症例報告

不安障害患者の特発性歯痛に対して漢方薬が奏効した 1 症例

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要旨:特発性歯痛(非定型歯痛)は原因不明であるものの、心理的ストレスと末梢の組織刺激により発症するという仮説が提唱されている疾患である。今回、不安障害に対し抗精神病薬や抗不安薬を内服中である患者の特発性歯痛に、加味逍遙散が奏効した症例を経験した。本症例では、加味逍遙散によって痛みが軽快し、心理検査における抑うつ傾向や不安も軽減した.加味逍遙散はオレキシン神経系に作用することで抗ストレス作用があり、この効果により痛みが軽減したと考えられた。

索引用語:特発性歯痛、非定型歯痛、不安障害、加味逍遙散、漢方

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A case report of Kampo medicine treatment for idiopathic toothache with anxiety disorder

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Abstract: Although the cause of idiopathic toothache (atypical odontalgia) is unexplained, it is a disease that has been hypothesized to develop due to psychological stress and peripheral physical stimulation. We report a case in which kamishoyosan was effective in idiopathic toothache in a patient taking antipsychotics and anxiolytic drugs for anxiety disorders. In this case, kamishoyosan alleviated the pain and also reduced the tendency to depression and anxiety in psychological examination.

Kamishoyosan has an anti-stress effect by acting on the orexin nervous system, and it is thought that this effect reduced pain.

Key words: idiopathic tooth pain, atypical odontalgia, anxiety disorder, kamishoyosan, kampo medicine

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