

**THE ROLE OF HOME ECONOMIC EDUCATION
FOR QUALIFYING FAMILY**

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1. **INTRODUCTION**

Family is the first education environment for children. The parents are the first and particularly teacher in the family, especially the mother, because she communicates more to the children and develops 5 basic potentials like brain, mouth, heart, stomach, and sexuality. Therefore, the parents have to have long education, in order to be able to educate in accordance with the situation.

2. **QUALITY OF FAMILY**

The quality of family is the condition of family which covers any aspects such as education, health, economy, social culture, self-supporting family, spiritual mentality, religious value. These aspects are basic to achieve the goal of family welfare. Government Regulation of the Republic of Indonesia No. 21/1994.

In this case, they need to know and to operate about 8 family functions as religion, social culture, love, safety, reproduction, education, economy, constructive environment. Each member of the family must develop for their individual self and for quality family life in order to self-support family life.