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Introduction: Corticosteroids may induce psychiatric symptoms (agitation, fear, hypomania, insomnia, irritability, labile mood, pressured speech and restlessness) with incidence rates ranging from 1,8% to 57%. We present a case of corticosteroid-induced mania and psychosis.

Objectives: Non-systematic review on corticosteroid therapy induced psychiatric symptoms. Analysis and comparison of a patient's case with the existing literature.

Methods: Case report and a non-systematic review through databases as Pubmed, UpToDate, Medscape, between 2000 and 2020.

Results: We present a female 70 year-old patient without psychiatric background, diagnosed with Rhizomelic Pseudopolyarthritis, who started treatment with prednisone 20 mg. During the third month of treatment the patient started progressively worse behavior changes (such as destruction of the neighbor's property), developed persecutory delusions, decreased sleep and increased energy. The patient was committed to our psychiatric ward and started on diazepam 10 mg and olanzapine 15 mg per day. Despite introduction of antipsychotics, which has evidence for mood stabilization, the patient maintained the symptoms, so it was necessary to gradually reduce corticosteroids until symptomatic control.

Conclusions: Psychosis (24%), hypomania and mania (35%), are the most common psychiatric reactions to corticosteroid therapy. Several studies show that even a low dosage may induce psychiatric disturbances, most frequently during the first two weeks of treatment. However, as reported in this case, symptoms may occur at any time. Thus, a multidisciplinary team, as well as training of professionals from different specialties, such as psychiatry, rheumatology and endocrinology, are needed, since these syndromes may be confused with pure psychiatric conditions and consequently delay treatment and compromise prognosis.

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Internet-related problems and learning motivation of the students of medical university

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Introduction: Nowadays the cyberspace penetrates all the spheres of our lives: work, leisure and learning activity. However, uncontrolled presence in the virtual reality can form Internet-addictive behavior. Young people seem to be in increased risk of Internet-related problems.

Objectives: The research aim is to study the motivational sphere of the students with different level of Internet dependency.

Methods: The research methods are: Chen Internet Addiction Scale (CIAS), Internet Perception Inventory, Learning Motivation

Diagnostics Inventory, Test of Motivation of Success or Fear of the Failure. The sample consists of 37 students of the medical university in the age from 21 to 24 years. According to the results of the CIAS 3 groups have been marked out: Group 1 - with the highest level of Internet-related problems, Group 2 - the risk group of forming the Internet addiction, Group 3 - students who have not demonstrated proneness to Internet-addictive behavior.

Results: The motivational sphere of the students with a low risk of Internet addiction seem to be more differentiated comparing with the one of the rest students. The motives of creative self-realization; communicative, social and learning motives have been demonstrated. However, we have not found a significant difference between the groups in motivation for success. The motives of professional self-realization are equally important for all the research participants.

Conclusions: The obtained data can be implemented when designing Internet addiction prevention programs. We assume that including the motivational component into such programs can make them more effective.

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A systematic review: Investigation of effectiveness of the web based online interventions to manage and reduce stress of university students

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Introduction: The literature shows a high prevalence of psychopathological problems, anxiety and depression among university students because of academic expectations, uncertain future plans, staying away from their family, economic issues and peer relationships. Although these problems show high prevalence among university students, providing them a professional care is limited so most of problems remain untreated. Nowadays the students use digital technologies commonly therefore web based and computer delivered interventions may be useful for them to improve resilience and coping strategies.

Objectives: The intent of the study was to review systematically the impacts of web based and computer delivered interventions regarding stress management among university students.

Methods: Several databases were searched with using key words such as university students, online interventions, web based interventions and stress management. Randomised controlled studies were reviewed.

Results: We found 284 article with the key words. Only four of them met the including criterias. All results of reviewed articles show that web based online interventions have an impact to reduce depression, stress and anxiety level among students. According to the results students improved coping skills against stress after web based online sessions.

Conclusions: The findings show that web based and computer delivered interventions can be effective to improve resilience and reduce students' depression, anxiety and stress symptoms when compared non-interactive and inactive controls. In addition online interventions regarding stress management may provide us to reach out large group of university students.