# Influence of Work Environment Noise to Productivity of Employee Performance of Sidoarjo District

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#### **ABSTRACT**

Employees of the Sidoarjo Regency Health Office have a great responsibility in developing and improving health, especially in Sidoarjo Regency but the location of the Sidoarjo Regency Health Office is less strategic because it is located in the center of the traffic crowd which has an impact on employee performance. This study aims to analyze the noise of the work environment on the productivity of the performance of the employees of the Sidoarjo Regency Health Office.

This research was observational analytic type. The sampling technique in this study used total sampling, as many as 30 people. The instruments of this research were questionnaire and sound level meter.

Data analysis techniques include editing, coding, data entry, and conducting univariate and bivariate analysis techniques. The results of this study are: the majority of Sidoarjo Health Office employees experience high noise with an average noise intensity of 71.01 dBA; most employees of the Sidoarjo Health Office (56.7%) had good work productivity; and there is an influence of environmental noise on employee performance productivity Sidoarjo Health Office with a  $p_{\text{value}}$  of 0.020 <0.05.

To improve employee productivity, employees of the Sidoarjo Health Office are expected to submit noise complaints to the leaders of the Sidoarjo Health Office so that they can be addressed immediately and arrange sitting positions while working away from sources of noise and the Health Office is expected to be able to monitor the noise levels of the workspace of employees and immediately make efforts to reduce employee room noise.

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#### 1. INTRODUCTION

Employees are the main source of an organization that cannot be replaced by other resources, because no matter how good an organization, complete facilities and facilities will not be useful without having employees manage, use and maintain it. The success of the agency in achieving its goals is one reflection of an effective and efficient organization. How well employees perform their work significantly influences organizational productivity and performance. There are three main factors that affect how existing individuals work. These factors are the ability of individuals to do work, the level of effort expended, and organizational support [1].

Civil servants or State Civil Apparatus (ASN) as government apparatus and as public servants are expected to always be ready to carry out their duties properly and ready to serve the community well. The implementation of duties and work in general is an obligation for employees in the organization. Civil servants are required to always work with high enthusiasm so that in providing services to the community does not seem slow, lazy, and reluctant. The spirit of work for civil servants is needed to improve services to the community so that its quality as the main resource in the agency appears. The quality of human resources can improve the progress of an agency. In an effort to improve the quality and ability of human resources needed a careful planning and strategy with planned and organized activities so that everything can run smoothly [2].

Employee performance in the organization is the answer to the success or failure of organizational goals that have been set. According to [3] in Coaching for Performance, performance is the implementation of the functions required of a person or a company, an achievement, a general role skill.

The work environment is anything that is around workers that can affect themselves in carrying out the tasks that are charged, for example cleanliness, sound, music and others [4].

Sidoarjo Regency Health Office is one of the agencies engaged in the field of health with the task of running health affairs. This agency has a vision towards "Healthy Sidoarjo Independent and Fair". The mission of the Health Service is to drive health-oriented development, encourage the realization of community independence for a healthy life, realize, maintain and improve quality health services, equitable and affordable, increase efforts to control and overcome health problems and improve and utilize health resources [5].

Results of Performance Evaluation of Sidoarjo Regency Health Office Staff in 2017 and 2018

Work Behavior	Weight (%)	2017 Capation Value	Score (%)	Weight (%)	2018 Capation Value	Score (%)
Discipline	10	80	8	10	75	7,5
Responsible	10	80	8	10	75	7,5
Cooperation	10	85	8,5	10	80	8
Leadership	10	75	7,5	10	80	8
Work Quality	20	85	17	20	75	15
Work Quantity	20	85	17	20	75	15
Job Skills	20	80	16	20	70	14
Ar	nount		82			75

The performance condition of employees at the Sidoarjo Regency Health Office has decreased from 2017-2018 in all aspects from 82 % to 75 %. In mid 2017, the organizational structure in the Sidoarjo Health Office underwent a change so that there was also a change in the layout of the room in the field related to serving health personnel licensing which has its own building located close to the traffic center because it is directly adjacent to the west ring road and the station Pagerwojo.

#### 2. RESEARCH METHOD

This research uses observational analytic research using a time approach. Based on the approach, this research uses a cross sectional approach. Cross Sectional Research is an approach to study the dynamics of the correlation between risk factors and ethics by means of an observation or data collection approach at one time [6].

The population in this study were employees of the Sidoarjo Health Office in the field of Health Resources totaling 17 people and in the field of Health Services totaling 13 people. The totals population is 30 people.

According to [7] the sample is part of the number and characteristics possessed by the population. The sampling technique in this study uses total sampling. Total sampling is a sampling technique where the number of samples is equal to the population [8]. Samples taken from this study were 30 people.

#### 3. RESULTS AND DISCUSSIONS

# **Noise Intensity Measurement in the Work Environment**

Noise intensity measurements are carried out in a room area Health Resources and Health Service Rooms. Based on the results measurement of noise intensity, the magnitude of the average noise intensity during 4 hours at 5 measurement points can be seen in the following table:

No	Point of Measurement	Average Noise Intensity (dBA)
1	1	70,28
2	2	70,18
3	3	69,01
4	4	72,18
5	5	73,40
	Average	71,01

# b. Distribution of average noise in the Health Care Room Sidoarjo Health Office

No	Point of Measurement	Average Noise Intensity (dBA)
1	1	63,26
2	2	65,74
3	3	61,90
4	4	65,90
5	5	63,62
	Average	64,08

c. The magnitude of the average noise intensity in the Health Office Sidoarjo Regency when compared with Minister of Health Regulation Number 48 of 2016, can be seen in the following table:

Location	Intensity Noise	NAB	Information	Amount Employee
Room Resource Health	71,01	65	Above NAB (High noise)	17 (56,3%)
Room Service health	64,08	65	Under NAV (Low noise)	13 (43,3%)
	Totals			30 (100 %)

The average noise intensity in the room Health Resources is above the NAV of 71.01 dB (A) which is categorized high, while the average intensity the noise in the Health Services room is below the NAV which is 64.08 dB (A) which is categorized as low. Number of respondents in the room environment Health Resources as many as 17 people. while the number of respondents who are in the Health Service environment as many as 13 people. With Thus the majority of respondents in this study experienced noise high that is equal to 56%, while a small portion ie 43.3% experienced low noise.

### d. Employee Performance Productivity Rating

No	Category	Score	Amount (Employee)	Percentage
1	Very bad	30 - 47	0	0,0 %
2	Bad	48 - 65	0	0,0 %
3	Enough	66 - 83	4	13,3 %
4	Good	84 - 101	17	56,7 %
5	Very good	102 - 120	9	30,0 %
	Totals		30	100

# e. Environmental Noise Against Employee Productivity at the Sidoarjo Health Office in 2019

	Noise					Totals	
<b>Productivity the performance</b>	L	Low		High		Totals	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	
Enough	6	36,2	15	88,2	21	70,0	
Good	7	53.8	2	11,8	9	30,0	
Very good	13	100,0	17	100,0	30	100,0	

# f. Fisher Test Results The Effect of Environmental Noise on Employee Productivity in Sidoarjo Health Office in 2019

		Chi-Square Tests			
	Value	df	Asymp. Sig. (2-sided)	Exact Sig. (2-sided)	Exact Sig. (1-sided)
Pearson Chi-Square	6,212a	1	,013		
Continuity Correction <sub>b</sub>	4,370	1	,037		
Likelihood Ratio	6,392	1	,011		
Fisher's Exact Test				,020	,018
Linear-by-Linear Association	6,005	1	,014		
N of Valid Cases	30				

- a. 1 cells (25,0%) have expected count less than 5. The minimum expected count is 3,90
- b. Computed only for a 2x2 table

Fisher's test can be seen that the  $P_{value}$  at sig 0.05 = 0.020 which shows a  $P_{value}$  <0.5 so that it can be stated that  $H_0$  is rejected and  $H_1$  is accepted, meaning that there is an influence between noise on employee performance productivity

#### 4. CONCLUSION

The conclusions obtained from this study are:

- a. Most of the Sidoarjo Health Office employees experienced high noise.
- b. Most employees of the Sidoarjo Health Office have good performance productivity.
- c. There is the influence of environmental noise on the productivity performance of the Sidoarjo Health Office employees

#### 5. SUGGESTION

Suggestions obtained from this study are:

- a. It is expected that Sidoarjo Health Office employees can proactively submit noise complaints experienced to the leaders of the Sidoarjo Health Office so that they can be addressed immediately and can anticipate noise by adjusting the sitting position when working that can stay away from sources of noise.
- b. It is expected to be able to monitor the noise level of employees' workspaces and immediately make efforts to reduce employee room noise that can interfere with employee performance and productivity using sound dampers in the room, adjusting the location or position of the room far from the noise center.

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