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Homoeopathic Management of Venous Leg Ulcer Treated with Homoeopathic Medicine Lachesis Mutus 200

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ABSTRACT

A venous leg ulcer is a chronic wound that occurs on the lower leg, typically near the ankle, due to poor blood circulation caused by malfunctioning veins. It arises when the veins in the legs are unable to effectively return blood to the heart, leading to increased pressure in the veins and fluid buildup in the skin. This can result in skin breakdown and the formation of an open ulcer. This case report presents 70 yrs old female patient suffering from venous leg ulcer suffering with complaint of non healing ulcer in right medial aspect of leg. Here, we would like to highlight the importance of individuality and symptomatology of the case and that helps in selection of potentized medicine Lachesis 200 in treating the chronic venous leg ulcer in a very short period of time in 70 yrs old female patient.

KEYWORDS: Venos leg ulcer, chronic venous insufficiency, individuality, lacheis mutus

INTRODUCTION

A venous leg ulcer is a disease caused by serious complication of chronic venous insufficiency, typically near the ankle, due to poor blood circulation caused by damaged valves[1]. It leads to improper circulation of blood in tissue lead to oxygen deficiency and causes persistent inflammatory response of the skin[2]. This can result in skin breakdown and the formation of an open ulcer. It is most common in old age people with DVT, and varicose vein.[3]

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CASE SUMMARY

A 70 yrs old female patient comes with the complaints of non healing ulcer present in the right medial aspect of leg since 3 months, on examination, the patient's ulcer are surrounded by round blackish

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edges with some slough present and also patient tongue was blackish and trembling of tongue when protruding and also patient having feeling heavy on tongue. Based on symptomatology the remedies were confirmed by basic repertories

DIAGNOSTIC ASSESSMENT:

- ✓ present with oedema of the legs,
- ✓ history of heaviness of legs.
- ✓ her occupation related to prolonged standing

TOTALITY OF SYMPTOMS

- ❖ ulcer with blackish edges,
- ❖ tongue blackish discolouration,
- ❖ trembling of tongue when protruding ,
- ❖ feeling heavy on tongue

Remedy Name	Merc	Lach	Ars	Gels	Kali-bi	Puls	Sil	Phos	Hep	Lyc	Phyt	Agar
Totality	6	5	5	3	3	3	3	2	2	2	2	1
Symptom Covered	3	3	2	2	2	1	1	2	1	1	1	1
[BG] [Generalities]Ulceration:	3	2	3		1	3	3		2	2		
[BG] [Mouth and throat]Tongue:Protruding Agg.:					2						2	
[BG] [Mouth and throat]Tongue:Tremulous:	2	2		1				1				1
[BG] [Mouth and throat]Tongue:Heavy:		1		2								
[BG] [Skin]Dirty color:	1		2					1				

ANALYSIS BASED ON OBSERVATION AND REPERTORIAL RESULT:

- ❖ blackish and bluish discolouration of tongue,
- ❖ tongue trembling with protruding,
- ❖ ulcer with round edges.

symptoms are similar with lachesis mutus

PRESCRIPTION

1. LACHESIS MUTUS 200/1Dose (ST)
2. Saccharum Lactis 3 dose alternate days morning

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JUSTIFICATION FOR PRESCRIPTION:

Blackish discolouration around ulcer,

Ulcer with round edges with well defined edges

blackish and bluish discolouration of tongue,

tongue trembling with protruding



FOLLOW UP:

	On examination	Prescribed medicine
	on examination the ulcer was surrounded by blackish edges and some sludge present	Lachesis mutus 200
	after 8 days, non healing ulcer turns into healing ulcer and removal of slough	Saccharum Lactis
	after 15 days , the ulcer gets decreased and formation of epithelial layer around the ulcer	Saccharum Lactis
	after 22 days , the ulcer gets closed	Saccharum Lactis

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	during the 28th day , last follow up of the patient the ulcer heals completely	

	
the picture reperesent the case was treated before by homoeopathic medicine	case treated after by homoeopathic medicine

RESULT AND DISCUSSION:

The patient comes with complaint for venous leg ulcer, there should be a regular follow up before and after administration of medicine. She has been administered with homoeopathic medicine for 28 days and symptoms got reduced.

According to organon of medicine, complete picture of symptoms guides the selection of remedy which is single simple and similar to the suffering of patient and symptom similarity [4]

Homoeopathy offers hamemalis virginiana, fluoric acid, calcarea fluorica, arsenicum album, sulphur ,graphites,siliea, calendula officinalis , hepar sulph Pulsatila nigricans [5],[6],[7]

Result

Based on individuality and symptomatology of patient prescribed by Lachesis mutus 200 and shows rapid improvement within short span of time

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