

OUR EXPERIENCE IN USE OF PROHERBIS DROPS IN TREATMENT AND PREVENTION OF HELICOBACTER PYLORI

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Introduction: Helicobacter pylori (HP) is a part of the normal gastric flora and is the cause for more than 80% of gastric and 90% of duodenal ulcuses and gastric cancer (1-2 %).

Methods: For 5 years we examined 1200 patients with dyspeptic disorders. We used the test for the presence of HP antibodies in serum (IgA and IgG).

Results: 690 patients were positive for HP (from which 68 pregnant and 33 nursing women). Depending on the levels of titer of the antibodies and the confirmed diagnosis, the treatment was different. The patients with acute infection were taking the ProHerbis drops as an introductory therapy, 10-15 minutes prior to the triple therapy and after completing it, the patients go on taking ProHerbis three times a day during two months. In case the titer of the antibodies was not decreased after the first check up (45 days), the patients continued taking the drops in the next six months, 2-3 times a day 20-30 drops. 20-30% of patients after the second check up (90 days) had no decrease of the titer of antibodies and they had the initial suffering because of the resistance to the antibiotics. We administered to these patients the quadruple therapy and they go on taking ProHerbis drops in the next six months (20-30 drops), 2-3 times a day. The nursing and pregnant women with positive HP antibodies were not allowed to take triple therapy; they were taking 20-30 drops of ProHerbis in period of 2-3 months.

Conclusion: According to the researches performed in Belgrade at the Department of Microbiology of "Dragisa Misovic" Hospital, as well as at the Institute of virusology and immunology "Torlak", the solution ProHerbis beside increasing the non-specific immunity shows particular bacteriostatic and bactericidal effect upon HP. We confirmed that after 45 days and especially after 90 days of the treatment.

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