

THE OCCUPATIONAL PERFORMANCE OF HOUSING AND ITS RELATIONSHIP WITH HOUSING SATISFACTION

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Abstract

The current study aims to study the relationship between the occupational Performance of Housing and its relationship to the housing Satisfaction through the study of the different axes of occupational Performance of Housing including (housing design, housing furnishing, Beautifying, lighting and color). Further, study of different axes of housing Satisfaction represented in location suitability, occupational suitability, health suitability and design suitability). Moreover, this study aims to recognize the differences between the study sample in the Saudi Family awareness to the occupational Performance of Housing and its relationship with the housing Satisfaction according to the housing area, father's and mother's level of education, job of both father and mother and the family's monthly income and to identify similarities and differences between working and non working housewives in their awareness to the occupational Performance of Housing and its relationship with the housing Satisfaction.

Research has been applied to 225 of the working and non-working housewives in Riyadh , tools of study included the form of the family's primary data which serve the objectives of the study: House area, father's and mother's level of education, job of both father and mother, family's income and the occupational questionnaire of the housing which consists of 100 clause measuring the four axes(Design, furniture, Beautifying, lighting and colors)and the questionnaire of the housing satisfaction which consists of 75 clause measuring location suitability, occupational suitability, health suitability and design suitability .

One of the main results of the study is that there is a positive correlation between the occupational Performance of Housing and the housing Satisfaction at significance level 0.001. Results also showed the absence of statistically significant difference between the study sample in the occupational Performance of Housing in it's different axes depending on the area of housing, while there statistically significant difference between the study sample in the housing Satisfaction in it's different axes depending on the area of housing at a significance level of 0.01. Also the there is statistically significant difference between the study sample in the in the occupational Performance of Housing in its different axes according to the mother's level of education at a significance level 0.001. There was statistically significant difference between the study sample in housing Satisfaction in its different axes according to the mother's level of education at a significance level 0.01.. There was also statistically significant difference between the study sample the occupational Performance of Housing in it's different axes and the housing Satisfaction in it's different axes according to the father's job at a significance level of 0.05, There was also statistically significant difference between the study sample the occupational Performance of Housing in it's different axes and the housing Satisfaction in it's different axes according to the mother's job at a significance level of 0.01. There was statistically significant difference between the study sample in occupational Performance of Housing in its different axes according to the family income at a significance level 0.001, while there was no statistically significant difference between the study sample in housing Satisfaction in its different axes depending on family income , .

The results also show the presence of statistically significant differences between the working and non-working housewives in occupational Performance of Housing in it's different axes at significance level of 0.001 in favor of working housewives, also there was of statistically significant differences between the working and non-working housewives in the housing Satisfaction in it's different axes at significance level of 0.001 in favor of working housewives