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ONCOTHERMIA COMBINATION WITH TRADITIONAL CHINESE MEDICINE: NETWORK APPROACH



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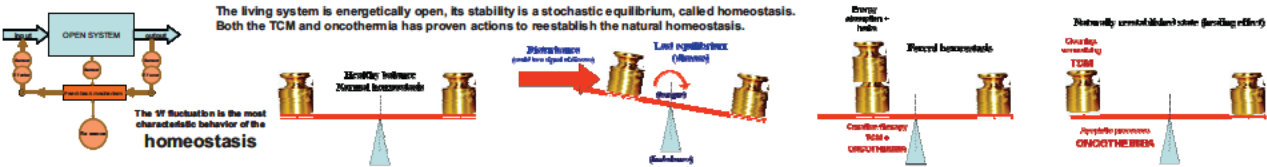
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Objective

Acupuncture and their connective pathways the meridians are ancient Chinese knowledge but it is not understood yet in details [1]. Request of the stable homeostasis of the complex organisms is demanding interdisciplinary approach and new paradigm for the topic. The delicting and reconstructing the deviation from the normal balance of the homeostasis is the basic principle of TCM. The Chinese herbs, the physical (mechanical or electromagnetic acupuncture, acupressure) and mixed forms of heating and diffusion therapies (moxa therapies) approaches are pointing these problems, and solving it with ancient methods. Oncothermia method (OTM) uses also the deviations from the normal homeostasis for selecting the tumor cells and on this basis ignite natural processes to eliminate them from the system, reestablishing the communication harmony between the cells [2]. This technique [3] is well proven from the laboratory level to the clinical applications [4]. Our aim is to synergize the TCM with OTM on the common basis of equilibrium demand; and use the recognition of the deviations from the complex harmony of the organism or its part for selection to act properly.

Method, research proposal

An extended network approach was presented in the topic [5], and we would like to continue our research on this basis. The in silico studies will have their roots from the network analysis together with the modern fluctuation theory for complex living organisms (fractal physiology) was developed in the last decades to study this complexity like self organization [6], [7], [8], [9], fractal physiology [10], [11], [12], [13], and the bioscanning [14], [15], [16]. Oncothermia widely using these new scientific results [17], [18], as well as the resonance phenomenon is studied and used in the light of a new theory [19], and special vector potential theory [20], [21], [22] helps to complete the method. The problems of the thermal limit in the deep seated tissues is theoretically [23] and experimentally [24] solved, so it has no any barrier for the wide investigations in synergy experiments. TCM involves electro acupuncture and laser acupuncture, which are similar in their electromagnetic (conductive) approach to oncothermia effects. We studied the network control in acupuncture and connected it with the fractal physiology approach, used essentially in oncothermia applications. The network is recognized as scale independent and so well generalized for all the living structures.



Oncothermia promotes the natural processes and in this meaning has coherent aims with TCM philosophy and especially with the acupuncture. The main proven effects of acupuncture are the pain-reduction and general analgesia, and reduction of the side effects of cytotoxic drugs and other side effects of the aggressive therapies. These factors could be good complementary facilities of the TCM and oncothermia methods.

The best, hypothetical cooperation of the methods however is on the field of immune-reactions.

Numerous published data show the immune-effect of acupuncture & many evidences we have in oncothermia on the natural apoptosis and abscopal effect (immune assisted hypothesis)

Acupuncture humans			Acupuncture animals		
Immuno action	References	Effect/action	Immuno action	References	Effect/action
Macrophages	25 30	promotor	Macrophages	29	promotor
Neutrophils	25 32 34	promotor	Neutrophils	31	promotor
Neutrophils s	33	no effect	NK cells	37	promotor
NK cells	25 30 40 41	promotor	Lymphocytes	37	promotor
Lymphocytes	25 30	promotor	Immunoglobulin s	53	promotor
Lymphocytes s	45	suppressor			
Immunoglobulin s	48 49	suppressor			
Immunoglobulin s	50	promotor			
Immunoglobulin s	51 52	no effect			

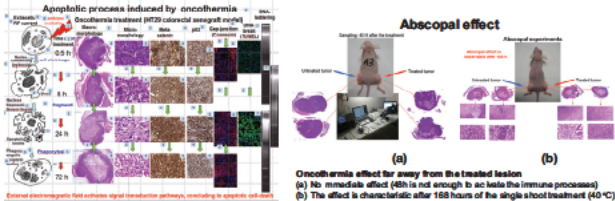
Electro acupuncture humans			Electro acupuncture animals		
Immuno action	Reference	Effect/action	Immuno action	References	Effect/action
NK cells	42	no effect	Macrophages	26 27	suppressor
			Macrophages	28	no effect
			NK cells	35 38 38	promotor
				39 43	no effect
			Lymphocytes	44 48	suppressor
			Lymphocytes	47	promotor
			Immunoglobulin s	44	suppressor

Conclusion

Recognition of the distortions in the healthy tissue have some common principles and possibilities in TCM and OTM. The synergy of the ancient knowledge and the high tech state of art of the medical knowledge could be established with this research.

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TCM diagnostic phenomena and actions for tumor

Pneum/Damp	Liver Qi Stagnation	Blood Stasis	Heat Toxicity	Spleen/Kidney Deficiency	Qi & Yin/Blood Deficiency	Qi & Yin	Blood
-ST 40	-PC 6	-SP 6	-SP 6	-ST 36	-SP 6	-LU 14	
-SP 4	-LI 4	-LI 4	-LI 4	-UB 20	-ST 36	-UB 39	
-LV 2	-SP 10	-SP 10	-SP 10	-UB 21	-KD 3	-UB 17	
-SP 9	-UB 17	-SHI XUAN	-REN 12	-KD 1	-ST 10		
-LI 10	-LV 3	-LI 1	-SP 6	-UB 23	-UB 23		
-HT 3	-UB 22	-UB 40	-LI 11	-PC 6	-UB 18	-REN 4	
-SI 5	-ST 44	-LI 5	-LI 11	-SP 4	-LV 3	-DU 4	
-LI 4	-LV 14	-UB 34	-LV 13	-KD 6	-KD 6	-DU 15	
-LI 11	-GB 34	-LI 5	-SP 10	-REN 6	-LI 11	-ST 36	
-UB 20	-LSH	-LV 3	-UB 23	-REN 6		-UB 20	
-UB 13	-ST 44	-LV 3	-DU 4	-REN 4		-SP 6	
-SI 10	-LV 14	-ST 44	-REN 6	-LV 3		-LV 3	
	-GB 34	-LV 14	-REN 4	-LV 3		-UB 21	
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