

Homoeopathy works over and above Allopathy

ABSTRACT: *Homoeopathy works! Whether in tandem with Allopathy or over and above it bottom line is that it works.*

There is always a controversy about Allopathy and Homoeopathy - whether they can be given together, whether they can be given one after another, simultaneously or completely segregate, whether all Allopathy has to be stopped before one can start homoeopathy. This case is an answer to all.



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I have always held the view that Homoeopathy works at a different level altogether and is so powerful when it is the similimum, that no matter what else is being given, Homoeopathy will still work. And this was proved once again in a recent case. Actually it is a simple yet wonderful case. Our simple everyday remedies work so marvelously and so effortlessly, that I never fail to wonder, why people take so many antibiotics and other supportive medicines even when not relieving.

This case is of particular interest to me, because in the normal course we would have treated her and uneventfully she would have recovered and no one would have known the inherent, explosive and serious situation which could arise, and Homoeopathy as usual would have got minimal credit, except for a 'Yes, it worked, but so would have an antibiotic!

This was Dr C H Asrani's 28 yr-old daughter, whose wedding was only about a month away, and all preparations were at its peak, when suddenly on 16th Jan, she developed a throat pain. She was under our care for her acne which too had completely cleared up about 1 yr ago. On Thursday, he told me his daughter's symptoms and asked me, do you think we can give *Hep-sul* since there was a whitish membrane on the tonsil. I concurred and said give 200 - 4 hrly. I went out of town and thought it had been given. Somehow

the medicine never reached him!

She became very bad, could hardly swallow, no fever, white membranes over both tonsils with danger of diphtheria looming large. She could only sip hot water all day and could eat only a completely mashed banana, which could just slide down.

An anti-biotic was given. No response. Another antibiotic started. Panic started setting in. Consulted 2 ENT's, whether ?Diphtheria. Smear and culture given for diphtheria. Finally put on IV Anti-biotic. 10% relief on day 2; Pain+, only relief is better by warm. Weakness+. Thinking that *Hep-s* had not registered at all, I gave *Ars-alb* 200 QDS. This was 10 am on Monday morning of 21-1-08. In 2-6 hrs 10% relief. By 4 pm only 10 % better. The 10% relief that had come with antibiotics also disappeared! ?Aggravation ?No registration of the remedy.

While discussing the case with Dr Asrani, I now discovered that *Hep-s* had never been given! I switched to *Hep-s* and next morning 40% better. Then the next day, episode over ie by Day 7 she was fine and by Thursday, back to full functioning. Did all this zig-zag happen just to produce this clinching case for this issue on Acute prescribing.... To prove that H works even over and above 2 broad spectrum antibiotics and nothing interferes or stands in its way. It goes its path like a bull-dozer...

straight to health, if the remedy is right.....Always our BIG IF- if it is the right remedy. And by the time this issue is printed this sweet young thing would have forgotten the throat problems ever

existed and would be on her honeymoon! But it is up to us research oriented homoeopaths to record all such events for posterity and publish them.

Homoeopathy Acts, At times in weird ways!

ABSTRACT: *Homoeopathy works in weird ways, in conditions which patients would not even ask for help in! This is a classic example of it. Here the patient came with her infant son and had a mild cold herself, for which she may not even take treatment, but for the homoeopathic penchant for keeping tabs on their patients and recording their progress at every opportunity, she may not even unveiled this 'problem' to us, whose world-wide solution is just expressing out the milk.*

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A former patient of ours, a Parsee lady of 30 years, came to us on 19th Jan this year, carrying her infant son.

She had delivered the baby in Sept 2007. She had now come for treatment for her baby.

An aside: This 2nd child had been emphatically advocated to her during her earlier course of Homoeopathic treatment, which had now come to fruition. She seemed much brighter and happier after this. Husband too was very happy, he had given her more domestic help around the house, largely responsible for her well-being!

As is our wont, after the child's case was over and treatment given, we inquired into details of her ie mother's health and took her follow-up. She said she had excessive breast milk flow and needed to express it with pump to the tune of about 300ml. She also complained of acute cold with wheezing. Her thirst is less. O/E her tongue was dry. RS: bi-

lateral ronchi+.

We had to look out for a drug which would cover both cold and profuse lactation. Her constitutional remedy had earlier been *Puls*, which had benefited her greatly. On referring RM repertory, pg 179 increased Milk - *Puls* was 3 marks.

I asked her to take *Puls* 200 BD for 4 days and report after a week.

28/1/08 cough >40%. Wheeze L1. (Much better) Milk 200ml. But was yet expressing it daily. I advised her to stop expressing, which is not only painful but counter-productive. Ct *Puls* 200 HS for 3 nights

4/2/08: Milk flow is less; almost Normal. She does not need to express it. Not only that but the baby, under the action of Homoeopathic treatment, had improved his poor appetite and takes feeds every 3 hourly. Cough 0.

No further treatment required.

☺ English is not my Mother tongue ☺

☺ Another gem from CDAC. Leave-letter from an employee who was performing his daughter's wedding: "as I am marry! ing my daughter, please grant a week's leave.."