

学位論文審査結果の要旨

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<p>(学位論文審査結果の要旨)</p> <p>Describing the factors that influence the process of making a shared-agenda in Japanese family physician consultations: a qualitative study</p> <p>著者らは論文において下記の内容を述べている。</p> <p>BACKGROUND: Patients cannot always share all necessary relevant information with doctors during medical consultations. Regardless, in order to ensure the best quality consultation and care, it is imperative that a doctor clearly understands each patient's agenda. The purpose of this study was to analyze the process of developing a shared-agenda during family physician consultations in Japan.</p> <p>METHODS: We interviewed 15 first time patients visiting the outpatient clinic of the Department of Family Medicine in the hospital chosen for the investigation, and the 8 family physicians who examined them. In total we observed 16 consultations. We analyzed both patients' and doctors' narratives using a modified grounded theory approach.</p> <p>RESULTS: For patients, we found four main factors that influenced the process of making a shared-agenda: past medical experiences, undisclosed but relevant information, relationship with the family physician, and the patient's own explanatory model. In addition, we found five factors that influenced the shared agenda making process for family physicians: understanding the patient's explanatory model, constructing the patient-doctor relationship, physical examination centered around the patient's explanatory model, discussion-styled explanation, and self-reflection on action.</p> <p>CONCLUSIONS: The findings suggest that patient satisfaction would be</p>			

increased if family physicians are proactive in considering these factors with respect to both the patient's agenda, and their own

以上の如く、患者の agenda のみならず、医師の agenda についても考慮することで、より高い患者の満足度を得られる可能性を示唆した論文であり、学術上極めて有用であり、学位論文として価値のあるものと認めた。

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