THESIS TITLE: THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN HEAD NURSES' SUPERVISION
IN NURSING PROCESS AND THE IMPLEMENTATION OF
NURSING PROCESS BY REGISTERED NURSES IN HOSPITALS

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ABSTRACT

The purpose of this descriptive research study is to investigate the relationships between head nurses' supervision in nursing process and the implementation of nursing process by registered nurses in hospitals under the ministry of university affairs. A sample of three hundred and fifty three registered nurses was taken from In-patient of hospitals under the ministry of university affairs. A multi-staged random technique was used. The research instruments were specially developed questionaires consisted of demographic data, head nurses' supervision in nursing process and the implementation of nursing process by registered nurses. The questionaires constructed by the researcher and validated by the experts. The reliability coefficients of questionaires on the head nurses' supervision in nursing and the implementation of nursing process by registered nurses in the targetted registered nurses group was 0.98 and 0.95 (for Cronbach's Alpha Coefficient test) respectively. The data was analysed by using an SPSS/PC* for percentage, mean and standard error of mean. The statistical method used for testing the hypotheses were Pearson's Product moment Correlation Coefficient and the t-test.

Research findings were:

- 1. Head nurses' supervision in nursing process showed moderate level.
- 2. The implementation of nursing process by registed nurses showed high level .
- 3. Head nurses' supervision in nursing process showed positive significant correlation with the implementation of nursing process by registered nurses among the study sample (r = 0.518, p < 0.001).