ABSTRACT

Discrimination and negative stigma that has developed in the

community formed a negative self-concept for PLWHA (people living with

HIV / AIDS). They initially extrovert, good, positive attitude, can be directly

modified to be introver.

PLWHA require interaction and communication to share and add their

information about the disease. One of them is to join support groups. The

purpose of this study was to determine how communication patterns and

problems and constraints on the development of communication PLWHA

(people living with HIV / AIDS) in the Community House Bandung Plus Pine

peer support groups.

That methodology used in this research is descriptive qualitative. The

main source of data obtained from interviews and observations, while

supporting data obtained from documents and other supporting data.

Technical analysis is performed by the data reduction, data presentation and

conclusion.The sampling technique used in this case research is purposive

sampling technique.

Based on the results, the coaching process PLWHA in Community

House Fir Bandung Plus Support Group starting from the introduction, the

recruitment process, and the process of coaching. In each of these processes

there is a process of interpersonal communication and communication

kelompok.komunikasi valence self disclosure communication problems and

constraints on the development of peer support groups of PLWHA in

komunikas House Fir Bandung which is a beneficiary who did not take

medication regularly, have been taking medication but not taken organized,

and run from pendamping.Di Moreover, the persistence of some members

helped less open and do not want to mingle with other members is also a

problem in the coaching process.