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PBHRF's Spanish connections

Dr. Prasanta Banerji, Managing Trustee and Dr. Pratip Banerji, Dy. Managing Trustee, PBHRF have been invited to deliver lectures between October 31 and November 2, 2008 at the

- Sociedad Espanola de Medicina Homeopathica in Valladolid;
- Academia Medico Homeopathica de Barcelona • in Barcelona; and
- Tenerife Island

Drs. Banerji main speakers at International Conference on Anti-Cancer Research

Dr. Prasanta Banerji, Managing Trustee, and Dr. Pratip Banerji, Dy. Managing Trustee, PBHRF, were the main speakers at the 8th International Conference of Anticancer Research held at Kos, Greece, from October 17 to 22, 2008.

Drs. Banerji made a presentation entitled The Banerii Protocols; The Regression of Malignant Tumours by a Non-Invasive and Non-Toxic Oral Medical Approach.

Homeopathic Treatment under the Banerji Protocol

Under the Banerji Protocol, specific medicines are prescribed for specific diseases or ailments. Some prescriptions are given below :-

- Sang Can 200C + Bell 3C e Acute Sinusitis -1/2/3h.
- Anal Fissure D/W stat.

Rhus Tox 200C, 1 Dose in

> Sulphur 200C + Ratanhia 200C 2d morning and evening this same medicine combination can be taken every one hourly during acuteness till much relief.

Nux Vom 30C 1d at bedtime

- Burns (%) Cantharis 200C Ars Alb 200C e 3h Cantharis ointment can be applied Nux Vom 30C 2d Constipation
- Depression - Ignatia 200C 2d



-: CONGRATULATIONS :--

To Dr. Pradyut Pal and Kajol, for becoming the proud parents of a beautiful baby girl.

To Ms. Sunita Bhutia and Mingmu for becoming the proud parents of a baby boy, Karma.

! HATS Off !



Anup



To Anup and Mukesh - for successfully managing the front office and enquiry counter, with a footfall of 1000+ patients everv dav.

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About the Foundation

The Prasanta Banerji Homeopathic Research Foundation (PBHRF) was set up in Kolkata in 1992 as a trust with a view to undertake efforts in every possible way to establish homeopathy as a scientific and effective mode of medical treatment. Since 2003, PBHRF has operated as a scientific and research organisation (SIRO), accredited by the Department of Scientific Research (DOSR), Government of India.

This being so, an important sphere of PBHRF's activities is research on homeopathy. Since its inception, PBHRF has been engaged in collaborative research on various aspects of homeopathic treatment with institutes of international renown.

The second important sphere of PBHRF's operations has been to help establish homeopathy as a 'mode of medical treatment for the masses' - mainly by developing awareness and extending homoeopathic treatment facilities to underprivileged patients who are unable to bear the high costs of conventional medical treatment.



PBHRF clinic in Kolkata

QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER OF THE PRASANTA BANERJI HOMEOPATHIC RESEARCH FOUNDATION



Dr. Moshe Frenkel of MD Anderson Cancer Center, USA at PBHRF to study breast cancer treatment under Banerji Protocol

Dr. Moshe Frenkel, Associate Professor of Integrative Medicine and the Medical Director of the Integrative Medicine Program, Division of Cancer Medicine, Department of Palliative Care and Rehabilitation Medicine at The University of Texas M D Anderson Cancer Center, USA, undertook recently a week-long study of the Banerji Protocol of Homeopathic treatment at the Prasanta Banerji Homeopathic Research Foundation (PBHRF).

Currently in charge of a multidisciplinary team offering consultation and treatment in the Center's Integrative Medicine Clinic as well as The Place



Dr. Moshe Frenkel

of Wellness to cancer patients who wish to integrate complementary and integrative medicine in their treatment, Dr. Frenkel is also involved in research. The main focus of his research activity is the rational integration of complementary medicine into the education and clinical practice of conventional medicine.

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Worldwide, breast cancer is the second most common type of cancer after lung cancer, and the fifth most common cause of cancer deaths; in [India, studies reveal that breast cancer may soon replace cervical cancer as the most common type of cancer.

While The University of Texas M D Anderson Cancer Center offers treatment for every conceivable type of cancer, Dr. Frenkel said that the incidence of breast cancer has alarmingly been on the rise also in the USA. Laboratory experiments based on the Banerji Protocol have been successfully carried out at the Centre for the treatment of breast cancer which will be an important aspect of the Centre's ongoing research collaboration with the PBHRF for the treatment of all types of cancer. The objective of Dr. Frenkel's visit was to acquire first-hand knowledge of the Banerji Protocol of homeopathic treatment in terms of its relevance to the Integrative Medicine Program of his Center. He said that the Banerji Protocol of homeopathic treatment (based on the use of specific medicines, or their combinations, for specific diseases) was practical, a simplified mode of treatment, and easy to implement, with high percentages of success. Having met many cancer patients, and collected enough information about their treatment at PBHRF, Dr. Frenkel added that the Banerji Protocol of homeopathic treatment has certainly proved its effectiveness to warrant serious study and research on a continuing basis considering that a very high percentage of cancer patients in the USA now look for complementary modes of treatment.

Joint research project on the action of Banerji Protocols on breast cancer

The PBHRF and the University of Texas M D Anderson Cancer Center have undertaken a joint research project on the action of Banerji Protocols on breast cancers. Dr. Subrata Sen, Ph.D, Associate Professor, Dept. of Molecular Pathology, was at PBHRF from October 8 to 11, 2008 to finalise preparations for this project.

The Banerji Protocol of treatment is a unique system of homeopathic treatment evolved by Drs. Prasanta and Pratip Banerji of PBHRF. Under this protocol, diseases and ailments are diagnosed with the use of the latest technologies and specific

medicines - or combinations of specific medicines - are prescribed accordingly. This is a departure from classical homoeopathy.

Drs. Banerji's paper on cancer treatment published in Oncology Reports

Dr. Prasanta Banerji, Managing Trustee, and Dr. Pratip Banerji, Dy. Managing Trustee, PBHRF, along with Dr. Donald R. Campbell (of Saint Luke's Hospital and University of Missouri, Kansas City, MO, USA) as co-author, had prepared and submitted a paper on cancer treatment to Oncology Reports. The paper titled Cancer Patients treated with the Banerji protocols utilising homeopathic medicine : A Best Case Series Program of the National Cancer Institute USA, was accepted and published in the Oncology Reports 20: 2008 issue.

Dr. Prasanta Baneriji delivers special lecture at the M D Anderson Cancer Centre, the University of Texas, USA

Dr. Prasanta Banerji, Managing Trustee of PBHRF, was invited by The University of Texas M D Anderson Cancer Centre to deliver a special lecture on July 15, 2008 under its Integrative Medicine Program.

Dr. Banerji spoke on : "Banerji Protocol" of Cancer Treatment with Ultradilutional Doses of Homeopathic Medicines : "National Cancer Institute Best Case Series" Program Validated Case Reports and Ongoing Experimental Studies.

Dr. Banerji also met Dr. Moshe Frenkel, Director of the Integrative Medicine Program to discuss various aspects of research in homeopathy and homeopathic treatment, and these interactions have served as the basis for Dr. Frenkel's proposed visit to PHBRF in Kolkata in September this year for a closer study of the Banerji Protocol of Homeopathic treatment.

Drs. Banerji of PBHRF make presentation at ECONAT 2008

Dr. Prasanta Banerji, Managing Trustee and Dr. Pratip Banerji, Dy. Managing Trustee of PBHRF were invited by the International Congress of Natural Medicine to make a 45-minute presentation at ECONAT 2008, an international econatural conference on natural medicine, held in Madrid between September 19 and 21, 2008.

PBHRF's collaborative research projects at present

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At present, the PBHRF is engaged in collaborative research projects with researchers of

- s The University of Columbia on paediatric brain tumours:
- The University of Kansas Medical Centre on brain tumour cell lines: and
- The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center - on breast cancers.

International acceptance and recognition

All over the world, a very large number of patients suffering from various diseases and ailments are being treated by Dr. Prasanta Banerji and Dr. Pratip Banerji of PBHRF, under their Banerji Protocol of homeopathic treatment. It has been found that patients from more than 60 countries are at present following the Banerji Protocol through the website www.pbhrfindia.org.

Map showing the use of the **Banerji Protocol of treatment**



The map above shows (a) in light green, the regions of the world from where patients seek online medical advice and treatment under the Banerji Protocol, and (b) in dark green, the countries with the highest number of e-patients undergoing treatment under the Banerji Protocol.

PBHRF's collaboration with Columbia University continues

The Columbia University in the USA has initiated an Integrative Therapies Program For Children with Cancer in its Division of Paediatric Oncology.

Dr. Elena Ladas, MS, RD, Director and Dr. Kara M. Kelly, MD, Medical Director of the Program and three others from the University were at PBHRF, Kolkata in November, 2007. They met more than 30 paediatric cancer patients, observed individual cases and interacted with Dr. Prasanta Baneriji, Dr. Pratip Baneriji and other senior doctors of PBHRF to get a first-hand perspective on the Banerji Protocol of homeopathic treatment for cancer.



Columbia University Team at PBHRF Clinic, Kolkata

As a follow-up to their visit, the PBHRF has prepared and submitted a Best case Series of case studies on paediatric cancer, for submission to the National Cancer Institute, USA for the subsequent initiation of clinical trials at Columbia University. In vivo and in vitro experiments with PBHRF medicines were also proposed to be initiated at the University.

PBHRF's collaboration with Columbia University is continuing, with a meeting between Dr. Kelly and Dr. Prasanta Banerji at the University held on July 21 this year to discuss collaborative research projects in detail, and also arrangements for the review of original pathology slides, MRI and/or CT scans of each of the patients identified.