

# The Oral Cancer Control And Prevention Evaluation Project in Taiwanese Schools—The Effect of Health Promoting School Based Betel Nuts Free Campus Program in Taiwan

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## Objective

This study aims to use the model of health promoting schools to prevent children chewing betel nuts to reduce the adult incidence of oral cancer.



## Method

The evaluation indicators includes the scores of students' knowledge, attitudes and self-efficacy between the pre- and post program intervention, we also test the effect of six key components of health promoting school between 19 schools and 11 schools, they are individually belonged to promoting one-year and two-years groups.

## Statement of Findings

1. The two-year schools have significantly higher rate in setting betel nuts control school policy. And their scores of performance are higher than one-year schools in six key components of health promoting school.
2. Before and after the test results indicate that students' knowledge, attitudes and self-efficacy have a significant and positive change.

## Key Conclusion

The health promoting school based Betel nuts Free campus program have a significant and positive results for oral cancer prevention in Taiwan.

