

## A Comparative study of Death Anxiety of Old Persons

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### Abstract

The present paper investigation focus on a comparative study of Death Anxiety of old persons living in the family and in the Institution. The sample of the present study consists of 200 old Persons. The age range of use is 50-55 years. These 200 old persons belong to both the sexes to various families and institutions of Aurangabad city. Random sampling technique is used for the selection of the respondents. Present research paper tools to be used Death anxiety scale constructed and developed by Upinder Dhar, Savita Mehta and Santosh Dhar. The findings are of the study there are significant differences between means scores of old people living in the family and institutionalized old people living in the family and institutionalized old people on death anxiety. No significant gender differences are observed in death anxiety. This indicates that gender has no influence on death anxiety. The results revealed that considerable score of Death Anxiety prevailed amongst the sample.

**Keywords:** Anxiety, Death Anxiety, Old age

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