

HOMEOPATHIC DETOXIFICATION OF OSTRUCTING FACTORS

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1. Exogenous toxins- Alcohol, tobacco, medicines in large doses, depressing influences of emotional nature, etc.
2. Endogenous Toxins- Found in patient himself such as microbial viruses such as influenza, tuberculosis, etc.
3. Autogenous Toxins- Generated by subject himself as result of constitution and temperament and transmitted to him through heredity. The genetic terrain.

How toxins act

1. Progressive vitiation of organism due to dysfunction of certain organs regulating elimination.
2. If practitioner does not intervene or the patient has no treatment and a lack of energetic vital force to remove toxins, then a storage process develops and a lesion or irritation or infection at a site begins. If left long enough, then dysfunction and cell death will ensue.

Benefits of detoxification

1. Shorter duration of treatment time.
2. Aggravation should be guarded against, never do harm to the patient by knowing the strength or weakness of the vital force, the constitution of the patient (which organs are chronically weak) the time of year according to the OM which is appropriate to drain or build), and be able to monitor cheaply and quickly the patients progress.

Why drainage and constitutional remedies must be linked up

The drainage will accompany the action of the constitutional and assists it in its action. The action of giving high potency will hopefully give rise to a new functional activity affecting the different systems of metabolism and stimulating them in a beneficial manner.

Evaluating signs and symptoms in a clinical setting and confirming by laboratory test and diagnostic procedures is of course important for accurate prescribing, but how would a lay person locate the correct remedies.

Referencing the Materia Medica or a host of lay persons books for simple prescribing will hopefully provide a "similium" and in addition a local organ or system will need assistance with the draining.

By giving constitutional medicines and drainage remedies according to homeopathic law we avoid mechanical prescribing.

Abuse or prolonged use of a drainage remedy may give rise in the patient to a real pathogenesis, whose symptoms represent the reaction of the organism

towards the remedy which is abused. There is a risk, in such instances, of bringing about a real medical intoxication. Ones' intelligence and intellect must be used.