

PSYCHOSOMATIC DEMONSTRATION IN THE FIELD OF INVOLUTIVE SYNDROME WITH THE FEMALE PATIENTS CURED IN HOSPITAL

During women's involutive period, the period after menopause, the significance of the structure of the person before the morbid state for the syndromes of the psychosomatic demonstration, is more important than most of the nosologic entities in psychiatry. Forty three ill persons, cured in hospital in three-year interval (from 1983 to 1985), are included in our investigation and their psychopathologic phenomena could not be included in familiar entities: involutive melancholy and involutive parafrenzy, so we consider the diagnosis involutive syndrome more acceptable.

As we did not go into clearing up of the etiology and the way of origin, we state the appearance of rich symptomatology of disturbed vagus-sympathetic balance in the clinical picture of disease. Psychosomatic functional disturbances, without organic substratum, are present in the field of the cardio-vascular system, the digestive tract, and permanent, lasting headache. Intense anxiety is an understandable consequence of longstanding psychosomatic disturbances. The complex of the clinical picture and therefore the success of the therapy is complicated, in female patients mostly, in the presence of the phenomenon of the interpretative paranoid, crazy depressiveness and hallucinatory illusive vision, the facts which are not expressed clearly psychopathologically as in involutive paraphrenos and in melancholy.

Most of our female patients, before coming to hospital, had difficulties in concentration and memorizing, headache, they suffered from forgetfulness and light fatigue; and the implication of the social lost with the sense of lost sexuality impact on the intimate testing in that period of life is our vision of the cause of the disease.