

**Experiences of Females with Stroke about Receiving Care  
from Family Members at Home in Bangladesh**

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The research set out to explore the experiences of females with stroke about receiving care from family members at home in Bangladesh. Research find out which family members are providing care in the home, the type of care provided by family members and the expectations of female with stroke on their family members about care giving. For this reason a qualitative grounded theory research design is chosen. Researcher followed “snow balling” sampling method to produce the entire sample or participants’ collection. Data are collected by Bangla and using of audio recorder. From the content analysis to data found type of care, supporting members within the family and expectation of the female with stroke within the family at home. They are getting care through treatment and facilitate to perform regular activities from the help of the family members. Husband and Daughter are the main supporting members within the family whose are provide regular care for female with stroke. Their expectation are discuss about family matter, company with them and also given proper eating themselves, cooking their choices food, give regular bathing, reach outside of the home and also washing their cloth during having care from the family members. The study also discloses some indications for the professional and placement student. At last the findings of the study will help the Occupational Therapist whose are work with female with stroke.

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