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## **An Overview of Violence in the Elders: A Literature Review**

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### **ABSTRACT**

**The Backgrounds:** The increasing elderly population in Indonesia continues to grow. The elderly are individuals who experience physiological, psychological, and social changes. Therefore, the elderly is vulnerable to violence. Elder abuse persists in various areas in Indonesia. However, cases of elder abuse are often hidden because they are considered unimportant and the victims do not know where to report it.

**The Objectives:** The purpose of this study was to describe the incidence of acts of violence in the elderly.

**The Methods:** The method used in this study was a literature review by searching for articles in the PubMed and Google scholar databases with the keywords: Elderly or Aged or Geriatric or Elder and Abuse or Violence with article limits from 2011-2021. There were five articles found. They had been critically reviewed using Strobe instruments.

**The Results:** The results based on the five articles analyzed showed some characteristics. Most of the respondents were 60-70 years old (51%), female (61%), had very low education or illiterate (49%), married (70%), and lived with a partner (33%). The type of violence that was often experienced by the elderly, namely psychological violence is found to be 41%.

**The Conclusions:** Based on the five articles analyzed, it can be concluded that the most violence experienced by the elderly is psychological violence. Therefore, the role of nurses is needed to provide services for families to prevent acts of violence in the elderly.

**Keywords:** *Violence; Elderly*