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## ABSTRUCT

Research question: Prevent of pre-hypertension and hypertension among the adults in Bangladesh.

Study place: Different area of Dhaka city.
Total Persons: 50 male and female.
Study variables: Age, Sex, education, occupation, income status, pattern of salt intake, dietary habit, physical activity, smoking and mental stress, Weight and Height.

Results: Among the 50 respondent over all gender distribution was $49 \%$ male and $51 \%$ female form different age group normotensive according to WHO classification that is persistence BP > $140 / 90 \mathrm{~mm}$ of Hg . Hypertensive male / female distribution is $34 \%$ and $29 \%$ respectively. Most of the respondents are non-smoker only $19 \%$ are smoker. Among the hypertensive group $35 \%$ are smoker and $31 \%$ are non-smoker.

Key words: Smoking, Exercise and Hypertension.

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## Chapter 1

## Introduction

### 1.1General introduction of hypertension

This guideline is for the clinical management of primary hypertension in adults (aged greater than 18 years). Hypertension is one of the most preventable causes of premature morbidity and mortality world-wide.

Hypertension is a major risk factor for stroke (ischemic and hemorrhagic), myocardial infarction, heartfailure, chronic kidney disease, peripheral vascular disease, cognitive decline and premature death. Untreated hypertension is associated a progressive rise often culminating in a treatment resistant state due to associated vascular and renal damage.

It is now recognized that the diseased and sclerotic arteries were most often the consequence of the hypertension and thus the term "essential hypertension" is redundant and the "primary hypertension" is preferred. Primary hypertension refers to the majority of people with sustained high blood pressure (approximately 90\%) encountered in clinical practice, for which there is no obvious, identifiable cause. The remaining $10 \%$ are termed "secondary hypertension" for which specific causes for the blood pressure elevation can be determined (for example, Conn's adenoma, Reno vascular disease).

Without treatment, high blood pressure, or hypertension, can lead to grave health conditions, including heart failure, vision loss, stroke, and kidney disease.

In this article, we look at the causes of high blood pressure and how to treat it. We also explain the blood pressure measurements that health authorities consider to be healthy and too high.

### 1.2 Background of the study

study. Prevalence has also been noted in seven countries' study along with decrease in mean systolic and diastolic pressures.

This suggests public health remedial measures to address growing hypertension in the community through health education about lifestyle changes, dietary modification, and avoidance of urban stress. Our findings also suggest a protective role of non -fatty diet, regular exercise, regular BP check, medication and public awaren.

## Chapter - II <br> Literature review

## Literature review

In the WHO/ ISH hypertensive group, isolated diastolic hypertension was present in $47.3 \%$ male and $40.6 \%$ female.

Three major dietary patterns were identified by using principal component analysis: the "balanced" pattern, which was characterized by rice, some meat, small fish, fruit, and vegetables; 2) the "animal protein" pattern, which was more heavily weighted on meat, milk, poultry, eggs, bread, large fish, and fruit.

## Chapter - III

## Methodology

### 3.1 Methods of hypertension

The sampling frame consisted of the final population total of Dhaka city which is roughly 1.1 million given by 2006 census of Bangladesh, Subdivided into 206 streets or Mohallas.

## 3.2 area:

The study is setuated in the different part of the Dhaka city. Sample was collect selected 10 different streets of Dhaka City.

### 3.3Objectives

To determine age-specific prevalence of hypertension in relation to diet and lifestyle factors among a selected group in Dhaka city.

### 3.4 Design and setting

Cross-sectional survey in 10 randomly selected streets in Dhaka city

### 3.5 Variables:

Independent variables:
Physical activity, smoking and mental stress.
Dependent variables:
Prevalence hypertension.

### 3.6 Sample Size:

The totals of 50 (Both male and female) study populations were covered in this study. A key person was identified using the stratified random interceptive technique among the city duelers.

### 3.7 Duration of study

Three months from the date of commencement (June- August 2019) .Two weeks was spent on the structuring and planning the study and literatures review. Three weeks was in the field for data collection and another three week for data input and analysis. Remaining time was spent for witting and editing.

### 3.8 Data Collection:

Height was taken with the standard scale in bearer foot. BMI was calculated to identify over weight.

### 3.9 Data collection tool

A questionnaire was developed to collect data form the respondents. The questionnaires were pre-tested among 30 respondents to ensure its reliability and validity. The questionnaire had two parts. The first part contained questions on sociodemographic and economic status of the participation other part is the check list of anthropometry. Data were collected from other than pre-tested subjects.

### 3.9.1 Data management

At the end of each day collected questionnaires were rechecked for any correction or inconsistence. Necessary corrections had done accordingly and data were edited and the responses were coded for entry into computer programme.

### 3.9.2 Data analysis

The descriptive analysis included frequency distribution, mean, median and standard deviation as required. Uni variant analysis was done to describe the characteristics of the study population while internal comparisons were carried out by using bi variant analysis or multivariate analysis. To examine the relationship between variable, statistical significant test, chi-square tests were done and estimated the correlation between variables in appropriate section.

### 3.9.3 Presentation of result

The findings of the study were presented with the help of frequency distribution table, charts and diagrams. Descriptions of the findings of the research with necessary explanations were mentioned also.

### 3.9.4 Ethical consideration

Physical examination was done with the full consents of respondent in presence of an attendant. There was some direct benefit to respondents that they came to know their BP and its risk; the purpose of the study explained to every participant and asked for their response.

Data of the participants were maintained with strict confidentiality. Every participant assigned a unique code number for this study.

## Chapter - IV

## Result and Result Summary

### 4.1 Results

The study was carried out of 50 subjects different area of Dhaka city of Bangladesh to find to the prevalence of hypertension.

Table no. 01. Frequency distribution of respondents by gender.

## GENDER

|  |  | Frequenc <br> y | Percent | Valid <br> Percent | Cumulative <br> Percent |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Valid | Male | 24 | 49 | 49 | 49 |
|  | Femal <br> e <br> Total | 26 | 51 | 51 | 100 |

About the distribution of respondents by gender, it was revealed from the study that the $49 \%$ male and $51 \%$ female form different age group.

Table no. 02. BP-status: Gender cross tabulation
BP-STATUS * GENDER Cross tabulation
GENDER Total
BP-STATUS * GENDER Cross tabulation

|  |  | GENDER |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  |  | Male | Female | Total |
| BP- <br> STATUS | Normotensiv <br> e <br> Hypertensive | $66 \%$ | $71 \%$ | $68 \%$ |
|  | $34 \%$ | $29 \%$ | $32 \%$ |  |
|  | Total | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ |

Among the 50 respondents, of different age group it was revealed from the study that the prevalence of $32 \%$ is Hypertensive and $68 \%$ are Normotesive. Among those $34 \%$ male and $29 \%$ female are hypertensive.

## Risk Estimate

|  |  | $95 \%$ <br> Interval |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  |  | Confidence |  |
|  | Value | Lower | Upper |
| Odds Ratio for <br> BP_STATUS <br> Normotensive <br> Hypertensive) <br> For cohort GENDER <br> = Male <br> For cohort GENDER <br> = Female <br> N of Valid Cases | .793 | .543 | 1.157 |

Table no. 03. Risk Estimate
Risk Estimate
Risk estimation shows odd ratio for BP .793, male odd ratio. Male .891and female 1.124 within the $95 \%$ confidence interval in 500 sample which difference is not very significant male /female ratio all most equal

BP-SYSTOLIC: GENDER Cross (tabulation)

|  |  | GENDER |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Male | Female | Total |  |
| BP-SYSTOLIC | $90-99 \mathrm{~mm}$ of Hg | $2 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $3 \%$ |
|  | $100-109 \mathrm{~mm}$ of Hg | $9 \%$ | $9 \%$ | $9 \%$ |
|  | $110-119 \mathrm{~mm}$ of Hg | $21 \%$ | $24 \%$ | $23 \%$ |
|  | $120-129 \mathrm{~mm}$ of Hg | $20 \%$ | $20 \%$ | $20 \%$ |
|  | $130-139 \mathrm{~mm}$ of Hg | $25 \%$ | $24 \%$ | $24 \%$ |
|  | $140-149 \mathrm{~mm}$ of Hg | $15 \%$ | $7 \%$ | $11 \%$ |
|  | $>150 \mathrm{~mm}$ of Hg | $10 \%$ | $13 \%$ | $11 \%$ |
| Total |  | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ |

Table no. 04 BP-systolic: Gender Cross (tabulation)
Study revealed that among the hypertensive respondent $15 \%$ male SPB $140-149 \mathrm{~mm}$ of Hg and $10 \%$ SBP >150 mm of Hg . Female are found $7 \%$ SBP 140-149 mm of Hg and $13 \% \mathrm{SBP}>150 \mathrm{~mm}$ of Hg .

Table no. 5 Age Range of the respondents.
AGE-RANGE

|  |  | Frequenc <br> y | Percent | Valid <br> Percent | Cumulati <br> ve <br> Percent |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Valid$25-34$  <br> Years  <br>  $05-44$ <br> Years  | 21 | 27 | 27 | 27 |  |


| $45-54$ <br> Years | 12 | 19 | 19 | 93 |
| :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $55-64$ <br> Years <br> Total | 50 | 7 | 7 | 100 |

Respondent age was 25-64 years of age because most of the primary hypertension occurs in this age. 238 participants ( $48 \%$ ) were in the age group of 35-44 years.

Table no. 06 BP-STATUS of different age group
BP-STATUS:

|  |  | AGE-RANGE |  |  |  | Total |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | $\begin{array}{\|l\|} \hline 25- \\ 34 \text { Years } \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{\|l\|} \hline 35-44 \\ \text { Years } \end{array}$ | 45-54 Years | 55-64 Years |  |
| BP- <br> STATUS | Normotensive <br> Hypertensive <br> Total | $\begin{aligned} & 79 \% \\ & 21 \% \\ & 100 \% \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 72 \% \\ & 28 \% \\ & 100 \% \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 53 \% \\ & 47 \% \\ & 100 \% \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 44 \% \\ & 56 \% \\ & 100 \% \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 68 \% \\ & 32 \% \\ & 100 \% \end{aligned}$ |

In this study is found that $56 \%$ of hypertensive respondent in the age group 55-64 years of age and $47 \%$ of the age group 45-54 years of age.

Table no. 07 Education range of the respondents. EDUCATION

|  |  | Frequenc <br> y | Percent | Valid Percen t | Cumulativ <br> e Percent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Valid | None | 09 | 11 | 11 | 11 |
|  | Primary school | 14 | 33 | 33 | 43 |
|  | SSC | 07 | 12 | 12 | 55 |
|  | HSC | 05 | 11 | 11 | 66 |
|  | Hons | 10 | 19 | 19 | 85 |
|  | Masters and above | 05 | 15 | 15 | 100 |
|  | Total | 50 | 100 | 100 |  |

The study shows that most of the respondent is different age group. Among those most of them are in the primary education level.

Table no. 08. BP Status with the relation of education.


The study revealed that the there is not the specific relation between hypertension and education but $53 \%$ and $44 \%$ hypertensive in the education level is HSC and Hons level. In study was found that most of the respondents are in the primary level education but there no relation with the high blood pressure.

Table no. 09. Occupation of the respondents

## OCCUPATION

|  | Frequenc <br> y | Percent | Valid <br> Percent | Cumulative <br> Percent |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Day laborer | 45 | 9 | 9 | 9 |
| Service holder | 160 | 32 | 32 | 41 |
| Business man | 64 | 13 | 13 | 54 |
| Unemployed | 2 | 0 | 0 | 54 |
| Housewife | 195 | 39 | 39 | 93 |
| Student | 10 | 2 | 2 | 95 |
| Others | 24 | 5 | 5 | 100 |
| Total | 500 | 100 | 100 |  |

In this study among the 500 respondent 195 are house wife and 160 are service holder.

## Table no. 10. BP Status with the relation of occupation

BP-STATUS: OCCUPATION (Cross tabulation)

|  |  | OCCUPATION |  |  |  |  | Total <br> Other <br> s |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Day <br> laborer | Service | Busines <br> s | Unemploye d | Housewif e |  |  |
| BP- <br> STATUS | Normotensiv <br> e | 84\% | 59\% | 67\% | 100\% | 72\% | 83\% | 68\% |
|  | Hypertensive | 16\% | 41\% | $33 \%$ |  | 28\% | 17\% | $32 \%$ |
| Total |  | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% |

Table no. 11 Category of monthly income

|  | Frequenc <br> y | Percent | Valid <br> Percent | Cumulative <br> Percent |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Valid $<5000$ | 319 | 64 | 64 | 64 |  |
|  | $5001-$ <br> 10000 | 51 | 10 | 10 | 74 |
|  | Total | 50001 | 130 | 26 | 26 |

About $64 \%$ respondents have the income Taka < 5000 per month.

Most of the respondent are having income of $<5000$ taka per month.

Table no. 12. Table shows the frequency and percentage of added salt with the meal.

## ADDED-SALT

|  |  | Frequenc <br> y | Percent | Valid <br> Percent | Cumulative <br> Percent |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Valid | NO | 12 | 51 | 51 | 51 |
|  | 1 PINCH | 20 | 45 | 45 | 96 |
|  | 2 PINCHES | 19 | 4 | 4 | 100 |
|  | Total | 50 | 100 | 100 |  |

In this study it was found that most of the responded did take extra salt with their meal. Only $4 \%$ respondent are add 2 pinch ( 10 gm ) extra salt with their meal.

Table no. 13. Table shows relation of added salt with the meal and hypertension.

BP-STATUS: ADDED-SALT Cross tabulation

|  | ADDED_SALT |  |  | Total |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | NO | 1 PINCH | 2 PINCHES |  |  |
| BP_STATU <br> S | Normotensive | $60 \%$ | $78 \%$ | $74 \%$ | $68 \%$ |
| Total | Hypertensive | $40 \%$ | $22 \%$ | $26 \%$ | $32 \%$ |
|  |  | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ | $100 \%$ |

Table no. 14. Table shows the frequency and percentage of smoker and nonsmoker.

SMOKER

|  |  | Frequenc <br> y | Percent | Valid <br> Percent | Cumulative <br> Percent |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Valid | No | 35 | 81 | 81 | 81 |
|  | Yes | 15 | 19 | 19 | 100 |
| Total | 500 | 100 | 100 |  |  |

In this study it was found the odd ratio for BP status (Normotensive/Hypertensive) in $15 \%$ confidence interval. There some relation with smoking and hypertension.

Table no. 15 Table shows mental stress and hypertension.

BP STATUS: MENTAL STRESS Cross tabulation

|  | MENTAL_STRESS |  |  |  |  | Total |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | NO | MILD | NORMA L | MODERAT E | STRESSFU <br> L |  |
| $\begin{array}{ll}\text { BP STATUS } & \text { Normotensiv } \\ & \mathrm{e}\end{array}$ | 57\% | 68\% | 69\% | 74\% | 44\% | 68\% |
| Hypertensive | 43\% | 32\% | 31\% | 26\% | 56\% | 32\% |
| Total | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% | 100\% |

In this study it was found that among the hypertensive respondent $56 \%$ in the stressful life style.

### 4.2 Result summary

Among the 50 respondent over all gender distribution was $49 \%$ male and $51 \%$ female form different age group $68 \%$ normotensive. Hypertensive male / female distribution
is $34 \%$ and $29 \%$ respectively, that means male are more hypertensive than the female. Risk estimation shows odd ratio for BP .793, male odd ratio. Male .891and female 1.124 within the $95 \%$ confidence interval in 500 samples which difference is not very significant male /female ratio all most equal . The hypertensive respondent $15 \%$ male SPB $140-149 \mathrm{~mm}$ of Hg and $10 \%$ SBP >150 mm of Hg.gender, educational level, and smoking, intake of salt, occupation, socioeconomic status, physical activity and mental condition. Here respondent age was 25-64 years of age because most of the primary hypertension occurs in this age. 238 participants (48\%) were in the age group of $35-44$ years. Result found that $56 \%$ of hypertensive respondent in the age group 55-64 years of age and $47 \%$ of the age group 45-54 years of age. The study revealed that the three is not the specific relation between hypertension and education but $53 \%$ and $44 \%$ hypertensive in the education level is HSC and Horns level. Among the 50 respondent $39 \%$ are house wife and $32 \%$ are
service holder and revealed that $41 \%$ are service holder and $33 \%$ are business man .In this study it was found that most of the respondents have the family member of 1-6 in number and about $64 \%$ respondents have the income Taka < 5000 per month within the hypertensive group $50 \%$ having per month income of > 1000 taka. In this study it was found that most of the responded did take extra salt with their meal. Only $4 \%$ respondent are add 2 pinch ( 10 gm ) extra salt with their meal Study is revealed that there no strong relation with taking extra salt with the hypertension. Among the hypertensive group only $26 \%$ add extra salt 2 pinch ( 10 gm ) with their meal. On the other hand $40 \%$ did not add extra salt with their meal. Most of the respondents are nonsmoker only $19 \%$ are smoker. Among the hypertensive group $35 \%$ are smoker and $31 \%$ are nonsmoker. There might some association with smoking and hypertension and it was found the odd ratio for BP status (Normotensive/Hypertensive) is 1.192 in $95 \%$ confidence interval. There significant relation with smoking and hypertension. Respondent's food habits in this study are mean average of fish 03 days, mutton 0 day, pulses 04 days, beef 01 day, egg 02 days, vegetable 05 days, chicken 02 days and other food 05 day. Most of respondent in this study are moderately heavy worker. About $57 \%$ are moderately worker and $38 \%$ are sedentary worker. Among the hypertensive respondent were found sleep habit 42 hours ( $35 \%$ ) and56 hours ( $35 \%$ ) in a week. In this study it was found that among the hypertensive respondent $56 \%$ in the stressful life style.

## Chapter - V Discussion

## 5 Discussion

$34 \%$ Male and $29 \%$ female over all $32 \%$ hypertensive in the urban area of Dhaka city in the cut of point of $140 / 90 \mathrm{~mm}$ of Hg . Among the 500 respondents, of different age group it was revealed from the study that the prevalence of $32 \%$ is Hypertensive and $68 \%$ are Normotensive. Among those $34 \%$ male and $29 \%$ female are hypertensive. Risk estimation shows odd ratio for BP .793, male odd ratio. Male .891and female 1.124 within the $95 \%$ confidence interval in 500 sample which difference is not very significant male /female ratio all most equal. Study revealed that among the hypertensive respondent $15 \%$ male and $10 \%$ SBP $>150 \mathrm{~mm}$ of Hg . Female are found $7 \%$ SBP $140-149$ and $13 \%$ SBP $>150 \mathrm{~mm}$ of Hg . Study also revealed that among the hypertensive respondent $17 \%$ male DPB $90-99 \mathrm{~mm}$ of Hg and $15 \%$ DBP $100-109 \mathrm{~mm}$ of Hg . Female are found $17 \%$ DBP $90-99 \mathrm{~mm}$ of Hg and $11 \%$ DBP $100-109 \mathrm{~mm}$. In this study is found that $56 \%$ of hypertensive respondent in the age group 55-64 years of age and $47 \%$ of the age group 45-54 years of age. 1In this study it was found that among the hypertensive respondent $56 \%$ in the stressful life style. smoking. Chi square test revealed some relation with the prevalence hypertension with the age variables, life style and stress full life.
this about $64 \%$ respondents have the income Taka < 5000 per month. This study shows that most of the responded did take extra salt with their meal. Only $4 \%$ respondent are add 2 pinch $(10 \mathrm{gm})$ extra salt with their meal. Study is revealed that there no strong relation with taking extra salt with the hypertension. Among the hypertensive group only $26 \%$ add extra salt 2 pinch ( 10 gm ) with their meal .on the other hand $40 \%$ did not add extra salt with their meal.

In conclusion, it shows walking and jogging morning and evening. Our findings also suggest that there is no relation extra with the meal and smoking have no relation with the hypertension.

### 5.1 Recommendation

Hypertension is easy to identify and is universally recognized as a determinant of CVD occurrence. Community- or provider-based health promotion programs carefully designed for the control of hypertension are needed.

### 5.2 Limitation

Occupational, educational, extra salt with meal, food pattern, sleeping habit and anthropometric etc. The study results may not be generalized from Bangladesh context where life style and food pattern vary widely.

Other limitations of the study were as following:
-The answer given by the respondent might be biased partly assumption and perception.
-Anthropometry and recording BP could not same time and same posture situation.

- It could not include all of the variables like family history of hypertension, diabetes and CVD


## Chapter: VI Conclusion

### 6.1 Conclusion

The study titled "An Epidemiological study on hypertension and its determinants in an urban Population of Dhaka city" was a descriptive type of cross-sectional one. The objective of the present study was to explore the prevalence of hypertension and its associated factors detriments in an urban community of Dhaka city. The data for the present study were collected by using a pre-tested questionnaire from 500 respondents residing in different area of Dhaka city. Both male and female with the age group 25-64 years constituted the study population.

The study revealed that out of 500 respondents, Among the 500 respondent over all gender distribution was $49 \%$ male and $51 \%$ female form different age group and overall prevalence of hypertension in the study population was $32 \%$ and $68 \%$ normotensive according to WHO classification that is persistence BP $>140 / 90 \mathrm{~mm}$ of Hg. Hypertensive male / female distribution is $34 \%$ and $29 \%$ respectively, that means male are more hypertensive than the female. Risk estimation shows odd ratio for BP .793, male odd ratio. Male .891 and female 1.124 within the $95 \%$ confidence interval in 500 samples which difference is not very significant male /female ratio all most equal. The hypertensive respondent $15 \%$ male SPB $140-149 \mathrm{~mm}$ of Hg and $10 \%$ SBP >150 mm of Hg. Female are found $7 \%$ SBP $140-149 \mathrm{~mm}$ of Hg and $13 \%$ SBP $>150 \mathrm{~mm}$ of Hg and hypertensive respondent $17 \%$ male DPB $90-99 \mathrm{~mm}$ of Hg and $15 \%$ DBP $100-109 \mathrm{~mm}$ of Hg . Female are found $17 \%$ DBP $90-99 \mathrm{~mm}$ of Hg and $11 \%$ DBP $100-109 \mathrm{~mm}$ of Hg . Prevalence of hypertension comparative high en related with the other similar study in respect of age and sex.

Here respondent age was 25-64 years of age because most of the primary hypertension occurs in this age. 238 participants ( $48 \%$ ) were in the age group of 3544 years and found that $56 \%$ of hypertensive respondent in the age group 55-64 years of age and $47 \%$ of the age group 45-54 years of age. Primary hypertension is found in this age group.

The study revealed that the there is no specific relation between hypertension and education but $53 \%$ and $44 \%$ hypertensive in the education level is HSC and Hons level may be most of the respondent are in this level of education. Among the 500 respondent $39 \%$ are house wife and $32 \%$ are service holder (Figure no. 07) and reveled that among the hypertensive population $41 \%$ are service holder and $33 \%$ are business man as they are leading a challenging lifestyle. In this study it was found that most of the respondents have the family member of 1-6 in number and about
$64 \%$ respondents have the income Taka < 5000 per month within the hypertensive group $50 \%$ having per month income of > 1000 taka so it is clear that hypertension is more prevalent within higher socio income group. In this study it was found that most of the responded did not take extra salt with their meal. Only $4 \%$ respondent are add 2 pinch $(10 \mathrm{gm})$ extra salt with their meal there no strong relation with taking extra salt with the hypertension. Among the hypertensive group only $26 \%$ add extra salt 2 pinch ( 10 gm ) with their meal. On the other hand $40 \%$ did not add extra salt with their meal. Most of the respondents are nonsmoker only $19 \%$ are smoker. Among the hypertensive group $35 \%$ are smoker and $31 \%$ are nonsmoker. There might some association with smoking and hypertension and it was found the odd ratio for BP status (Normotensive/Hypertensive) is 1.192 in $95 \%$ confidence interval. There significant relation with smoking and hypertension. Respondent's food habits in this study are mean average of fish 03 days, mutton 0 day, pulses 04 days, beef 01 day, egg 02 days, vegetable 05 days, chicken 02 days and other food 0 5day but any relation could not established between hypertension and food habit, and the food pattern were usual in the Bangladeshi style. Most of respondent in this study are moderately heavy worker, about $57 \%$ are moderately worker and $38 \%$ are sedentary worker. Among the hypertensive respondent were found sleep habit 42 hours ( $35 \%$ ) and56 hours ( $35 \%$ ) in a week. In this study it was found that among the hypertensive respondent $56 \%$ in the stressful life style.

## Chapter VII

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