

Stress During Pandemic Among Early and Middle Adulthood

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Abstract : Stress is natural term which alludes to the results of the disappointment of a human or creature body to react fittingly to enthusiastic and actual dangers to the organic entity, are real or envisioned it incorporates the condition of alert and adrenaline surge, momentary obstruction as a method for dealing with stress, strong pressure, powerlessness to focus and an assortment of actual responses, for example, migraines and sped up pulse. In this pandemic situation every individual is very much stressed due to joblessness, daily expenses, family problems, etc. and the study is to measure the stress level of the individuals during pandemic. The questionnaire that has been used in this study was "perceived Stress Scale". The sample size of the study consists of 180 individuals in which 90 are males and 90 are females. In this research, simple random sampling and correlation research design has been used. By comparing the male and female data shows that males had more stress than the females in the group. By comparing, early adulthood and middle adulthood shows that middle adulthood were highly stressed. The calculated (P. Value) 0.012 is less than the 0.05. Hence, we reject null hypothesis. Therefore, there is a significant difference between age and stress level. The calculated (P. Value) 0.253 is more than the 0.05. Hence, we accept null hypothesis. Therefore, there is a no significant difference between gender and stress level.

KEYWORDS: Pandemic, stress level, early adulthood, middle adulthood.

I. Introduction

STRESS

Stress is natural term which alludes to the results of the disappointment of a human or creature body to react fittingly to enthusiastic and actual dangers to the organic entity, are real or envisioned it incorporates the condition of alert and adrenaline surge, momentary obstruction as a method for dealing with stress, strong pressure, powerlessness to focus and an assortment of actual responses, for example, migraines and sped up pulse. Stress may characterize as "a condition of undertaking including request on physical or mental energy". A condition or situation, which can upset the typical physical and psychological well-being of a person. In clinical portrayal 'stress' is characterized as an annoyance of the body's homeostasis. This interest on mind-body happens when it attempts to adapt to unremitting changes throughout everyday life. A 'stress' conditions, analysts say, are firmly associated with human wellbeing however with some restraint stress is ordinary and, by and large, demonstrates helpful. Stress, regardless, is inseparable from negative conditions. Today, with the quick changes the human action, we have run over up close and personal with numerous reasons for pressure and side effects of pressure and sadness. When all is said in done, stress is identified with both outer and inward factors. Outside factors incorporate your actual climate, your work, associations with others, your home, and every one of the circumstances, difficulties, troubles, and assumptions you're faced with consistently. Inward factors decide your body's capacity to react to, and manage, the outside pressure including factors. Inside factors which impact your capacity to deal with pressure incorporate your wholesome status, in general wellbeing and wellness levels, passionate prosperity, your capacity to control pressure through unwinding procedures or different methodologies, and the measure of rest and rest you get. Overseeing pressure, in this manner, can include learning tips to change the outside factors which stand up to you or the inside factors which reinforce your capacity to manage what comes your direction. The first and most generic definition of stress as that proposed by Hans Selye. "Stress is the nonspecific response of the body to any demand". Other definitions have evolved to cater for different situations for example, cognitive. Stress is one of modern life's primary mental health concerns. It is our body's reaction to unmanageable pressure from a situation or life event resulting in emotional, behavioural, or bodily changes.

There are at least three different types of stress

- Routine stress related to the pressures of work, family, and other daily responsibilities
- Stress brought about by a sudden negative change, such as losing a job, divorce, or illness
- Traumatic stress, which happens when you are in danger of being seriously hurt or killed. Examples include a major accident, war, assault, or a natural disaster. This type of stress can cause post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD)

History :

The expression "stress" was first utilized by the endocrinologist Hans Selye during the 1930s to distinguish physiological reactions in research center creatures. He later widened and promoted the idea to incorporate the insights and reactions of people attempting to adjust to the difficulties of regular daily existence. In Selye's phrasing, "stress" alludes to the response of the living being, and "stressors" to the apparent danger. Stress in specific conditions might be capable emphatically. Eustress, for instance can be a versatile reaction inciting the initiation of inside plan of action to address difficulties and accomplish objectives. The term is ordinarily utilized by laypersons in an allegorical as opposed to strict or natural sense, as a catch-for any apparent challenges throughout everyday life. It likewise turned into a doublespeak, a method of alluding to issues and inspiring compassion without being unequivocally confession booth, just "worried". It covers an enormous scope of wonders from gentle bothering to the sort of extreme issues that may bring about a genuine breakdown of wellbeing. In well-known use practically any occasion or circumstance between these limits could be depicted as upsetting. Everybody feels focused now and again. Not all pressure is terrible. All creatures have a pressure reaction, and it tends to be life-saving. However, persistent pressure can cause both physical and mental mischief.

Sign and symptoms of stress:

Indications of overabundance or ineffectively oversaw pressure can be incredibly changed. While numerous individual reports that pressure prompts cerebral pains, rest unsettling influences, sensations of uneasiness or strain, outrage, or focus issues, other may whine of despondency, absence of interest in food, expanded craving, or quite a few different side effects. In serious circumstances, one can encounter overpowering pressure to the mark of supposed "burnout", with loss of interest in ordinary exercises. Logical examinations have shown that mental pressure may more regrettable the side effects of pretty much every known ailment. Instances of conditions in which stress may demolish the force additionally has impacts on the resistant framework. While a few investigations of indications incorporate cardiovascular illness nor hypertension, it might really demolish the movement of these sicknesses in numerous person. Stress show that intense momentary pressure may really have the option to help the body's insusceptible reaction, persistent (long haul) stress wears "down" the invulnerable framework, prompting an expanded powerlessness to colds and different contaminations. Logical examinations have likewise shown that pressure can diminish the invulnerable reaction to immunizations and delay wound recuperating.

Stress during pandemic:

During this pandemic circumstance each person in India and all through the world is confronted and dealing with numerous issues. Among that, stress is the principle factor that affected all the person on the planet. In India more than 1 crore individual were influenced by covid19 (crown) and it isn't about that solitary person who is influenced will be endured their family, family members, neighbors and numerous people around them would be concerned and endured and get into pressure. Also, a considerable lot of them can't find a solitary line of work or work for their day by day needed costs, a large number of them can't go to their proficient work (demise, marriage, and so forth...) this will prompt pressure in their life. School, school going kids may endure because of the online classes they were seeing the contraptions for the entire day they may have or got some actual issues. In that circumstance they may feel aggravation, they show their feelings in the limit way like outrage, miserable, bliss, and so forth... Some individual may appreciate the lockdown in light of the fact that their work will be more distressing than the pandemic circumstance. In any case, they may likewise feel so pressure in monetary worth, family loads, and so forth A large number of them where dreaded and restless about the new infection and the demise because of the infection and the lockdown in the India. Because of this pandemic circumstance each individual falling into difficulty in their everyday life exercises and they were encountering numerous issues throughout everyday life. The tale Covid illness 2019 (COVID-19) pandemic is a worldwide general wellbeing emergency of a scale not recently knowledgeable about present day times. Legislative 'lockdown' measures pointed toward limiting infection transmission including 'Stay at home' orders, conclusion of organizations and spots of assembly, and travel limitations have had a meaningful cultural effect that pervades pretty much every aspect of day-by-day life. These boundless changes address extensive wellsprings of stress in the populace and will effectively affect mental and actual wellbeing going ahead. As countries rise out of 'lockdown', the blow-back to human wellbeing brought about by these limitations has become the overwhelming focus, and emotional wellness issues, especially stress-related conditions and results, are unmistakable among them. The basic for systems to help with overseeing pressure and limiting corresponding medical conditions has become a need. In this critique, we diagram how pressure reappraisal intercessions, which have gone to the front as of late, might be a conceivably solid, financially savvy approach to oversee pressure during and post-pandemic, and limit the wellbeing outcomes. The wellbeing danger presented by the spread of SARS-cov-2, the infection that causes COVID-19, and worries about its consequences for family, companions, and associates, addresses a meaningful wellspring of stress itself. Past this, the social impacts of the lockdown estimate like worries over accessibility of food and family merchandise and social confinement additionally present as significant stressors. Likewise, authorized conclusion of everything except fundamental administrations have left numerous in danger of joblessness and confronting monetary vulnerability. Many have lost their essential kind of revenue, which raises the unwanted possibility of failure to bear the cost of fundamental expenses of living including lodging and food. Such dangers are especially set apart among those on low livelihoods and underserved networks who effectively live check to-pay check and have restricted admittance to medical care or advantages, and face lodging and food instability. Financial vulnerability, consequently, addresses a further wellspring of stress especially in weak gatherings. People utilized in forefront labor forces are likewise among those at higher danger. These specialists have been straightforwardly answerable for keeping up fundamental administrations during the lockdown, and have been appeared to encounter considerable expansions in pressure and vicarious injury. Past research in comparative settings, for example, calamities and other horrendous accidents combined with information from zones previously influenced by the infection, for example, China and South Korea have noted meaningful expansions in local area feelings of anxiety.

Need for the study:

In this pandemic situation every individual is very stressed due to joblessness, daily expenses, family problems, etc. And the study is to measure the stress level of the person in this pandemic. And it is to find which gender is more stressed in this pandemic due to covid19. Stress mainly comes from academic tests, interpersonal relations, relationship problems, financial, and career exploration. Such stress may usually cause psychological, physical, and Behavioral problems. Taking all these factors into account an effort is made to understand the stress and emotional adjustments of individual in the earth.

The Problem:

The main problem is stress of the individual's life in this pandemic situation. Individual may suffer due to many problems like money, family issues, death, relationship problems, joblessness, academic, career, etc. The study is to measure the stress level of the person in the pandemic situation.

II. Review of literature

Dr. Deepti Bhargava and Hemand Trivedu (2018) did a research study on "A study of stress management among youth" finding reveals that youth was highly stressed. Bhumija Sharma, Survana prasad, Rajesh Pandey, K.S. Sodhi, Daisy Wadhwa (2013) did a research study on "Evaluation of stress among post graduate of medical and dental students" and the findings reveals that 14% of

- students had no stress, 54% of students had Suffering mild stress, 22% of students had moderate stress level, 10% of students had Severe stress level.
- K. Jayashankar Reddy, Karishma rajan menon, Anjana Thattil (2018) did a research study on “Academic stress and its sources among university students” and the findings reveals that male have more stress compared to females.
- Michaela C. Pascoe, Sarah E. Hetrick, Alexandra G. Parker (2019) did a research study on “The impact of stress on students in secondary school and higher education” and the findings reveals that 66% feeling stressed about poor grades, 59% often worry, 37% feeling tense when studying with girls.
- Maria Guadalupe Acosta Gomez etc... (2018) did a research study on “The stress in high school students” and the findings reveals that 54% normal, 39% lower and 7% high.
- Vivek B. Waghacha Vare, Girish B. Dhumale and Alka D. Gore (2011) did a research study on “A study of stress among students of professional colleges from urban in india” and the findings reveals that students from all three field of education are exposed to stress.
- Nichole Willson (2014) did a research study on “A study into the impact of stress on individuals” and the findings reveals that every individual is stressed in their financial and economical etc.
- Sarah C. Sturm Beaver (2019) did a study on “The stress and adversity inventory for adults” and the findings reveals 41% high stress group, 14% low and 46% moderate.
- Ayele mamu Abebe (2018) did a study on “The prevalence of stress and associated factors among regular students” and the findings reveals level of stress II was 48.3% III was 28.1% IV was 23.6%.
- Irene Kong Che Lin (2019) did a research study on “Stress management among students in university” and the findings reveals that 1st year has 13.8% of stress, 2nd year has 18.5% of stress, 3rd year has 10.8% of stress and 4th year has 59.9% of stress.
- Saravana.K and Muthulakshmi.K (2019) did a research study on “A stress management among employees in nationalized banks” and findings that reveals that nationalized bank employees as a whole are found to be more than half good management level on stress.
- Bharathi.T (2018) did a research study on “The study of job stress and influence on productivity among women employees in its sector” and findings that reveals that job stress has no demographic characteristic.
- Kamala deep bhui, Sakratis and Stephen (2016) did a research study on “Perception of work stress cause and effective intervention in employees working in public and private nongovernmental organization” and findings that reveals that the participants referred less frequency to individual interventions.
- Harajyoti Mazumdar (2012) did a research study on “Comparative study on stress and its contributing factors among the graduate and post graduate students” and findings revealed that government college students have high stress.
- Archana Kumari and Jagrati Jain (2014) did a research study on “Examination stress on anxiety study of college students” and findings revealed that the stress is high during the examination.
- Shireen Hashmat (2008) did a research study on “Factors causing exams stress in medical students” and findings revealed that the student indicates moderate level of exam stress.
- Abdul Najeeb Khan (2013) did a research study on “Prevalence of exam related stress in a private medical college” and findings revealed that the students who are regular participants in class performed well in the examination.
- Dr.Fathima islahi (2017) did a research study on “Women work and stress” and findings reveals that the general there was no significant difference in the stress levels of working and non-working women.
- Muntazir Moqbool Kermal (2016) did a research study on “A psychological study on stress among employed women and housewives and its management through progressive muscular relaxation technique” and findings reveals that employed women 60.78% level stress and housewives 43.3% level of stress.
- Sayyed Meysam Dibaji, Sayyed Hamid Reza Oreyzi and Mohammad Reza Abedi (2017) did a research study on “Occupation or home comparison housewives and working women in the variable of stress, depression and perception of qualitative, mental and emotional home demands” findings reveals that working women has higher perception of quantitative and mental requirements because of having limited time.
- Hae Sook Jeon and Ruth E. Dunkle (2011) did a research study on “Stress and depression among the oldest - old: A longitudinal analysis” findings reveals that longitudinal results shows that changes in positive life events worries and mistry changes in late life depression.
- Geetha Mani, Sharath udayakumar, Kalaivani Annamalai, and D.Jagadeep (2014) did a research study on “Perceived levels of stress and its correlates among residents of old age home” findings reveals that 18% high and 60% moderate.
- Stephen L Brown, Brandye D Nobilling, James Teufel, and David A Birch (2011) did a research study on “Are kids too busy? Early adolescents' perceptions of discretionary activities over scheduling and stress” findings reveals that the primary predictor for the desire for more free time was hours of screen time.
- Lella Valizadeh, Allreza Farnam, and Mahni Rahkar Farshi (2012) did a research study on “Investigation of stress symptoms among primary school children” findings that revealed that more than half of the subjects facing stressful events.
- Dawit Ylkealo, Werede Tareke and Ikali Karvinen (2018) did a research study on “The level of stress among college students: in the college of education, Eritrea institute of technology” findings that reveals that moderate level of stress.
- Maria Rastam and BJorn Axel Johnson (2019) did a research study on “Parenting stress and its correlates in an infant mental health unit” findings that reveals that Depression was a predictor for parenting stress for both mother and fathers.

Gebrezabher Niguse Hailu (2020) did a research study on “Practice of stress management behaviors and associated factors among undergraduate students” findings reveals that 58% poor and 48% good.

Maria Spinelli, Francesca, Lionetti, Massimiliano Pastore and Mixco Fasolo (2020) did a research study on “Parenting stress and children's psychological problems in families facing that pandemic” findings reveals that the perception of the difficulty of quarantine is a crucial factor that undermines both parents and children's well-being.

Ellya Susilowati and Mira Azzasyofia (2020) did a research study on “The parents' stress level in facing children study from home in the early pandemic” findings reveals that

75.34% moderate level of stress and 10.31% high level stress.

Changwon Son, Sudeep Hegde and Farran Sasangohar (2020) did a research study on

“Effects of pandemic on college students mental health in the united states” findings reveals that 71% increased stress, 91% negative impacts of pandemic, 89% disruptions of sleeping pattern, 86% decreased social interactions and 82% increased concerns on academic performance.

Stefan krumm, Guide Hertel, Markus M. Thielgen (2012) did a research study on “Age and work stress” findings that reveals that age stress is affected by work.

Jana macker (2019) did a research study on “Work stress among older employees: Effects on health and retirement age” findings reveal that lower job control and poorer SRH lead to a lower retirement age.

Mike Martin, Martin Grunedahl (2001) did a research study on “Age differences in stress, social resources, and well being in middle and older age” findings reveals that 41 - 43 year peoples are high in level of stress.

Simiao Chen (2019) did a research study on “The causal effect of retirement on stress in older adults” findings that reduces stress in men but raises stress in women.

Morton Bletresaune and Per Erik Solem (2005) did a research study on “Working conditions and early retirement” finding revealed that men have high stress.

J Korean Med Sci (2018) did a research study on “Job seeking stress, Mental health problems and the role of perceived social support” finding reveals that 39.5% Exhibited clinical level of depression and 15.37% Suicidal ideation.

Chien Cheng Chen (2017) did a research study on “Effect of stress interviews on Collection and recruitment function of employment interviews” finding reveals that 85% has high stress and 15% has low stress.

Gabriele Scecone (2020) did a research study on “Psychological impact of pandemic in pregnant women” finding reveals that 53% has impact of severe stress and 68 % has anxiety.

Lorena Gorcia Fernandez (2020) did a research study on “Gender difference in emotional response to the pandemic” finding reveals that women have severity in symptoms of anxiety, depression and acute stress.

Masoumeh Pourrajab and Mohtaram Rabloans (2014) did a research study on “Different effects of stress on male and female students” findings that revealed the difference between the level of stress of male and female students.

Zamirullah Khan and Abul Barkat Lanin (2015) did a research study on “The level of stress in male and female college students” finding reveals that 19% has very high stress, 37.1% has high stress and 36.6% has moderate stress.

Ramesh Miryala and John Mennakanti (2015) did a research study on “Job stress and coping strategies in men and women” finding reveals that 75% has high stress and 25% has moderate stress.

Stacey B. Scott and Brenda R. Whitehood (2013) did a research study on “Combinations of stressors in midlife” finding reveals that 30% has high and 70% has moderate.

Amir Abdoil and Shahab Falahi (2020) did a research study on “The pandemic psychological stress” finding reveals that 54% has very high stress, 32% has high stress and 14% has moderate.

Schafer S.K and Sopp M.R. Michael T. (2020) did a research study on “Impact of pandemic on public health” finding reveals that 15% has affected high stress and 85% affected moderate stress.

Timothy Baghirst and Belty C. Kelley (2013) did a research study on “An examination of stress in college students” finding reveals that men have high stress.

Subiksha (2018) did a research study on “Stress faced by employees in the information technology sector in India” findings revealed that 60% of professionals were facing stress due to workload.

V. Padna, N.N. Anand and S. Arun (2000) did a research study on “Health problems and Stress in information technology” finding reveals that 54% has depression and 46% has obesity.

Muhammad Ehsan and Kishwar Ali (2001) did a research study on “The impact of work stress on employees' productivity” finding reveals that 20% has high, 40% has moderate and 40% has low.

Ben Hannigan and Deborah Edwards (2004) did a research study on “Stress and stress management in clinical psychology” findings revealing that 40% to be experiencing “caseness” levels of distress.

III. Research methodology :

Research design:

The questionnaire that has been used in this study was “**Perceived Stress Scale**” which was developed by Cohen in 1983. In this questionnaire there are ten questions with positive and negative scoring. To collect the response, we used to google forms to the individuals. The individuals between the age group of 20 to 60 years were selected as the population for our study. The sample size was calculated using the formula and simple random sampling method was used to select the samples. The questionnaire was administered through online mode.

Sample:

The sample size of the study consists of 180 individuals in which 90 are males and 90 are females. The method used in the study is “**simple random sampling**”. And the research design that has been used in this study is correlation research design.

Inclusive criteria:

- Individuals above the age of 20.
- Individuals who are Educated.

Exclusive criteria:

- Individuals below the age of 20.
- Individuals above the age of 60.
- Individuals who are Uneducated peoples.
- Transgender.

Aim:

To find the stress level of early adulthood and middle adulthood during pandemic.

Objective:

- This study and compare the level of stress among early adulthood and middle adulthood.
- This study and compare the level of stress among male and female.

Hypothesis:

- There is no significant difference between male and female in stress level.
- There is a significant difference between early adulthood (20-40) and middle adulthood (40-60).

Variables:

The variables of the study are as follows

Independent variable -

The independent variable included in the study is gender.

Dependent variable -

Dependent variables included in the study involve the stress of an individual during the pandemic.

Data collection:

This online survey consisted of two components:

- Socio-demographic details that include name, age, gender.
- Perceived Stress Scale (PSS) of Sheldon Cohen. The scale consists of ten questions that are used to measure the perception of stress experienced by the participants over the past month. It includes a 5-point Likert scale that capture responses ranging from never to very often. Total mean scores of 0 to 13 are considered to be low stress, 14- 26 indicate moderate stress, and 27-40 indicate high stress. The PSS is a widely used tool with acceptable psychometric properties.

Statistical analysis:

The data collected was tabulated, coded and analysed using the SPSS-16.0 package. The data was assumed to be normal and hence parametric tests were used for analyses. Age and gender were calculated with the mean using the bar-graph and pie chart. An intercomparison between the age and gender was performed using the One-way ANOVA.

Tools:

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Scoring:

Each question consists of five response (never, almost never, sometimes, fairly often, very often). The calculation is using positive marks and negative marks.

IV. Result and Table:

The data for the age and gender for the stress during pandemic was measured. The data was tabulated and coded, following which relevant analyses was carried out. The results of the statistical analyses are discussed as follows:

Table: 1 ONE-WAY ANOVA (GENDER)

Source	Type III Sum of Squares	Df	Mean Square	F	Sig.
Corrected Model	14.964 ^a	40	.374	1.902	.
Intercept	218.108	1	218.108	1.109E3	
Q1	.840	4	.210	1.068	.373
Q2	1.643	4	.411	2.089	.083

Q3	1.059	4	.265	1.347	.253
Q4	3.829	4	.957	4.868	.001
Q5	.058	4	.014	.073	.990
Q6	2.273	4	.568	2.890	.023
Q7	3.553	4	.888	4.517	.002
Q8	1.270	4	.317	1.614	.171
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Q10	.630	4	.158	.801	.525
Error	45.036	229	.197		
Total	810.000	270			
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Table 1 shows that the result of one-way ANOVA shows that calculated (P. Value) 0.012 is less than the 0.05. Therefore, there is a significant difference between age and stress level. Hence, we reject null hypothesis.

Table 2: ONE WAY ANOVA (AGE)

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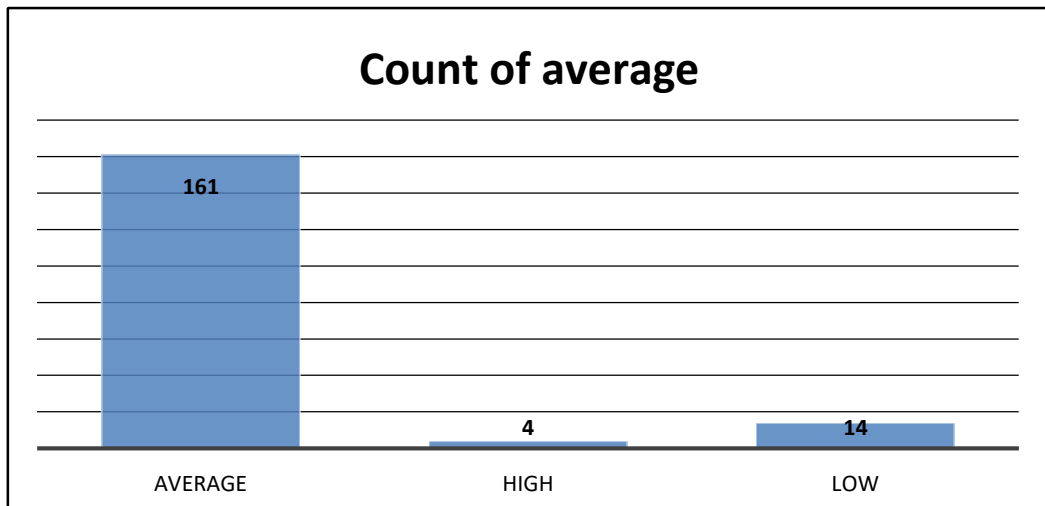
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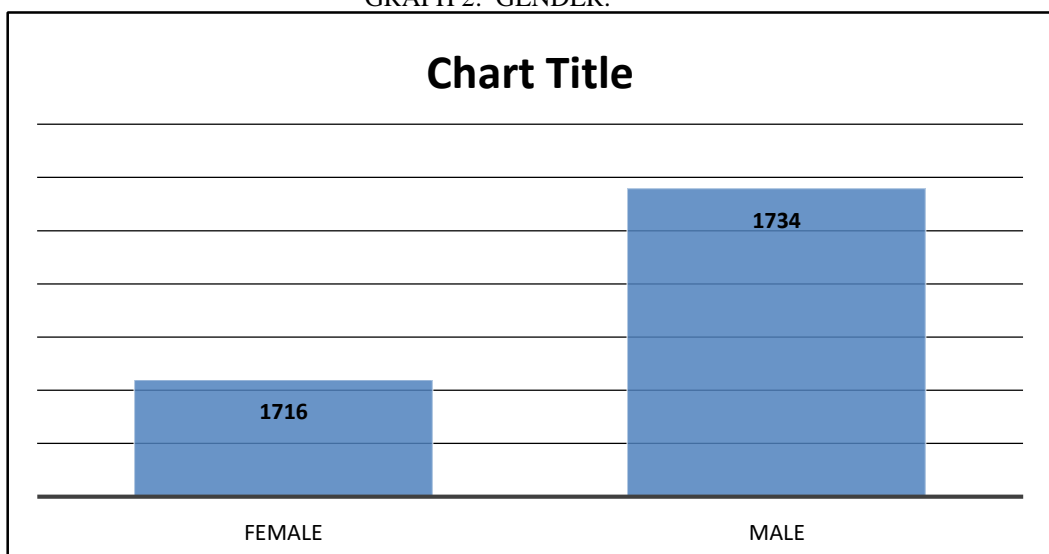
It shows the gender difference of the groups in the population.

TOTAL AVERAGE:



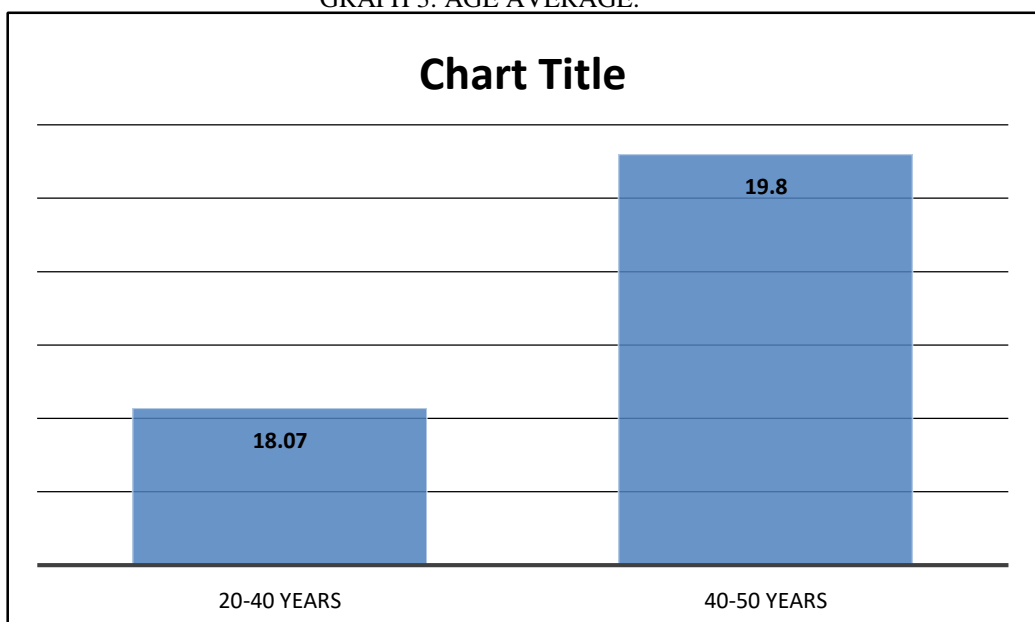
Graph 1 shows the gender variance among the group data shows that 161 individuals has scored average level of stress, 4 individuals has scored high level if stress and 14 individuals has scored low level of stress.

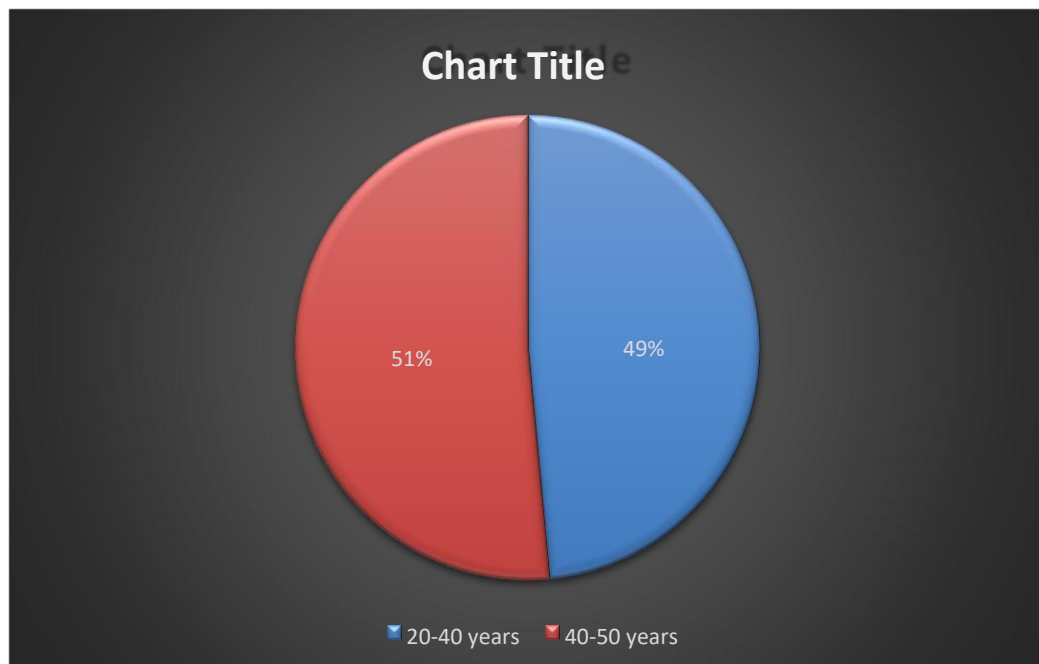
GRAPH 2: GENDER:



Graph 2 shows the dominate level of gender by comparing the male and female data shows that males had more stress than the females in the group.

GRAPH 3: AGE AVERAGE:





Graph 3 shows the age variance of the group data shows that the age between 20 to 40 years has scored 18.07 with the percentage of 49% of stress level and the age between 40 to 60 years has scored 19.8 with the percentage of 51% of stress level. By comparing, early adulthood and middle adulthood shows that middle adulthood were highly stressed.

Result:

- By comparing the male and female data shows that males had more stress than the females in the group.
- By comparing, early adulthood and middle adulthood shows that middle adulthood were highly stressed.
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V. Discussion :

Stress is natural term which alludes to the outcomes of the disappointment of a human or creature body to react suitably to passionate and actual dangers to the organic entity, that are real or envisioned it incorporates the condition of caution and adrenaline creation, transient obstruction as a way of dealing with stress, solid strain, failure to focus and an assortment of actual responses, for example, cerebral pains and sped up pulse. Stress may characterize as "a condition of undertaking including request on physical or mental energy". A 'stress' conditions, therapists say, are impeding to human wellbeing yet with some restraint stress is ordinary and, as a rule, demonstrates valuable. Stress, in any case, is inseparable from negative conditions. Inward factors that impact your capacity to deal with pressure of your dietary status, wellbeing and passionate prosperity, wellness levels, your capacity to control pressure through unwinding methods or different techniques, and the measure of rest and rest you get.

The first definition of stress as that proposed by Hans Selye. "Stress is the nonspecific response of the body to any demand". Other definitions have different situations for example, cognitive. Stress is one of modern life's primary mental health concerns. It is our body's reaction to unmanageable pressure from a situation or life event resulting in emotional, behavioural, or bodily changes. During this pandemic circumstance each person in India and all through the world is confronted and dealing with numerous issues. Among that, stress is the primary factor that affected all the person on the planet. In India more than 1 crore individual were influenced by Coronavirus (crown) and it isn't about that solitary person who is influenced will be endured their family, family members, neighbours and numerous people around them would be concerned and endured and get into pressure. Also, large numbers of them can't find a solitary line of work or work for their day by day needed costs, a considerable lot of them can't go to their proficient work (demise, marriage, and so on...) this will be directed to pressure in their life. School, school going kids may endure because of the online classes they were seeing the devices for the entire day they may have or got some physical problems.in that circumstance they may feel disturbance, they show their feelings in the limit way like resentment, pitiful, joy, and so on... some individual may appreciate the lockdown in light of the fact that their work will be more distressing than the pandemic circumstance. In any case, they may likewise feel so pressure in monetary worth, family troubles, and so on Large numbers of them where dreaded and on edge about the new infection and the passing because of the infection and the lockdown in the India.

The gender variance among the group data shows that 161 individuals has scored average level of stress, 4 individuals has scored high level of stress and 14 individuals has scored low level of stress. By comparing the male and female data shows that males had more stress than the females in the group.

The age variance of the group data shows that the age between 20 to 40 years has scored 18.07 with the percentage of 49% of stress level and the age between 40 to 60 years has scored 19.8 with the percentage of 51% of stress level.by comparing, early adulthood and middle adulthood shows that middle adulthood were highly stressed.

According to the 1st question individual had 0.373 significant, 2nd question shows that individual had 0.83 significant, 3rd question shows that individual had 0.253 significant, 4th question shows that individual had 0.001 significant, 5th question shows that individual had 0.990 significant, 6th question shows that individual had 0.023 significant, 7th question shows that individual shows had 0.002 significant, 8th question shows that individual shows had 0.171 significant, 9th question shows that individual 0.364 significant and 10th question shows that individual had 0.525 significant.

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Conclusion:

- By comparing the male and female data shows that males had more stress than the females in the group.
- The age of 40 to 60 had more stress.
- There is a significant difference between age and stress level.
- There is a no significant difference between age and stress level.
- Hence the study was supported to the Hypotheses.

Limitations:

The following limitations were experienced in the research process.

1. The sample size was limited to 180 participants.
2. Equal numbers of sample were included in the research.
3. Data collection was not restricted to one geographical location.
4. Assessment of the stress was measured.
5. Extraneous factors such as socio-demographic factors, personality and intellectual abilities were not controlled.
6. A follow-up assessment of stress among occupation was not conducted due to inaccessibility of the sample

Suggestions for Future Research:

The above limitations can be addressed by the following suggestions for future research

1. The research can be replicated on a larger sample, at different geographical locations.
2. Follow-up assessments at 3-month, 6-month and 1-year intervals can be performed.
3. The effectiveness of other stress can be established.

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