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Staphylococcus D vaccine kit, used in the treatment of periodontal disease, produced by the National Institute of Development In Microbiology and Immunology Cantacuzino - Romania

A new method of periodontitis treatment by modulating the immune response with SVD associated with polyvaccine (Polidin) and antibiotics together with conventional treatment.

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Introduction

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Objectives

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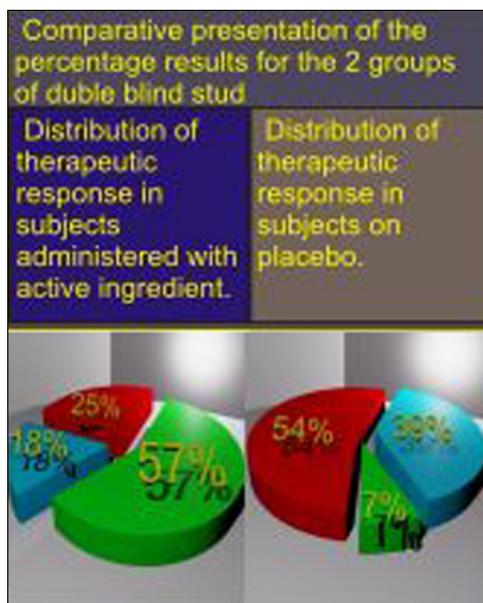


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Results

VSD in periodontal therapy has been demonstrated by:

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V.4. Biochemical analysis - the use of enzymatic markers in evaluating the inflammatory process evolution after treatment with SVD: HDL, LDL, PAF-AH, C-reactive protein ROS and inflammation-reducing confirmed - (VIASAN research program no.333/2004).

V.5. Clinical cases (case 1, 2, 3, 4, 5).

V.6. Morpho-pathological exam applied on 30 subjects with biopsy before and after immunotherapy: see results - case 6, 7, 8, 9.



Fig. 3: Results 1 before



Fig. 4: Results 1 after

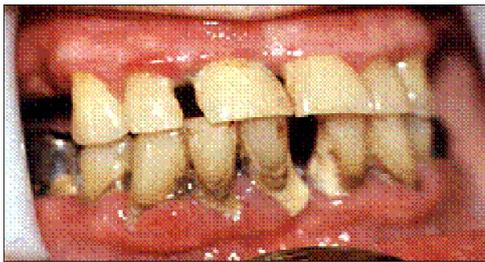


Fig. 5: Results 2 before



Fig. 6: Results 2 after



Fig. 7: Results 3 before



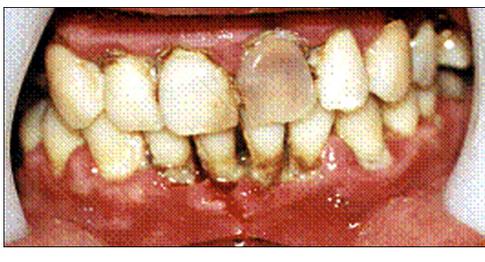
Fig. 8: Results 3 after



Fig. 9: Results 4 before



Fig. 10: Results 4 after



V.5. Signs of clinical efficacy assessment of immunotherapy with SVD

BEFORE TREATMENT

- purple color, glossy gum
- massive edema of gum
- periodontal pockets
- spontaneous or induced gum bleeding
- pockets suppuration
- soft, friable gum
- fetid halena
- occlusal instability
- excessive concern for periodontal suffering

AFTER TREATMENT

- pink, healthy gum
- reduction of inflammatory edema
- reduced depth of periodontal pockets
- reducing spontaneous or induced gums bleeding, up to disappearance
- reducing suppurations up to disappearance
- scaring marginal epithelium with gum, modified consistency, firm and normal texture gum
- feeling of occlusal stability
- reduced mobility
- no more halena

1.

Before: Dg C.C 32 years. - Periodontitis - purple coloration and clinical signs of gum hypertrophy and bleeding, plaque, tartar, bags up to 8 mm, up to grade 3 mobility, suppuration blocking the reverse gear 13 to 44, 11 - ulceration of gingival margins.

After: SVD immunotherapy and local treatment - reducing inflammation, no more gum bleeding or suppurations, normal color, texture and consistency of gum, reduced pockets mobility and size, regeneration of the gingival margins.

2.

Before: G.L Dg 79 years. Periodontitis - clinical signs - massive gingival swelling, bleeding, suppuration, plaque and tartar, periodontal pockets up to 10mm, tooth mobility to grade 3, horizontally and vertically dental migrations, occluso-articular imbalance by edentation and loss of mastication units.

After: immunotherapy with VSD - reducing inflammation, bleeding and suppurations, reduced size and no mobility of periodontal pockets, normal color, texture and consistency of gums.

3.

Before: Dg S.A.G 12 years - juvenile periodontitis: clinical signs and papillae hypertrophy, bleeding, reduced bacterial plaque, deep pockets 7 -8 mm.

After: immunotherapy with VSD and local treatment - reduced or no more inflammation, normal texture of gum. Reduced deep of pockets.

4.

Before: Dg M.M 35 years. Periodontiti - clinical signs: purple coloration and hypertrophy of gingival papillae, plaque, tartar, pockets up to 10 mm, mobility up to grade 3.

After: immunotherapy with VSD and local treatment - reducing inflammation, no more bleeding or suppurations, cvasinormal texture and color of gum. Reduced pockets depth.

5.

Before: HS - 32 years Dg. ulcero necrotic periodontitis, clinical signs - gum ulcerations, inflammation, bleeding, plaque, tartar, pockets up to 8- 10 mm, mobility up to grade 3 , gingival retraction.

After: SVD immunotherapy and local treatment - reducing inflammation, healing ulcerations, no more bleeding or suppurations. Reduced pockets depth and mobility

Nr. Crt.	BEFORE TREATMENT	AFTER TREATMENT
1	Porphyromonas asaccharolytica Peptostreptococcus anaerobius	Staphylococcus epidermidis
2	Bacteroides fragilis	<i>No bacteria developed</i>
3	Staphylococcus warneri	Staphylococcus warneri
4	Staphylococcus anreus	<i>No bacteria developed</i>
5	Fusobacterium nucleatum Staphylococcus epidermidis	Fusobacterium nucleatum
6	<i>No bacteria developed</i>	<i>No bacteria developed</i>
7	Staphylococcus chromogenes	<i>No bacteria developed</i>
8	Staphylococcus epidermidis Veillonella parvula	- Veillonella parvula
9	Staphylococcus epidermidis Bacteroides fragilis	Staphylococcus epidermidis Bacteroides fragilis
10	Staphylococcus capitis	<i>No bacteria developed</i>

11	Bifidobacterium sp. Staphylococcus aureus	Bifidobacterium sp.
12	Bifidobacterium sp. Streptococcus viridans	Bifidobacterium sp. Streptococcus viridans
13	Streptococcus viridans	Streptococcus viridans
14	Bifidobacterium sp. Staphylococcus epidermidis	Bifidobacterium sp. Staphylococcus epidermidis
15	Fusobacterium mortiferum Staphylococcus epidermidis	Fusobacterium mortiferum Streptococcus viridans

Tab. 1

V.6. Morpho-pathological exam applied on 30 subjects with biopsy before and after immunotherapy: see results (case 6, 7, 8, 9).

BEFORE TREATMENT

Gum:

- on its surface: necrotic cellular debris, microbial colonies, purulent exudate leukocyte.
- in the epithelium: different degrees of atrophy of epithelial cells, ulcerations.
- in the chorion: Chronic granulomatous inflammatory infiltrates with vessels of neoformations, colonies microbial and fungal.

AFTER TREATMENT

Gum:

- epithelium is regenerated, with benign cellular proliferation and para-keratosis and hiper-keratosis, mato papilo in chorion proliferation among groups of connective fibers papilomatoze, absence of microbial colonies.

In the chorion: numerous reticulin fiber bundles accompanying dense collagen fibers, decreased frequency of chronic inflammatory infiltration, no more granulomatous tissue, no more microbial or fungal colonies.

6.

Before treatment: neoformation vessels massive leukocyte infiltration, granulation tissue in the chorion, Col. HE x 100

After treatment: many papilla profiling, digitiforme with epithelial integrity; normal chorion joint-vascular axis with a few lymphocytes, which usually occur in a normal chorion. Basal cell proliferation and hyperkeratosis-Col. HE x 200

7.

Before treatment: - gingival epithelium atrophic with ulceration, and detritus necrotic. In the chorion granulation tissue with inflammatory infiltrates and new vessels .Col. HE x 64

After treatment: the epithelium cells displaying normal spinous layer with dezmozomi (intercellular bridges) in the surface layer is observed paraketoza process. Epithelial cell regeneration and chorion - Col. HE x 400

8.

Before treatment: - Microbial colony before and micelles in deeper layers, cellular alterations chorion, Col. HE x 64

After treatment: detail, complete restoration of spindle collagen interdental papilla. Col Gomory x 200

9.

Before treatment: - Extract of gum, stain Gomory- depolymerization massive network of collagen

After treatment: complete restoration of connective tissue with collagen proliferation explains the consistency of the gum farm after treatment, network of collagen. Col Gomory x 100

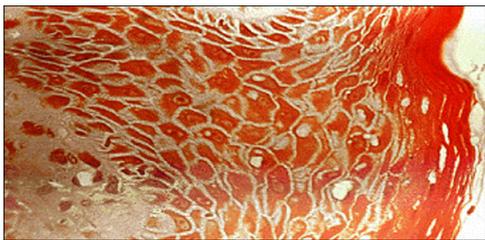


Fig. 13: Results 5 after

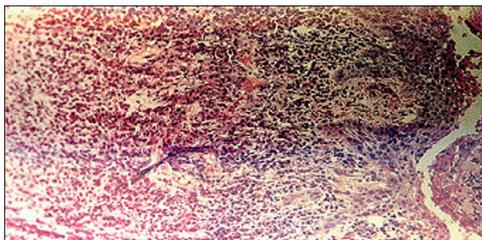


Fig. 14: Results 5 before

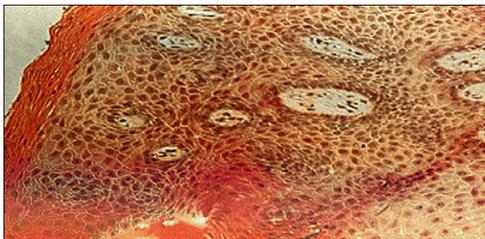


Fig. 15: Results 6 after

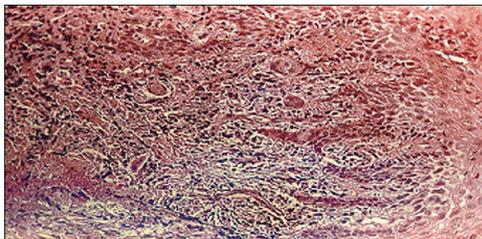


Fig. 16: Results 6 before

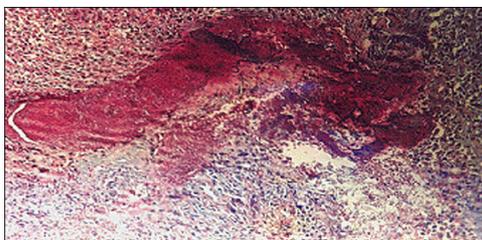
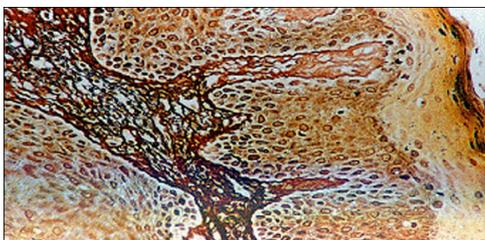


Fig. 17: Results 8 after

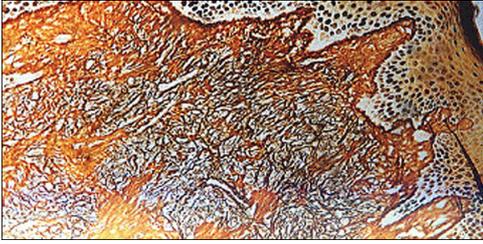


Fig. 18: Results 8 before

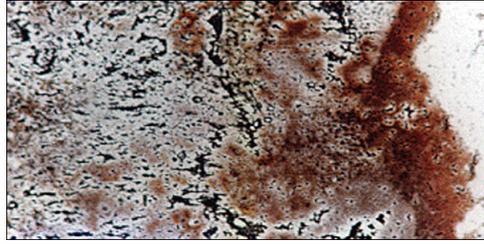


Fig. 19: Results 9 after

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Conclusions

Because acquired immunity is reduced in 6 months after first immunomodulator cycle, reimmunization is required in 6 months, 1 year and 2 years at the end of each cycle, consisting of 9-10 inoculations of successive dilutions of 1/2 and 1/1 vial. If relapses occur, 3 to 4 vials of successive dilutions are to be inoculated. SVD immunomodulating therapy can be applied together with conventional periodontal treatments as hygiene, cleaning scaling, surgery, occlusion therapy etc.

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V.2 Comparative presentation of the bacteriological results for 2 groups of double blind stud.

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Invasive leukocyte infiltration, granulation tissue in the chorion. Col. HE x 100

After treatment, many papilla profusa
epithelium with epithelial stratification, normal chorion pseudo-vascular axis with a few lymphocytes, which usually occur in a normal chorion. (Small cell proliferation and hyperkeratosis-Col. HE x 200

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atrophic with ulceration, and desquamated cells in the chorion granulation tissue with inflammatory infiltrates and new vessels. Col. HE x 64

After treatment, the epithelium cells
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V.8 Before treatment, Microbial colony
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After treatment, detail, complete
restoration of gingiva collagen interstitial papilla. Col. Gonyo x 200

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