

ATTITUDE OF GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES TOWARDS SELECTED GOVERNMENT HEALTH PROGRAMMES

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Abstract

The aim of the study was to analyse the attitude of government employees towards selected government health programmes. For this purpose sample of 30 Madhya Pradesh State Central Government employees were selected from the different departments. Questionnaire was employed to collect the data. 12 statements were prepared considering the different government health programmes such as National Malaria Eradication Programme, National Aids Control Programme, National Tuberculosis Control Programme and National Goitre Control Programmes. All the questions were prepared by consulting with the experts. Provision was made on the right side of each statement to note the attitude of respondent viz Yes/No respectively. The various responses received in terms of government employees towards government health programmes were analyzed by using the descriptive percentage techniques.

Key words: Attitude, Government Employee, Health Programmes and Health

Introduction

There are certain health programmes which need the attention of the central government as the diseases know no barriers. Besides these involve a huge expenditure beyond the capacity of the states. The central government plays a very important part in planning, guiding and coordinating all the national health programmes in the country. The implementation of these programmes is done at the state level. These programmes are not static as new programmes can be added and old programmes can be deleted from this list. Ninth plan has analyzed these programmes and suggested certain initiation having a thrust on “intrigretive” approach.

Attitude is a pre-disposition or readiness to respond in a pre determined manner of relevant stimuli. It is particular feeling about something or our inclination toward the liking and disliking. Attitude is formed on the basis of integration of experiences, differentiation of experiences, or trauma of dramatic experience.

Method

A total number of 30 Madhya Pradesh State Central Government employees were selected from the different departments by mean of personal visitation of the scholar himself.

Description of Questionnaire

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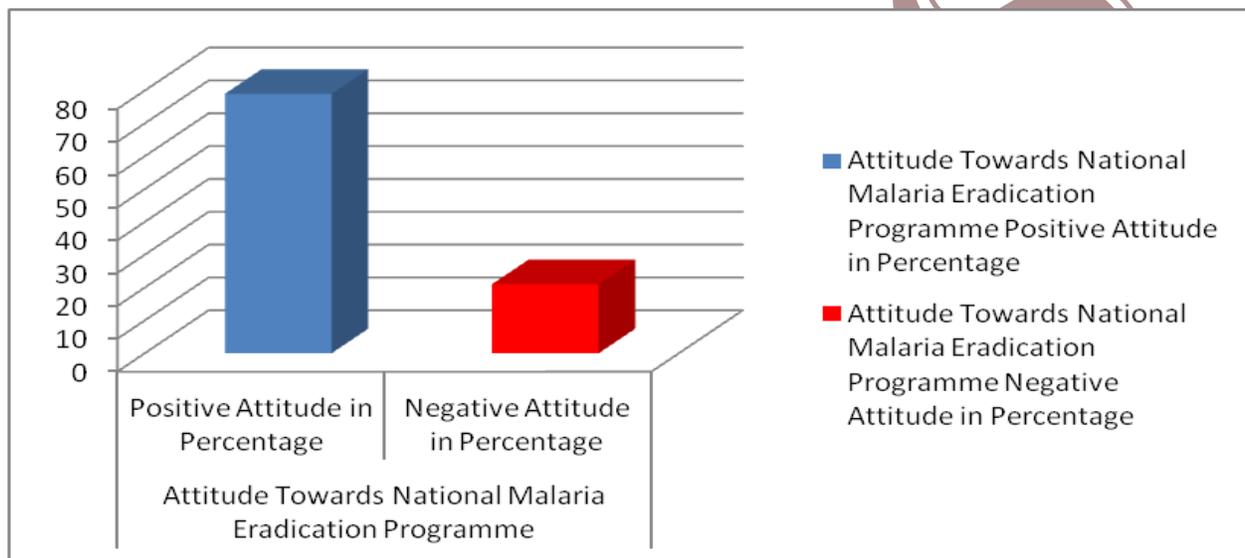
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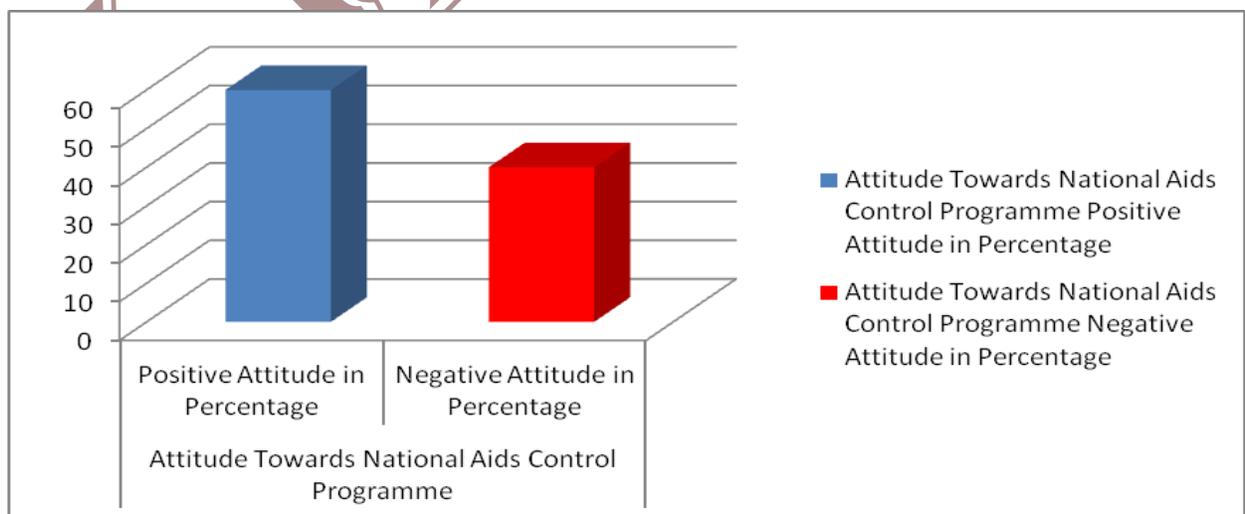
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Discussion of Finding

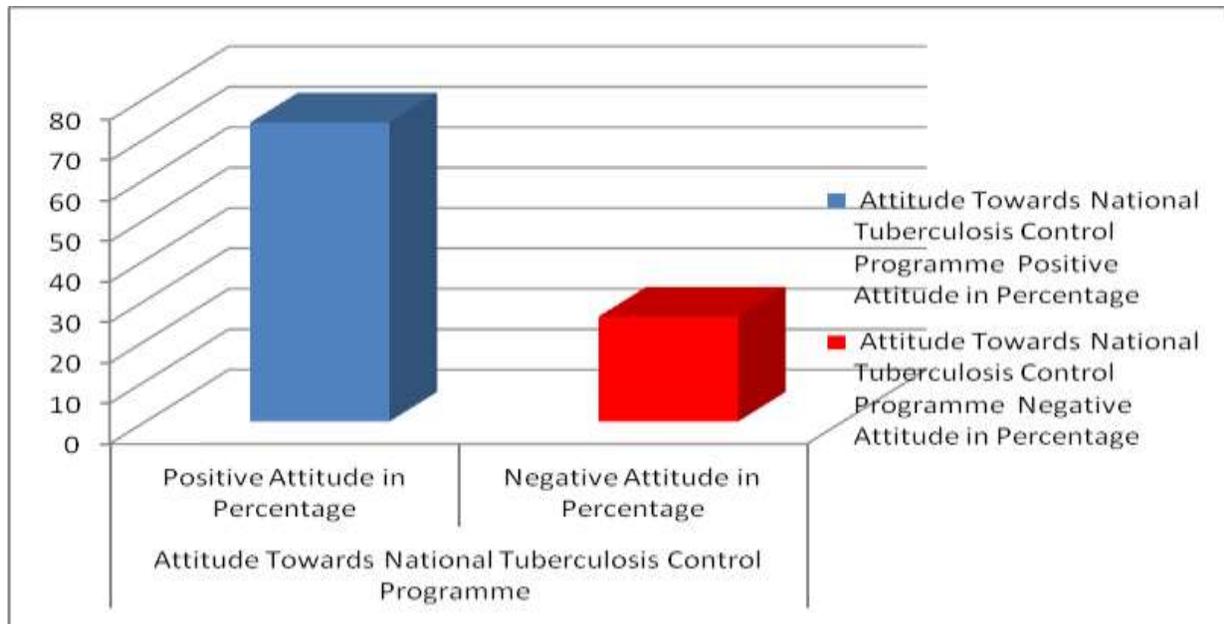
The statistical finding in terms of National Malaria Eradication Programme that 79 % of employees has the positive attitude.



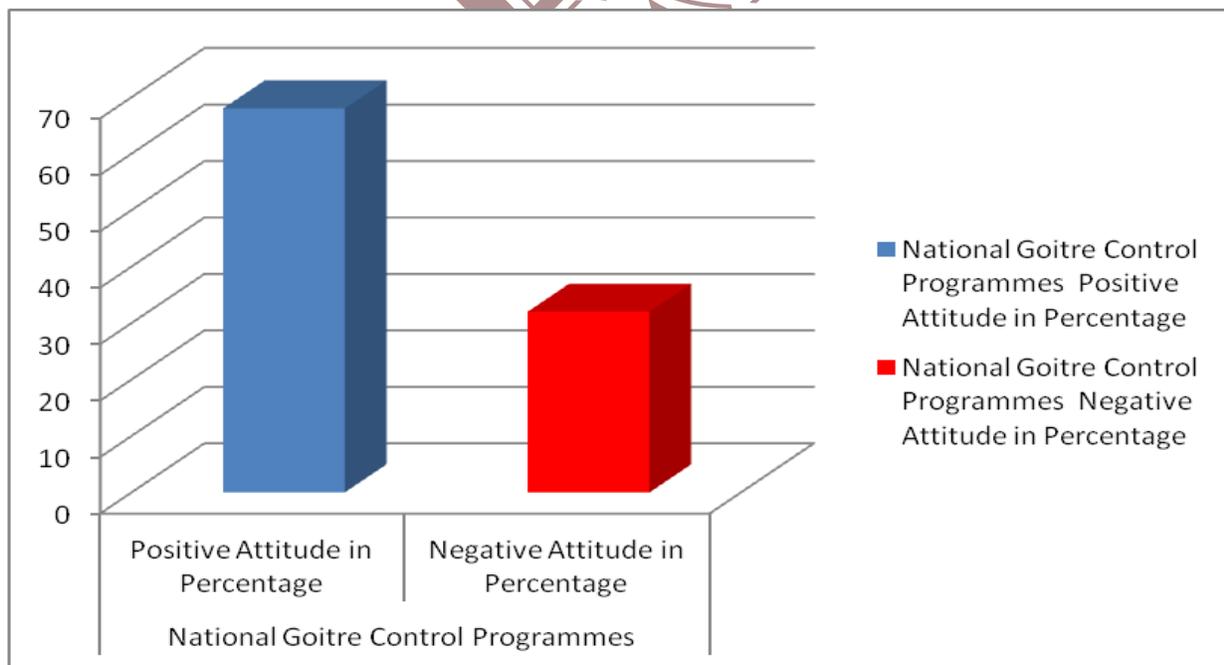
The statistical finding in terms of National Aids Control Programme 60 % of employees has the positive attitude.



The statistical finding in terms of National Tuberculosis Control Programme 74 % of employees has the positive attitude.



The statistical finding in terms of National Goitre Control Programmes 68% of employees has the positive attitude.



This shows majority of government employees have a positive attitude towards government health programmes. They have the knowledge of importance of government health programmes for a healthful living.

Conclusion

As per the result of the present study it may be concluded that the government employees have a positive attitude towards government health programmes as far as National Malaria Eradication Programme, National Aids Control Programme, National Tuberculosis Control Programme and National Goitre Control Programmes are concerned.

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