital to Reduce Violence Behavior in RSJD Dr. Amino Gondohutomo Semarang***

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*Multidimensional crisis happening in this country, especially economical crisis has caused an increasing of mental disorder patient incidence. The treatment management of this patient in hospital still causes side effects that cannot be avoided. It needs more effective new management for violence behaviour treatment. The aim of this research was to know the effectiveness of audio therapy with surah Ar Rahman recital to reduce violence behavior in RSJD DR. Amino Gondohutomo Semarang. This research was a quasy experimental research with pre-test post-test nonequivalent control group design. The measuring instrument used in this research was Staff Observation Aggression Scale-Revised (SOAS-R). The total respondents of this research were 83 divided into two groups: 60 respondents as the treatment group and 3 respondents as the control one. The statistical test which compared these two groups showed that there was a significant difference of pretest-posttest decreasing value between the treatment and control groups based on Wilcoxon test with p value 0.000 that was less than error value ( $\alpha$ ) 0.05. Z tabel of this test was -4.605 that was out of Ho range  $\pm 1.96$ . This value showed that additional giving of therapy audio with Ar Rahman recital to the treatment group was more effective in reducing violence behavior in RSJD DR. Amino Gondohutomo Semarang compared with the control one that did not get the therapy. Hospital side was expected to apply this therapy for violence behavior pastients for cutting short patient lenght of stay and reducing side effect of drugs that gave to patients.*

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