

PERAN DINAS SOSIAL DALAM PEMBERDAYAAN PENYANDANG DISABILITAS DI KABUPATEN LINGGA

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ABSTRAK

Penelitian ini mengkaji Peran Dinas sosial Dalam Pemberdayaan Penyandang Disabilitas Di Kabupaten Lingga. Problematika penelitian ini menunjukkan bahwa pemberdayaan masyarakat penyandang disabilitas masih belum merata. Penelitian ini bertujuan untuk mengetahui Peran Dinas Sosial Dalam Pemberdayaan Penyandang Disabilitas Di Kabupaten Lingga didasari pada 3 indikator peran menggunakan pendekatan peran menurut Ndraha dalam Labolo (2010) terdiri dari 3 indikator yaitu Peran Pemerintah Sebagai Regulator, Peran Pemerintah Sebagai Dinamisator, Peran Pemerintah Sebagai Fasilitator. Penelitian ini melalui metode Deskriptif dengan pendekatan Kualitatif. Hasil penelitian ini berdasarkan indikator peran pemerintah sebagai regulator dikatakan belum maksimal karena belum adanya kebijakan khusus dari pemerintah daerah terkait permasalahan penyandang disabilitas, peran pemerintah sebagai dinamisator terlihat sudah maksimal karena sudah ada upaya dari Dinas Sosial dalam melakukan koordinasi dengan multi pihak terkait permasalahan penyandang disabilitas, peran pemerintah sebagai fasilitator belum maksimal dilihat dari belum meratanya pendidikan dan fasilitas penunjang bagi masyarakat penyandang disabilitas di tempat umum. Kesimpulan dari penelitian ini adalah peneliti melihat bahwa peran dinas sosial terhadap pemberdayaan penyandang disabilitas di Kabupaten Lingga belum maksimal terlihat dari belum meratanya program bantuan yang dirasakan serta kurangnya fasilitas penunjang bagi penyandang disabilitas.

Kata Kunci: Peran, Pemberdayaan, Penyandang Disabilitas

THE ROLE OF THE SOCIAL SERVICES IN EMPOWERING PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES IN LINGGA DISTRICT

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ABSTRACT

This study examines the role of social services in empowering persons with disabilities in Lingga district. The problems of this research show that the empowerment of people with disabilities is still uneven. This study aims to determine the role of the Social Service in Empowering Persons with Disabilities in Lingga District based on 3 role indicators using a role approach according to Ndraha in Labolo (2010), consisting of 3 indicators namely the Government's Role as Regulator, Government's Role as Dynamicator, Government's Role as Facilitator. This research uses a descriptive method with a qualitative approach. The results of this study based on indicators of the government's role as a regulator are said to be not optimal because there is no specific policy from the local government related to the problems of persons with disabilities, the role of the government as a dynamicator seems to be maximized because there have been efforts from the Social Service in coordinating with multi-stakeholders regarding issues of persons with disabilities, the government's role as a facilitator has not been optimal as seen from the uneven distribution of education and supporting facilities for people with disabilities in public places. The conclusion of this study is that researchers see that the role of social services in empowering persons with disabilities in Lingga District has not been maximized, as can be seen from the perceived uneven distribution of assistance programs and the lack of supporting facilities for persons with disabilities.

Keywords: *Role, Empowerment, Persons with disabilities*