

## ABSTRAK

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*Nurse's Experience in Applying "The Peaceful End of Life" Theory to Terminal Patients at Charitas Hospital KM 7 Palembang*

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**Background:** *Terminal disease is a disease experienced by a person. It cannot be cured and resulting in death. The nurse is the closest person who first cared for a terminal patient other than family.*

*Patients with terminal diseases desperately need nurses to listen to their complaints. Terminal patients appreciate the relationship with nurses, with their family or closest people. So that pain is overcome by the presence of people around them, feel comfortable, close to their relatives, feel valued even with conditions they experienced, a feeling of peace so that the patient is calm.*

**Objective:** *this study aims to obtain in-depth information about the experience of nurses in applying the Peaceful End Of Life theory to terminal patients in the Inpatient Room of Charitas Palembang Hospital.*

**Method:** *This study used a qualitative method with a phenomenological approach consisting of three participants.*

**Results:** *The results of the study were obtained in six ways: 1) the knowledge of the nurse regarding terminal patients 2) the action of the nurse over the pain 3) the action of the nurse fulfilling the feeling 4) the treatment of the nurse's need for respect 5) the action of the nurse involved the closest person 6) the care act fulfilled peace. Based on the results of the study, the nurse is expected to overcome pain, feeling uncomfortable, feel appreciable, be able to involve the person closest to the patient, and give a sense of peace to the terminal patient.*

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