AS LIFE STRESSORS INCREASE, DO EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT VISITS INCREASE?

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ABSTRACT

Study goal: To examine whether type of stressor and number of stressors predict emergency department utilization among perinatal women.

Purpose: Life stressors, across all domains, predict emergency department visits among perinatal women. The outcome variable of interest was number of emergency department visits.

The number of stressors had a stronger association with number of emergency department visits than the domain of the stressor.

Conclusion: Life stressors, across all domains, predict emergency department visits among perinatal women.

RESULTS: Univariate

PREDICTORS: STRESSORS

RESULTS: Bivariate

RESULTS: Multivariate

REFERENCES


