

ABSTRACT

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Overview of the Quality of Life of child singing beggars

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This research was conducted with the aim of obtaining a picture of the quality of child singing beggars life, the problems they face when doing the activity, and all factors influencing the quality of life of child singing beggars. Thus, the picture of quality of life can be obtained through activities carried out by the child singing beggars. This research uses qualitative research methods with in-depth interviewing techniques, on four street children who enter school age according to Erick Erickson. This research refers to the WHOQOL-BREF (1996) questionnaire regarding quality of life, as well as a theory that addresses the quality of life of children (Sirgy, 2012). The result of this research illustrates all subjects have poor quality of life, this is based on a valuation of the whole aspects, and it can be concluded that three of four aspects, which are physical health, social relation, and relationship with the surroundings, showing the bad results.

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