

TITLE: Efficacy of Virechana in Vitiligo [shwitra]

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ABSTRACT(upto300words)

This is a single blind randomized clinical study in patients of vitiligo (shwitra), a disease difficult for cure. The study was carried out on thirty outdoor patients. Patients from both sexes, from age group fifteen to fifty years complaining mainly as white depigmentation were studied. Shodhanchikitsa (purification treatment) -virechana (therapeutic purgation) was done with virechanyog containing abhyadi modak as the main ingredient with preprocedure and postprocedure treatments as per the texts. Along with this internal medications and local external application with natural phototherapy(aatapsevan) done in each patient . Duration of treatment was from one month to 6 months according to severity, duration of disease and response to the treatment. The response to treatment was observed in terms of reduction in area of depigmentation after treatment. Good result was noted in 56.66% cases ,medium relief in 33.33% cases and mild relief in just 10% cases noted. The result is statistically highly significant at 1% level. No major side effects of the treatment given were observed. The treatment is effective in all types of vitiligo (shwitra). The results of internal medications and external application with natural phototherapy got aggrevated specially after virechankarma. So virechana is very effective in vitiligo.

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