

Analyzing first aid in textbooks used by non-medical and paramedical students in Nepal: a need of further attention for snakebite management!

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Snakebite prone communities

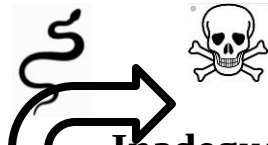
Initial treatment (first aid and pre-hospital care)

Traditional measures

Going to healthcare facilities

Risk of amputation OR increased treatment costs

Current problem



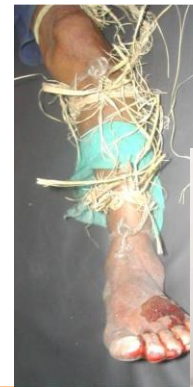
Inadequate OR teaching harmful/useless measures

Inadequate formal education
(first aid and pre-hospital care)

Schools (Grades 1–12)

CTEVT (Paramedical classes)

Universities
(e.g., B.Ed. in T.U.)

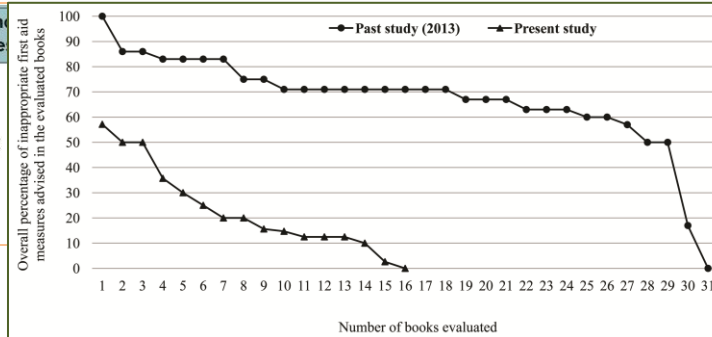


Antivenom not supplied/ not available



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Future perspectives

Schools (Grades 1–12)

CTEVT (Paramedical classes)

Universities
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Improving formal education
(first aid and pre-hospital care)

