

Abstract

Introduction: Birth preparedness and complication readiness is a key component of focused antenatal care used to encourage uptake of maternal and neonatal care services. However, in Ethiopia there is scarcity of comprehensive evidences regarding to its practice and predictors. The aim of this study was to assess the magnitude and predictors of birth preparedness and complication readiness among antenatal care attendants at Butajira General Hospital, Gurage Zone, Southern Ethiopia.

Methods: A facility-based cross-sectional study was employed from April 1-30, 2019. Structured and pretested

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