

AN ANALYSIS OF CAUSAL EFFECT ON LEISURE SATISFACTION. Kim Y.S., Sim M.Y., Lee.J.Y.

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This study was to examine causal effect on the housewife's leisure activity participation, leisure time, leisure expenditure and leisure life satisfaction.

Participants were 249 housewives who were lived in Pusan, Korea. The data were analysed one-way Anova, multiple regression, Pearson's correlation and path analysis.

The main findings of the research are as follows:

First, there are significant differences in leisure activity participation according to socio-demographic and economic variables. Physical type shows significant differences when housewife is 30's and unemployed, size of family is 3 and 4, age of the lastborn child is under 6, occupation of husband is Professionals and Technicians, educational attainment of housewife is under highschool graduate, pattern of housing is collective, income is higher. There are significant differences that occupation of husband is Professionals and Technicians, educational attainment of housewife is over junior college graduate, pattern of housing is collective, income is higher in Self-delveloping type. Restful type shows significant differences when housewife is 40's, age of the lastborn child is under 13-18, educational attainment of housewife is under highschool graduate. There are significant differences that housewife is unemployed in Home-oriented type. There are significant differences that housewife is 30's and unemployed, size of family is 4, age of the lastborn child is under 6, occupation of husband is market and sales worker, educational attainment of housewife is over junior college graduate, pattern of housing is collective in Time-spending type. **Second**, there are significant differences in leisure time, leisure expenditure and leisure life satisfaction according to socio-demographic and economic variables. Leisure time shows significant differences when housewife is unemployed, age of the lastborn child is under 13-18, occupation of husband is Service, educational attainment of housewife is under highschool graduate, income is higher. Leisure expenditure show significant differences when housewife is 30's, size of family is under 3, age of the lastborn child is under 6, occupation of husband is senior officials and manager, educational attainment of housewife is over junior college graduate, pattern of housing is collective, income is over 5,000,000 won. There are significant differences that housewife is unemployed in leisure life satisfaction. **Third**, casual effect is path analysed according to path model. Restful type, employment and unemployment of housewife, and occupation of husband(service) have an effect on leisure time. Income, leisure time, Self-delveloping type, Children concerned type and occupation of husband(senior officials and manager) have an effect on leisure expenditure. Leisure expenditure, Self-delveloping type, employment and unemployment of housewife, income have an effect on leisure life satisfaction.

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