

## Assessment of Nutritional Status Among The Khaire Kunbi Children of Maharashtra

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**ABSTRACT** In the present paper a cross-sectional study was carried out with a view to assess the nutritional status among the growing children belonging to the Khaire Kunbi caste of Maharashtra. It is found that majority of the children suffers from various grades of malnutrition. The impact of malnutrition is more marked during early childhood period and pubertal period resulting into high frequency of wasting and stunting in both sexes.

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