Factors Affecting Women’s Perception about Mode of Childbirth based on different locality

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Abstract:

Abstract: Egypt Demographic and Health Survey (EDHS) in 2014 approved that more than fifty percentage of babies born by CD which considered twofold of proportion of caesarean deliveries in 2008. Aim: This study intends to study the factors affecting women’s perception about mode of delivery through explores the most factors affecting on women’s perception about the mode of childbirth and to compare differences of women’s perception due to a different locality. Methodology: A comparative analytic study conducted in the outpatient clinics from November to December 2015 and include 184 participants. Results: Mean age of study participants was 30.9±8.2 and 29.5±5.4 years in Assiut and Zagazig respectively. Most common (59.6% & 68%) of the studied (Assiut & Zagazig) groups mentions that vaginal delivery is the ideal mode of delivery. Conclusion: Most of participants’ perception was positive toward natural characteristic of vaginal delivery and approved the same opinion about physician as the main decision maker for their caesarean delivery. Recommendation: Increase women's awareness about caesarean and vaginal delivery risks before the benefits and redirection of them toward nature's way of delivery during antenatal care visits via nurse/physicians.

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