



## Study of Homoeopathic Nosode Psorinum

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### ABSTRACT :

Psorinum is one of the greatest antipsoric nosodes prepared from the disease product, i.e. psoric viruses, which, after potentiation, change considerably in their nature. The homeopathic preparation from it is not inert, but on the contrary it is a powerful medicinal agent. It is a known fact that psora, which is the mother of all other miasmata, is the only real root cause and agent of the various diseases which are called nervous debility, mania, hysteria, and many others, besides the common syphilis, and condylomatous disease syphilis. Psorinum should not be given to psora or psoric diathesis like any other medicine, after a strict individualization of the general symptoms and only then will we realize its wonderful work.

Psorinum is the single most interesting and important drug in Materia Medica. As a medicine, it has profound and healing effects. Psorinum is a very effective remedy with a very extensive symptomatology, far greater than that given in any Materia Medica. It might turn out to be so broad that it would include all antipsoric drugs within its "sphere of action." It is the Aladdin's cave and Pandora's box of homeopathy because it contains and can release both miracles and demons!

Psorinum seems to be a panacea or panacea (more on that later). It broadly includes and includes Sulphur, Zinc, Natrum muriaticum, Petroleum and Graphites and to a lesser extent Sepia, Arsenicum album, Phosphorus, Argentum nitricum, Calcarea carbonica, Silica and Lycopodium. All of these remedies are "big stars" in their own right, but I feel it's better to see them as just part of the Psorinum constellation, as that seems to be their natural habitat. In other words, Psorinum is a comprehensive medicine that includes all the above medicines.

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### Introduction:

I felt the need to do this because there are many original observations about Psorin. It is not just a modern reformulation of Hahnemann's work. The ideas presented here form part of a much larger work on psora theory and the history of disease, which at this time shows no sign of completion. So these notes are mainly about Psorin as a remedy in homeopathy and the main indications for its use. The characteristics of the group of nosodes are also a signal to explore the chronic miasmata and map their signs and symptoms, as well as to search in detail for the symptoms of the main nosodes and antimiasmatic remedies. There are always objective symptoms and objective symptoms that will individualize the remedy if it is indicated. Over the years, the use of nosodes as intercurrents has proven to be a useful adjunct to constitutional treatment when properly used.

The three main features of Psorinum are offensiveness, itching and obstinate conditions. These three go through all its conditions. There is almost always itching and offensiveness, often combined with a torpid lack of response. This lack of response is often deeply rooted and insidious. In the worst cases, it is a dormant lack of symptoms that does not manifest at all: sleeping or quiescent psora (physical and mental rigidity?). Sulfur is of course close enough to Psorin to release the blockage in many cases. But Psorinum itself is even better. Psorinum unblocks stuck capsules because it is a feature of the miasma. Sulfur does the same, being after Psorinum the chief antipsoric remedy. In torpid cases one of the first and centrifugal effects of the use of Psorinum is the return of itching of the skin, which, as Kent also observed, is always a good sign.

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### Literature review

Psorinum is proven enough to be able to use it successfully in the treatment of diseases. We find it particularly indicated in constitutions which are psoric (to use Hahnemann's word), in those who suffer from diseases of the glands and skin, and do not respond to an apparently well-chosen remedy. For example, a medicine suitable for your case is Pulsatilla. The symptoms seem to beg for it. The regulation is in accordance with every rule of the "Constitutions," and yet the relief is only temporary. In such cases, you know that there is some dyscrasia behind the illness that needs to be removed or corrected before you can hope to successfully cope with the illness. Again you are treating a case of scarlet fever; your recipes don't help and the little one dies. Many of these cases would be saved if we examined this branch of our materia medica more thoroughly. The various constitutions or dyscrasias underlying chronic and acute diseases are very numerous indeed. We don't know them all yet. We know that one of them comes down with gonorrhoea, a disease that is terribly common, so that the constitution grows rapidly from this disease. Now I want to tell you why this is so. This is because allopathic doctors and also many homeopaths are not treating it properly. I do not believe that gonorrhoea is a local disease. If not properly treated, a constitutional

poison develops which can be transmitted to children. I know from years of experiment and observation that gonorrhoea is a serious problem, which also complicates many of the cases we have to treat. The same applies to syphilis in a modified degree. Gonorrhoea seems to attack the nobler tissues, the lungs, heart and nervous system, which syphilis does not reach until years later.

To return from this digression: PSORINUM is to be thought of in cases similar to Sulphur, where psoric disease is decided, and a well-chosen remedy refuses to act. Let us look at some of the symptoms, and thus note the manner in which Psorinum affects the tissues. It causes a rash on the skin that is usually herpetic in nature and is accompanied by severe itching. This itching is excruciatingly worse as soon as the patient gets warm in bed. Over time, you will see that the skin has a dirty, dirty appearance, as if the patient has never washed (which may not be true). In some places, the skin has a rough appearance, as if it has been bathed in oil. The sebaceous glands secrete the excess. The eruption is especially noted in children on the scalp. It can involve the entire scalp, but characteristically occurs from the scalp down both sides of the face, including the cheeks and ears, like tinea capitis, which it actually is. This eruption is occasionally moist and oozes a matter which is quite offensive. Other times it is dry, hairy, as it is called. With these cutaneous symptoms is usually associated an otorrhoea, which is thin, uric, and is terribly offensive, with an odor like that of rotten flesh. Ulcers appear on the legs, usually around the shin bone or around the ankles or other joints. These ulcers have only what characterizes them: ITS SLOW; they are lazy. I may also observe here that the herpetic and itchy eruptions just mentioned appear more often in the bends of the joints, in the bends of the elbows, and in the knee-spaces. The child is very emaciated. The entire surface of the body emits an unpleasant odor that persists despite the most careful washing. It results from the condition of the skin and from the defective activity of the skin glands. They don't remove properly and so the discharge stays and decomposes and gives off this smell that can never be cured until the baby's skin is cured.

In the summer, these children are very susceptible to cholera infantum. There is no drug that can replace psorinum in the range of symptoms of this disease. Children tend to be nervous and restless at night, which is a harbinger of cholera infantum. They wake up in the night as if frightened, or scream during sleep; then two or three nights afterwards they start with diarrhoea; stool profuse and watery, dark brown or even black, very offensive, almost putrid in smell, and worse at night.

We also find Psorinum indicated in the ill effects of suppressed itching. This disease is caused by, you know, itchy insects. You have the right to use as a topical application any poultice that kills insects but does not control the disease. You have such an application in LAVENDER OIL, which kills both insects and their eggs. After suppressing itching, Psorinum is an excellent remedy for its renewal; it also usually cures the disease after it reoccurs.

Psorinum is also useful when pustules or ulcers remain after the itching has been cured by another remedy.

Psorinum can be used in another way, which I have not mentioned, but which is as important as any other. Sometimes after acute or violent illnesses we find the patient greatly exhausted. For example, after typhoid fever; he is depressed, weak in body, despondent, without hope of recovery, and yet you know that there is no absolute certainty that the patient cannot recover, that no organic changes remain. She has worsening night sweats. In such cases Psorinum is your remedy.

In such cases, you may also think of CHINA or CINCHONA, which are an excellent remedy for rapid exhaustion after acute illnesses, especially with loss of blood, protracted or profuse diarrhoea, or profuse sweating. In night sweat it is similar to Psorinum; but the latter is the remedy when there is the state of mind just described — this despair of recovery.

Since Psorinum is a nosode, I would like to briefly emphasize about nosodes. The term Nosode is derived from the Greek word "Nosos" meaning disease. Nosode is the name used to denote a drug prepared either from actual disease tissue or disease secretion (discharge) or from organisms, bacteria or viruses associated with the disease in culture form. In some cases, a commercial vaccine, such as polio vaccine or T.A.B. (Antityphoid-paratyphoid) vaccine in potencies. Nosodes can be of plant (eg *Secale cornutum*), animal (eg *Ambra grisea*) or human origin (eg Psorinum).

Nosodes have been compared to vaccines and have even been called oral vaccines. Boger writes: "When our late colleague, Dr. H.C. Allen, pointed out the nosodes as the most important means of excitatory reactions, he did the greatest thing of his busy life." Coleman says: "Vaccine therapy has found its way into general medicine today. It is only a modification of the method taught by Xenocrates and later introduced into the homoeopathic school by Dr. Lux in 1823 under the name of Isopathy. Hering, Swan, Burnett and others have done much in in this direction. Hering proposed the use of diluted rabid dog saliva for hydrophobia in 1833, before Pasteur. Swan preceded Koch in the discovery of tuberculin. Koch introduced tuberculin in 1890. Burnett began his work with this drug (under the name Bacillinum) in 1885 and achieved results that Koch never dreamed of.

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## Role of Nosodes

Whenever a germ can be regarded with certainty as the agent of disease, experience teaches us that one of the best remedies for evoking the resistance of the body, and thus for cure, can be prepared from the causal germ itself.

Years before bacteriologists of the Louis Pasteur type discovered and introduced vaccination, in which dead bacilli were usually injected to induce specific resistance in an attempt to produce active immunity, homeopaths already knew the principles of this recent discovery and used medicines. by potentiating the products of the disease. Dr. Burnett used Bacillinum, Dr. Lippe used Lac-caninum and Lyssin, and Master Hahnemann himself used *Ambra-grisea* as early as 1827.

So the products of the disease provide another source of homeopathic medicines called Nosody.

Nosodes, when prescribed on the basis of properties established by extensive testing in healthy humans, treat many diseases and conditions, whether related or completely unrelated to the disease of which they are products.

In fact, before his death, Dr. H. C. Allen succeeded in compiling a treatise on the provings of Nosodes. He considered these medicines to be homeopathic and prescribed them according to the summary of symptoms. The role of nosodes is emphasized when well-chosen remedies fail to provide relief or cause a permanent cure.

Dr. Kent emphasized that Nosode is NOT used just because it is Nosodes. The prevailing notion is that as a product of that disease it should be used for that disease, e.g., anything related to syphilis must be treated with Syphilin; or anything related to gonorrhoea treated with Medorrhinum; or anything Psoric treated with Psorin; or related to tuberculosis be treated with Tuberculinum. This is a grossly erroneous and irrational doctrine based on incorrect principles. In fact, these nosodes are also deeply acting constitutions, as they are products of disease from a very deep-seated constitutional condition, and are to be used according to the principles of homeopathy and the Law of the like, and NOT under the name of the disease or its products.

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## Summary and conclusion

Studying Psorina through all repertoires

1. Psorinum can be used as an intercurrent medicine.
2. Psorinum can be used as an anti-miasmatic remedy where there is a miasmatic block.
3. It works well in higher potencies because it is indicated in psoric patients where pathological changes have not occurred.
4. High i.e. 1M potency which was found effective in most cases and 10M potency was used and found effective in follow up cases wherever needed.

The statistical scale used to evaluate the treatment effect also showed a significant improvement after treatment. Out of 30 patients, more than half of the cases, i.e. 26 patients, improved significantly and 18 patients improved within 7 months, in 2 cases the treatment did not improve, in 2 cases the treatment was discontinued.

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