

MORAL DILEMMA AND HELP SEEKING BEHAVIOR FOR GAY

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ABSTRACT

Gay has occurred more often these modern days, which is not common in terms of sexual behaviour. For Indonesian society, that behaviour is against their view, since they uphold the norm of law and religion as part of their life, and therefore it may lead to a Moral Dilemma. Usually a person that experiences this dilemma would seek help from others (hence the term "Help Seeking Behaviour"). Because of that, this experiment had a purpose of knowing how gay with Moral Dilemma seek help. The method that was used in this experiment were qualitative, specifically by case study approach that was performed by two gay as well two "Significant Others" as the experiment subjects. Furthermore, observation and deep interview were carried out throughout the experiment as data collection methods. Result shown, that both subjects experienced Moral Dilemma and both of them were also aware, that seeking help was necessary. However this was merely their thoughts and intention, because subjects were not courageous enough asking for professional help or even telling their closest one concerning their problems.

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