

## **ABSTRACT**

*Social Theory Approach In Nursing Care For Patients With Sensory Perception Disorders: Auditory Hallucinations Through Conversation Therapy in Bantur Village, Malang Regency. Jihan Ashilah (2024). Thesis. Applied Professional Nursing of Nursing Malang. Politeknik Kesehatan Kemenkes Malang, Main Conselor Esti Widiani, S.Kep., Ns., M.Kep.*

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*Hallucinations are perceptual disorders where there is a false sensory experience without any sensory stimulation from outside or inside, or there is a wrong sensory perception. The client experiences changes in sensory perception: false sensations in the form of sound, sight, taste, touch or smell. Hallucinations are influenced by two factors: predisposing factors and precipitating factors. The author is interested in applying a social theory approach through conversation therapy for patients with auditory hallucinations. The aim of this research is to analyze the social theory approach in nursing care for sensory perception disorders: auditory hallucinations through conversation therapy in increasing the ability to control hallucinations. This nurse's final scientific work uses the case study method by practicing conversation. Data collection uses interviews, observation, nursing care, documentation. The evaluation results obtained positive, the client rarely heard whispering voices that disturbed the client, so it can be concluded that the social theory approach with conversation therapy can reduce signs and symptoms in hallucinating patients because by carrying out this therapy the client will focus on efforts to improve social relationship skills. By carrying out conversation therapy, patients can also increase the intensity of their social interactions, clients will be able to validate their perceptions of people.*

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