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# **ANALYSIS OF 47 CASES OF CHIRONEX FLECKERI: COMPARISON BETWEEN CLINICAL SYMPTOMS AND PROVING**



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# Proving and case-reports

- both fundamental to our knowledge of remedies and needful for clinical homeopathic practice.
- their integration is necessary to build a more lively and useful **Materia Medica** for our prescriptions



# Remedy proving

(Homeopathic drug proving- now termed homeopathic pathogenetic trial)

- ✓ essential experimental start point in Homeopathy
- ✓ indispensable to prescribe a new remedy for the first time

Hahnemann himself exhorted us to prove new remedies to improve patient care



# Case-reports

→ not only an evidence of the effectiveness of a remedy:

physical and mental symptoms  
healed in an adequate  
number of patients  
might integrate  
the pathogenetic symptoms  
of pure Materia Medica



# case-reports are not all the same

Law of Similars can be applied  
on different levels:

**Constitutional:**  
treatment of the  
psoric ground of  
the patient



**Situational:**  
treatment of  
the reaction  
to the current  
situation



**Symptomatic:**  
treatment of the  
clinical entity



# “constitutional” case reports

- ✓ 3- 5 years follow-up
- ✓ clinical and psychosomatic healing
- ✓ direction of cure that respects Hering’s law (reparative and centrifugal)
- ✓ healing of the psoric ground according to the Hahnemann’s teaching
- ✓ acute intercurrent diseases are treated by the same constitutional remedy



(inclusion criteria)



# the Remedy and the Person: the genotypic ground

The “constitutional” case report is the expression of the application of the Law of Similars to the maximum degree of correspondence.

All the patient’s symptoms, current and past, are “the best homeopathic pathogenetic trial” and may represent  
**“Materia Medica Viva”**



# “limits” of homeopathic pathogenetic trial

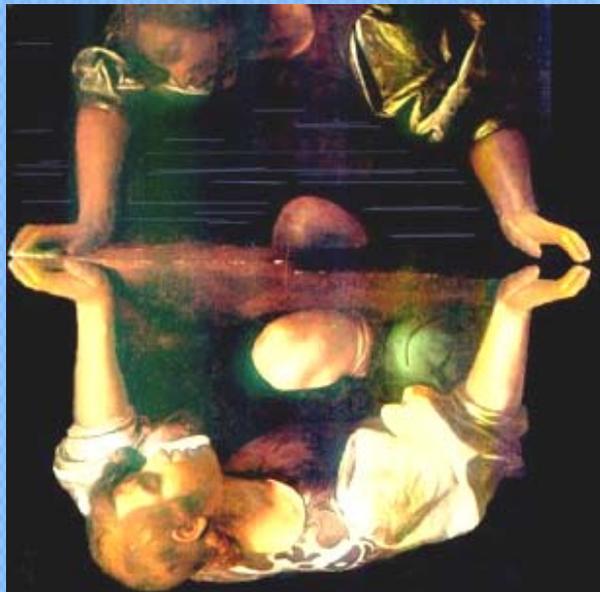
- ✓ often few provers
- ✓ medium and low potencies (in classical provings, often ponderal doses)
- ✓ stopped at the first appearance of symptoms (the nosological entity cannot appear, we don't know which serious diseases the Remedy can cure )
- ✓ do not involve children, elderly people, pregnant women (losing related symptoms)
- ✓ possible low provers' susceptibility / idiosyncrasy



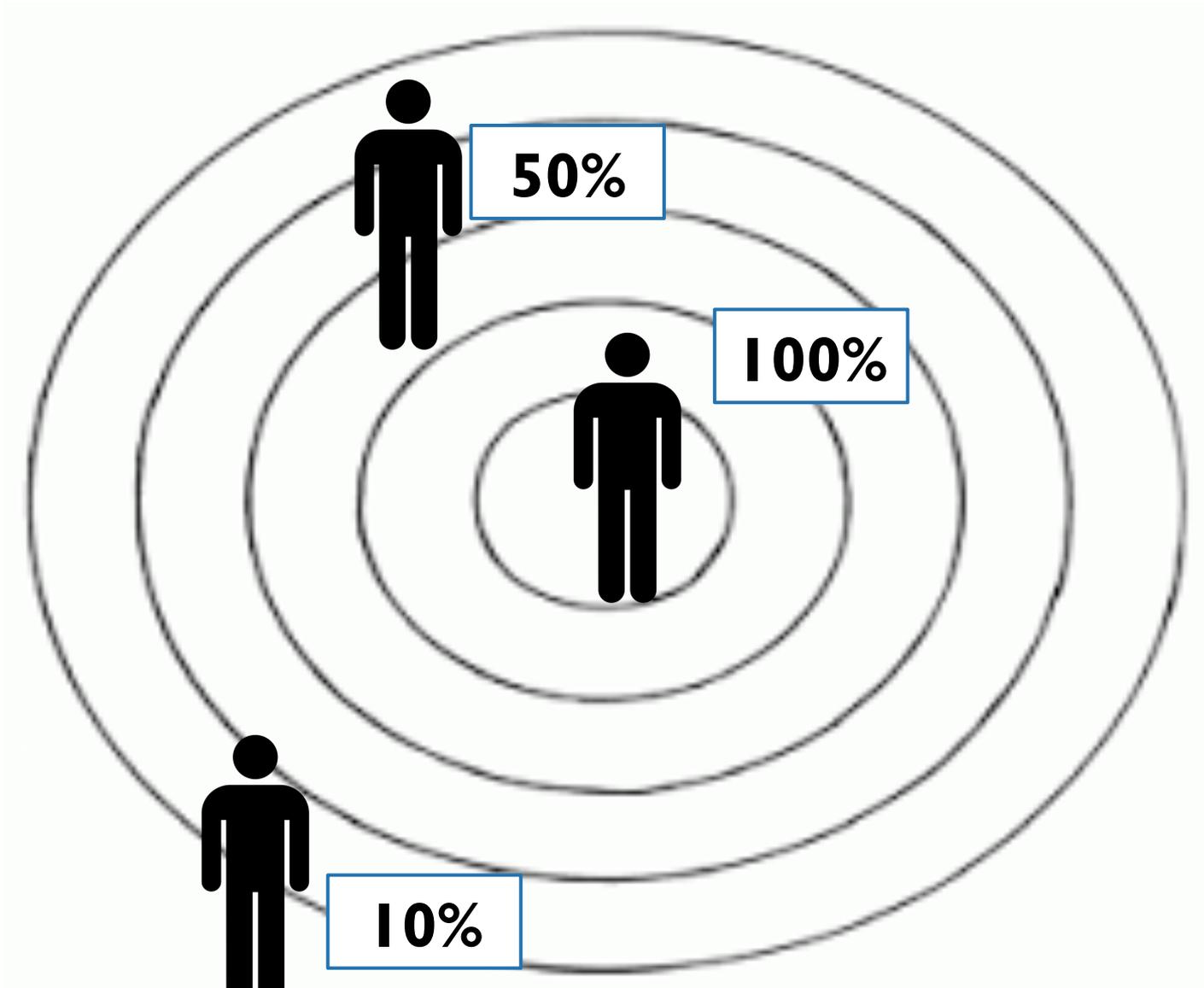
# provers' susceptibility

Only a few provers, by pure chance, have a good idiosyncrasy with the proved remedy; this happens when the remedy is similar to them (developing significant symptoms).

The **ideal prover** is a person who has a total idiosyncrasy with the proved remedy, that is who coincidentally takes its constitutional remedy.



# susceptibility / idiosyncrasy



# **“constitutional” case reports**



## **ideal prover**

The “constitutional” case report allow us to know the remedy in detail with some additional advantages:

- the patient has had lasting physical, mental and psoric benefits, as he/she has taken the remedy for years (and not for a week)
- he/she can be examined about diseases etiology and inner experience.





A HOMEOPATHIC PROVING OF  
CHIRONEX FLECKREII (CH-FL)

Box Jellyfish

ALASTAIR C GRAY

A. Gray and NCC realized in Sidney in 2001 a homeopathic drug proving of Chironex fleckeri, the Box Jellyfish, potency 30C, with 16 provers (published in 2003 and 2005); it allowed its inclusion in the Repertory (about 1500 rubrics).

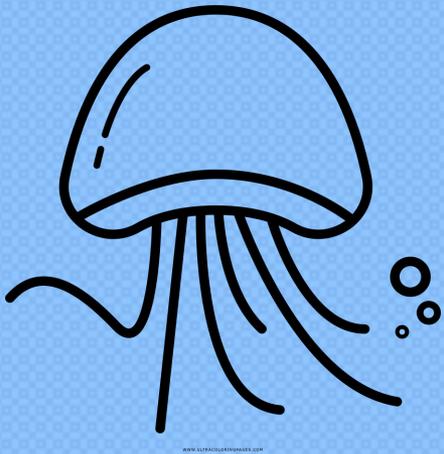
Our study starts from here.



# Milan, 2019: 47 case reports

From 2009 to today (10 years), teachers, students and graduates of our School have prescribed Chironex fleckeri to 63 patients.

We enrolled in our work only the 47 cases in which it represented the constitutional remedy, after a 3-9 years follow-up.

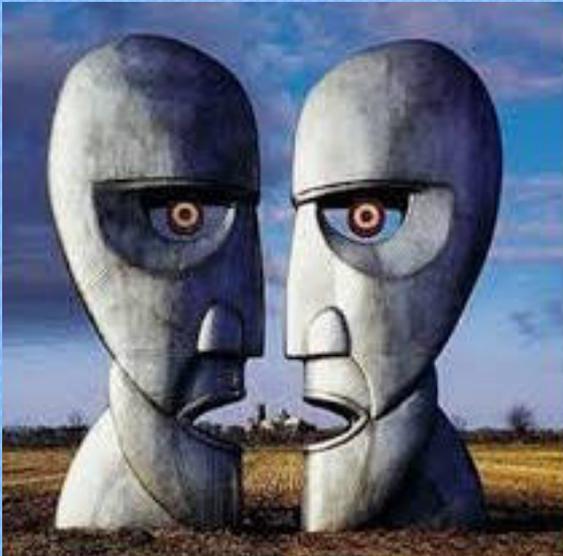


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# Comparison between proving and case reports

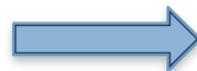
- **Confirmatory symptoms** already present in the homeopathic pathogenetic trial
- **Additional symptoms** not present in the homeopathic pathogenetic trial



# Confirmatory symptoms

The totality of the patient's symptoms was analyzed using a wide range of repertorial rubrics, to verify their correspondence with the proving:

- ✓ diagnostic symptoms of the first visit;
- ✓ anamnestic symptoms not included in the first repertorization that, after several years and the confirmation of *Chironex fleckeri* as constitutional remedy, they turned out to belong to the remedy afterwards.



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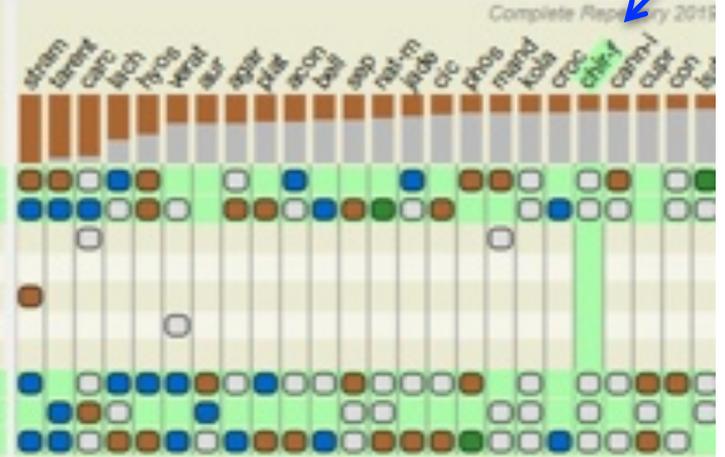


## caso Chironex N 6

Analisi 19 agosto 2019

L'analisi utilizza 10 rubriche.

- 92 Mind; Clairvoyance
- 84 Mind; Dance, desires to
- 5 Mind; Delusions, imaginations; fat, she becomes
- 1 Mind; Delusions, imaginations; light; full of, dark, and
- 1 Mind; Delusions, imaginations; power over all disease, has
- 1 Mind; Delusions, imaginations; powerful cure, of
- 2 Mind; Fear; fat, of becoming
- 118 Mind; Haughty, pride
- 46 Mind; Music; amel.
- 135 Mind; Sing, desires to

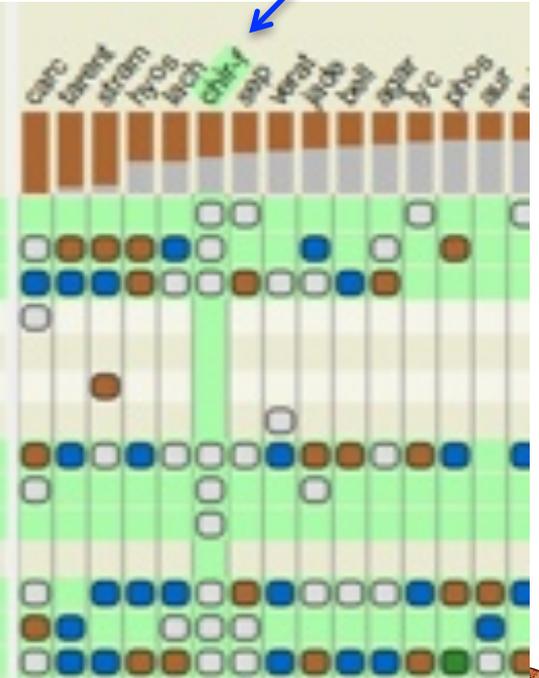


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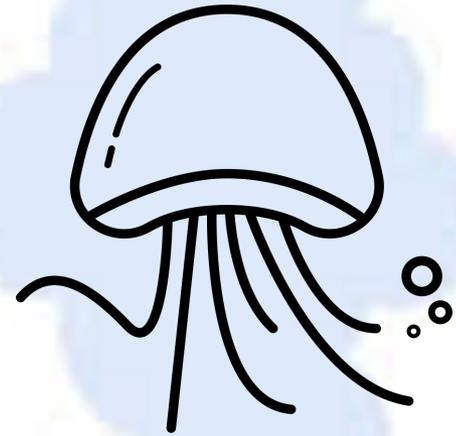
Analisi 19 agosto 2019

L'analisi utilizza 14 rubriche.

- 7 Mind; Anger, vexations, thinking about former
- 92 Mind; Clairvoyance
- 84 Mind; Dance, desires to
- 5 Mind; Delusions, imaginations; fat, she becomes
- 1 Mind; Delusions, imaginations; light; full of, dark, and
- 1 Mind; Delusions, imaginations; power over all disease, has
- 1 Mind; Delusions, imaginations; powerful cure, of
- 373 Mind; Dreams; animals, of
- 40 Mind; Dreams; water, sea, ocean, of
- 30 Mind; Dreams; water; waves
- 2 Mind; Fear; fat, of becoming
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The main physical and mental characteristics, clinically confirmed, reveal the “Genius of the Remedy”



# Additional symptoms

The description of the Genius of the Remedy, carried out with confirmatory symptoms as above, seemed to us to be incomplete, compared to what we had clinically observed. So we analyzed additional recurrent symptoms not present among the rubrics in which Chironex appears, that we selected during the diagnosis.



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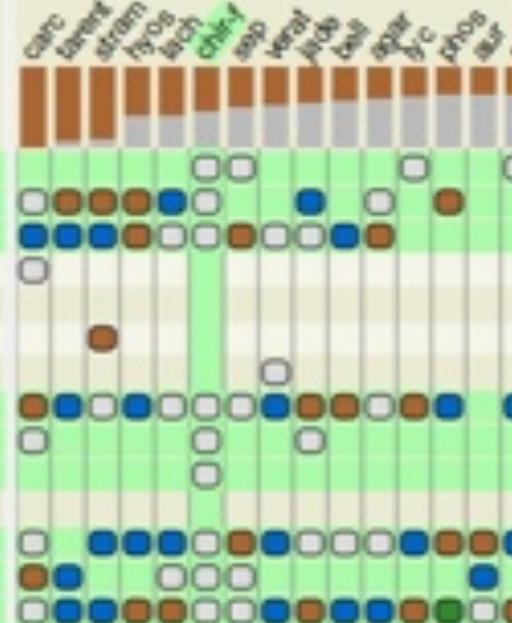


## caso Chronex N 6

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# usefulness of a wide and documented collection of case reports

- number of patients higher than number of provers (over time)
- confirmation and enlargement of experimental, physical and mental symptoms, enriched by clinical nuances from the live case
- with the patient you can talk and you can observe him/her: aetiology, thoughts, fears...
- we observe serious clinical entities not present in the proving (stopped at the first appearance of symptoms)
- data from children, elderly people and pregnant women are observed and included



# Differential Diagnosis

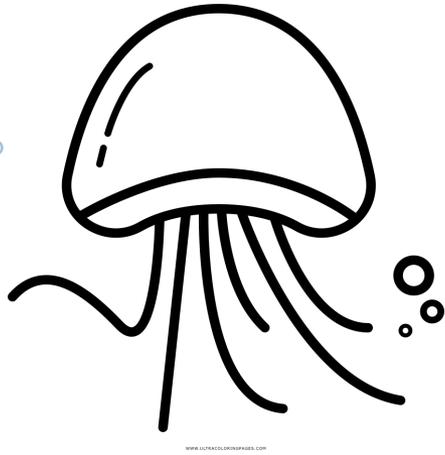
During this clinical research, other homeopathic remedies entered differential diagnosis with *Chironex fleckeri*.

Some of them had previously been prescribed to some of the 47 patients with only partial results:

***Sepia officinalis, Aurelia aurita,  
Murex purpurea, Asterias rubens,  
Venus mercenaria, Atropa belladonna,  
Datura stramonium, Opium crudum,  
Platinum muriaticum, Cannabis indica e sativa.***



# ...work in progress!!



The image of the remedy thus obtained is still the subject of our study and will be the topic of a monograph on “homeopathic jellyfish” to be published next year.



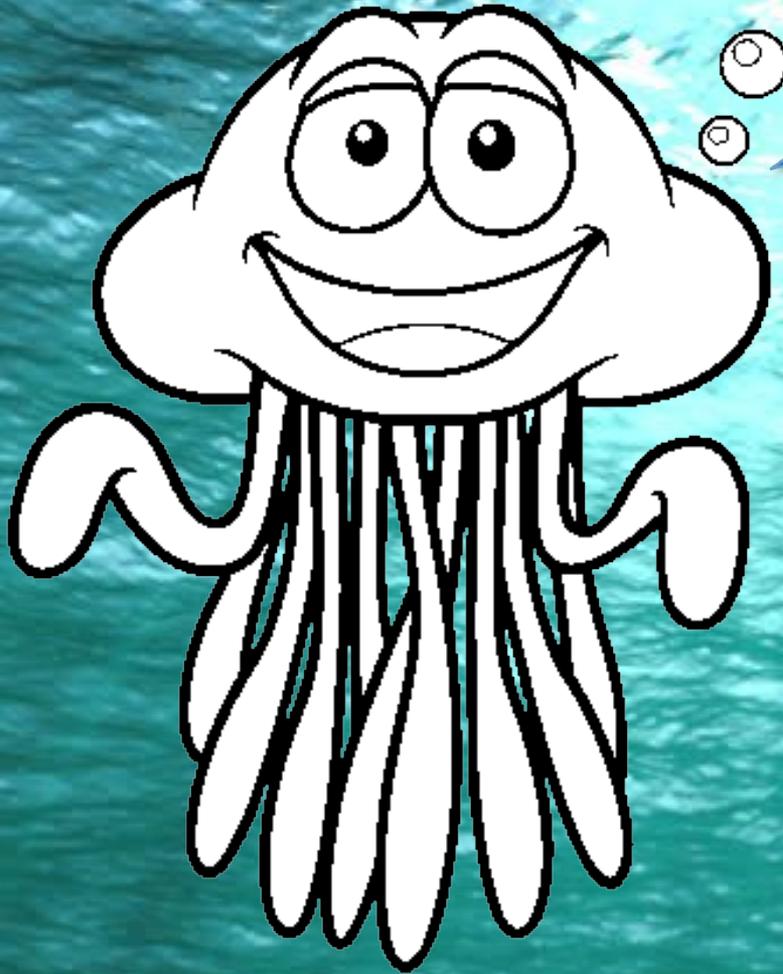
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