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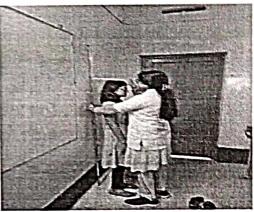
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### **ABSTRACT**

Breakfast is the most important meal in our daily life. Breakfast consumption is fully associated with nealthy lifestyle. Eating breakfast for adolescent girls(13-17yrs)is necessary to prevent various problems.Adolescent girls who skipped breakfast regularly suffered irregular from menstruation, obesity, lowered cognition, poor performance, etc. According to cross sectional study reports the risk of obesity are increased due to irregular breakfast consumption. Healthy dietary practices are critical determinants of development in adolescent girls. The data was collected for Breakfast Skipper (n=22) and for Breakfast Eater (n=18). The survey was found that different measurements like height, weight, blood pressure, pulse rate, waist and hip circumferences, body fat (from biceps, triceps by measuring skinfold thickness) were carried out. The participants were asked about their diseases. It was found that there were no significant (p>0.05) differences in BMI, Waist Hip Ratio, Systolic pressure, Diastolic pressure, pulse pressure, Protein, Fat, Carbohydrate, Energy, Calcium, Iron between Breakfast Skipper and Breakfast Eater Adolescent girls. But it has noticed that Pulse Rate, Biceps, Triceps, MUAC, PBF, are significantly (p<0.05) lower inBreakfast Skipper and Breakfast Eater Adolescent girls. It was observed that more percentage of Breakfast Skipper was suffering from Hypertension, Skin disease, Ear problems, Eye Discomfort and redness,, Abdominal pain, Dental Carries, Anaemia, Non-alcoholic fatty liver disease, Obesity, Irregular menstruation, Dysmenorrhea compare to Breakfast Eater.

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