



Designed for Thriving
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RECOVERY
EFFECT OF TOXIN PROGRESSING

← **“VICARIATION”** →
(Improvement or Deterioration of Condition)

LINGERING ILLNESS
EFFECT OF TOXIN REGRESSING

Humoral/Acute Phases – Active Drainage of Toxins – Extracellular Effects / ECM

Excretion principle, enzymes intact. Trends toward self-healing. Favorable prognosis.

Cellular Phases – Accumulation of Toxic Load – Intracellular Effects / ICM

Condensation principle, impaired enzymes. Trends toward deterioration. Dubious prognosis.

TISSUES “Germ Layers”	Humoral/Acute Phases – Active Drainage of Toxins – Extracellular Effects / ECM			BIOLOGICAL DIVISION	Cellular Phases – Accumulation of Toxic Load – Intracellular Effects / ICM		
	EXCRETION <i>Health intact; Immediate expulsion of toxins</i> Phase I	REACTION <i>Inflammation/symptoms to fully eliminate toxin</i> Phase II	DEPOSITION <i>Defense disrupted; toxins stored in ECM</i> Phase III		IMPREGNATION <i>Toxic load affects cellular function; chronic inflam.</i> Phase IV	DEGENERATION <i>Toxic load destroys cells</i> Phase V	NEOPLASM <i>Communication off-line; cells out of control</i> Phase VI
Ectodermal (outside skin) Epidermal: Outer layer	Perspiration, ear wax, sebum, etc.	Furuncles, erythema, dermatitis, eczema, pyodermais, etc.	Atheroma, warts, keratosis, clavi, etc.	BIOLOGICAL DIVISION	“Tattooing”, pigmentation, etc.	Dermatosis, Lupus Vulgaris, leprosis, etc.	Ulcus rodens, basalioma, etc.
Orodermal: Upper Resp.	Saliva, colds, catarrh, etc.	Stomatitis, rhinitis, thrush	Nasal polyps, cysts, etc.		Leukoplakia, etc.	Chronic atrophic rhinitis, etc.	Cancer of the mucous
Neurodermal: Nerve Sys	Neuro-hormonal secretion of cells, etc.	Poliomyelitis in febrile stage, herpes zoster, etc.	Benign neuroma, neuralgia, etc.		Migraine, eye twitching, virus infections (poliomyelitis)	Paresis, sclerosis, atrophy of optical nerve, syringoma, etc.	Neuroma, Gliosarcoma, etc.
Sympatheticodermal: Eye & Autonomic Nerve Sys	Neuro-hormonal secretion of cells, etc.	Neuralgias, herpes zoster, etc.	Benign neuroma, neuralgia, etc.		Asthma, ulcus ventre et duodeni, etc.	Neurofibromatosis, etc.	Gliosarcoma, etc.
Entodermal (inner layer) Mucodermal: Digestion & Respiratory Lining	Gastrointestinal secretions, CO2, sercobilin, etc., toxins with feces	Pharyngitis, laryngitis, enteritis, colitis, etc.	Polypi of the mucous membranes, constipation, megalocolon, etc.		Asthma, hoarseness, ulcus ventre et duodeni, carcinoidal syndrome	Tuberculosis of the lung and of the intestine, etc.	Cancer of larynx, stomach, intestine, rectum, etc.
Organodermal	Bile, pancreatic juice, thyroid hormones, etc.	Parotitis, pneumonia, hepatitis, cholangitis, etc.	Silicosis, struma, cholelithiasis, etc.		Toxic liver damage, pulmonary infiltration, virus infections, etc.	Cirrhosis of the liver, hyperthyroidism, myxoedema, etc.	Sarcoma of various locations, etc.
Mesenchymal (Pre-Stage of ECM) Interstitiodermal	Mesenchymal interstitial substance, hyaluronic acid, etc.	Abscess, phlegmons, carbuncles, etc.	Obesity, gout, edema, etc.		Preliminary stages of elephantiasis, etc., influenza virus infection	Scleroderma, cachexia, enlarged labia minora, etc.	Sarcoma of various locations, etc.
Osteodermal	Hematopoiesis, etc.	Osteomyelitis, etc.	Exotose, etc.		Osteomalacia, etc.	Spondylitis, etc.	Osteosarcoma, etc.
Hemodermal	Menstruation, blood and antibody formation	Endocarditis, typhoid fever, sepsis, embolism	Varicose veins, thrombosis, sclerosis, etc		Angina pectoris, myocardosis, etc.	Myocardial infarction, panmyelophthisis, pernicious anaemia, etc.	Myeloid leukemia, angiosarcoma, etc.
Lymphodermal	Lymph, etc., antibody formation	Tonsillitis, appendicitis, etc.	Swelling of the lymph glands, etc.		Lymphatism, etc.	Lymphogranulomatosis etc.	Lymphatic leukemia, lymphosarcoma, etc.
Cavodermal	Liquor, synovial fluid	Polyarthritis	Dropys, etc.		Hydrocephalus, etc.	Coxarthrosis, etc.	Chondrosarcoma, etc.
Mesodermal (middle layer) Nephrodermal	Urine with metabolic end products	Cystitis, pyelitis, nephritis, etc.	Prostate hypertrophia, nephrolithiasis, etc.		Albuminuria hydronephrosis, etc.	Nephrosis, renal atrophy, etc.	Kidney carcinoma
Serodermal	Secretions of the serous membranes	Pleuritis, pericarditis, peritonitis, etc.	Pleural exudate, ascites, etc.		Preliminary stages of tumors	Impotentia virilis, sterility, etc.	Cancer of the serous membranes, etc.
Germinodermal	Menstruation, sperm, prostatic fluid, ovulation, etc.	Adnexitis, metritis, ovaritis, salpingitis, prostatitis, etc.	Myomas, prost. hypert., hydroceles, cysts, ovarian cysts, etc.		Preliminary stages of tumours (adnexa, uterus, testicles)	Impotentia virilis, sterility, etc.	Cancer of the uterus, ovaries, testicles, etc.
Musculodermal	Lactic acid, lactic acidogen, etc.	Muscular rheumatism, myositis, etc.	Myogeloses, rheumatism, etc		Myositis ossificans, etc.	Dystrophia musculorum progressiva, etc.	Myosarcoma, etc.

TABLE OF HOMOTOXICOSIS: A map for understanding how toxins can create symptoms

In homotoxicology, diseases are the expression of biologically purposeful defensive mechanisms against endogenous and exogenous homotoxins, or the expression of the organism's effort to compensate for toxic damage it has sustained. The six-phase table is a field matrix reflecting medical experience based on careful observation and empirical learning. It is a phase-by-phase arrangement of disorders with no direct relationship between them. No causal pathogenetic link between disorders can be inferred. The structure of the table makes it suitable for developing a prediction system giving a better assessment of the possibilities for a vicariation effect. (Abridged, based on: Hans-Heinrich Reckeweg "Homotoxins & Homotoxicoses– Principles of a synthesis in medicine" 1955)