

Review Article

Jaundice and its Homeopathic Management

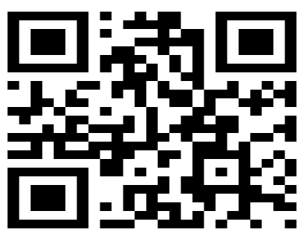
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ABSTRACT

Jaundice is yellow discoloration of skin due increase levels of bilirubin. In infants and children indicative of a wide range of conditions which are some self-limiting and others life-threatening conditions. The article aim is to provide a view on homoeopathic management of the Jaundice and as well as the presentation of it in human body.

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INTRODUCTION

Jaundice is a common presentation of liver diseases, characterized by yellow discoloration of the skin, sclera and mucous membrane and is due to elevated Bilirubin levels above 3.0mg/dl.

Types of jaundice:

Pre hepatic jaundice

Hepatic jaundice

Post Hepatic jaundice

Jaundice for an annual incidence the prevalence is almost 60% during the summer and monsoon suggesting feco-oral mode of transmission as acute cases is mostly cause due to hepatitis A. It is observed in every age group but more common in neonates and adults.

In India due to poverty and illiteracy there is more jaundice cases. Jaundice is more come in all group's patients.

The prevalence of jaundice varies with age and sex. Male are more commonly affected by jaundice than females. females are more commonly affected by hemolytic jaundice.

Clinical features

High grade fever with chills

Icterus

Nausea vomiting, loss of taste

Pain in upper right side of abdomen and also

in epigastrium.

Clay colour stool with constipation

Sever weakness.

Diagnosis

Jaundice yellowish discoloration of skin and sclera is the most important symptom of elevated serum bilirubin.

History of patient play very important role in differentiating the cause of jaundice.

Liver function test

Urine routine

Ultra sound

Homeopathic Management

Chelidonium majus

The yellow colour of skin and constant pain under inferior angle of right scapula.

There is general weakness and indisposition to make any efforts is marked

Bilious complication during gestation.

Tongue is yellow with imprints of teeth large and flabby. Prefer hot food and hot drink.

Nausea vomiting > very hot water. Jaundice due to hepatic and gall bladder obstruction. Gall colic, distention.

Constipation with grey colour stool.

Bryonia alba

Nausea and faintness when waking up.

Abnormal hunger with dysgeusia. Thirst for

large quantity of water. Soreness in stomach. Liver region swollen sore and tense. Burning pain, worse on pressure, coughing breathing. Tenderness in whole abdominal wall.

Stool constipated hard dry as if burnt, seems too large.

<morning, from moving, hot weather.

Podophyllum

Hypogastric pain and fullness of superficial veins jaundice is seen

Distended heat emptiness. Feeling weak or sinking.

Right sided hypogastric pain better rubbing part.

There is rumbling and shifting of flatus.

4)Cardus marianus:

The main action of drug is on liver and portal system. Causes soreness and pain in jaundice.

Bitter taste in mouth and dislikes salted meat. Appetite small vomiting of green acid fluid. gall stone diseases with enlarged liver.

Pain in hypo gastric region. Left lobe is very sensitive. Constipated stool very hard and difficult to evacuate also alternates with diarrhea.

Itching of skin lying down at night.

Auxillary treatment

Avoid spicy food.

Drink plenty of water.

Take adequate rest.

Conclusion

These are the few homeopathic remedies with indication for the treatment of Hepatocellular jaundice. But the final selection of the remedy must be based on Individualization, after taking proper case and correct investigation.

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