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A REVIEW OF PARIPLUTA YONIVYAPAD W.S.R. PELVIC INFLAMMATORY DISEASE (P.I.D)

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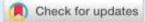
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ABSTRACT

Twenty types of Yonivyapad have been described in all the Ayurveda Texts. All Yonivyapad are the significant causes of hampering the normalcy of the female reproductive system. Paripluta Yonivyapad" is one of the twenty Yonivyapad, and in these, Vata & Pitta Dosha is considered the primary cause. Paripluta Yonivyapad can be correlated with pelvic inflammatory disease. PID is a disease of the upper genital tract. Most of the women ignore their health-related problems due to unawareness and lack of knowledge of their reproductive and sexual health. PID is a public health issue. Delayed management of PID may result in higher rates of miscarriage, chronic pelvic pain, STD, progressive organ damage and long-term reproductive disability due to its recurrence. Evaluation of proper disease management not only to cure but to reduce recurrence rate through Ayurvedic management without any side effects.

Key words: Yonivyapad, Paripluta Yonivyapad, PID, Shodhan Shaman and Sthanik Chikitsa

INTRODUCTION

Women play a vital role in the family and in society, so their health is essential in all aspects of life. Creating good offspring depends on women's health, as seeds will grow only in a prosperous and satisfactory environment. In *Ayurvedic Samhitas*, most gynaecological disorders have been described under " *Yonivyapad.*" *Paripluta* is one of the twenty *Yoni Vyapads*. *Pitta* and *Vatadusti* are considered the primary causes of this disease. *Acharya Charaka* and *Vagbhatta* consider it a *Vata-Pittaja Vyadhi*, while *Sushruta* has mentioned it as a *Vataja Vyadhi*.

Definition of *Paripluta Yonivyapad*

According to Aacharya Charaka:

पित्तलाया नृसंवासे क्षवथूद्गारधारणात्। पित्तसंमूच्छितो वायुर्योनिं दूषयति स्त्रियाः ॥ शूना स्पर्शाक्षमा सार्तिनीलपीतमसृक् स्त्रवेत् । श्रोणिवंक्षणपृष्ठार्तिज्वरार्तायाः ५रिप्लुता ॥(च० सं० चि० ३०/२३, २४)

According to *Aacharya Charaka*, it is characterised by *Shun* (swelling or inflammation), *Sparsha Akshama* (tenderness), *Arti* (unbearable pain) *Shroni Vankshana Vedna* (pain in the lower abdomen), *Prishta vedna*

(low back pain), Jwar (fever), and Neel Peeta Asruk Sravat (blood with a blue or yellow colour flows out). According to Aacharya Sushruta

परिप्ल्तायां भवति ग्राम्यधर्मे रुजाभुशम् ॥१०॥ (स्० सं० उ० ३८/१० व ११)

Maharshi Sushruta says that the condition is characterised by severe dyspareunia and other pain and aches. Both the Vagbhatta have followed Charaka; however, they have included heaviness in the bladder and lower abdomen, Atisar (diarrhoea), Arochaka (anorexia), etc. Also, in the list of symptoms, MadhavaNidana, Bhavprakasha, Yogaratnakara, etc., have followed Sushruta.

NIDAN

मिथ्याचारेण ता: स्त्रीणां प्रदुष्टेनातिवेन च | जायन्ते बीजदोषा्च दैवा्च शृणु ताः पृथक् ||(च॰सं॰चच॰३० / ७, ८)

- *Mithyahara* (include abnormal diet and abnormal mode of life), Excessive indulgence in coitus,
- Pradushta Artava (hormonal disorders),
- Bija Dosha (abnormalities of sperm and ova),
- Daiva Prakopa (idiopathic),

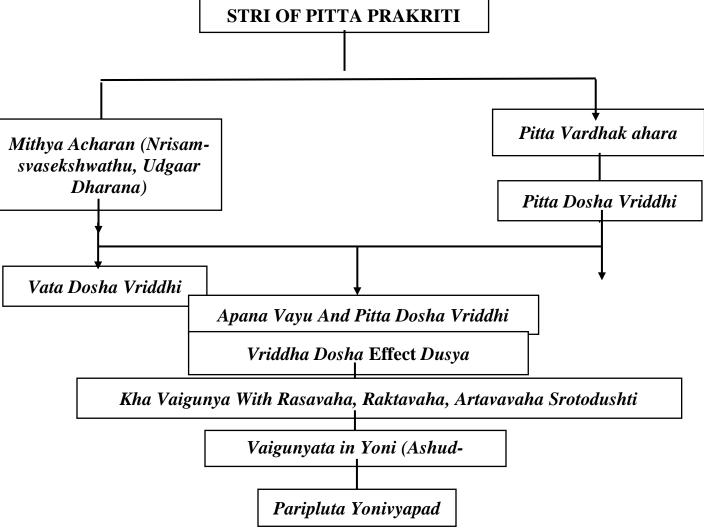
Vikaraprikriti and Adhisthanantarani of Paripluta Yonivyapad are compiled as Table. Vikaraprakriti

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Primary <i>Dosha</i>	Vata (Apan Vata)
Secondary Dosha	Pitta and Kapha

Adhisthanantarani

Dhatu	Rasa
Updhatu	Artava
Agnimandya	Jatharagnimandhya, Rasadhatvagni
Srotas	Rasavaha andArtavaha
Srotodushti	Sanga andVimargagam

Samprapti of Paripluta Yonivyapad



Paripluta seems to be the closest condition resembling Pelvic inflammatory disease (PID), so it can be correlated with Pelvic inflammatory disease described in modern literature. PID is infection & inflammation of the upper part of the female reproductive system. Pelvic inflammatory disease is a disease which starts with the vagina but later involves the uterus, fallopian tubes & ovaries along with the pelvic cavity. In today's era, PID is rising alarmingly and causes significant problems to the reproductive health of young women. Every year, more than 1 million women are exposed to pelvic infection. The incidence varies from 1-2% per year among sexually active women and in sexually active women during their reproductive age, having 85% spontaneous infection, and the remaining 15%

follow procedures which favour the organisms to ascend. The leading cause of PID is through a sexually transmitted disease (STD) such as gonorrhoea, Chlamydia trachomatis or mycoplasma genitalium. These bacteria are usually acquired during unprotected sex.

Signs and symptoms of PID

- Symptoms usually appear at the time and immediately after the menstruation.
- Bilateral lower abdominal and pelvic pain, which is dull.
- Abnormal vaginal discharge
- Irregular and excessive vaginal bleeding is usually due to associated endometritis
- Nausea and vomiting
- Dyspareunia

- The temperature is elevated to beyond 38.3°C.
- Abdominal palpation reveals tenderness on both quadrants of the lower abdomen. The liver may be enlarged and tender (perihepatitis).

Clinical examination reveals:

Abnormal vaginal discharge, which may be purulent. Speculum examination shows a congested cervix with purulent discharge from the canal.

Bimanual examination reveals bilateral tenderness on fornix palpation, which increases more with the movement of the cervix (cervical motion tenderness)

Modern medicine provides local symptomatic treatment, which sometimes does not completely cure the condition. Morden medicine many drugs, such as antimicrobials, analgesics, and NSAIDS, are used to treat Pelvic inflammatory disease. This medicine can cause side effects like gastric irritation, stomach ulcer, gastrointestinal disturbance, dizziness, etc.

Treatment protocol

Paripluta Yonivyapad is caused by the vitiation of Vata - Pitta. Both Doshas together, a mixed treatment prescribed by Yoniroga as caused by individual Doshas should be done.

Shodhana Chikitsa: Virechana Karma and Basti Karma. Basti Karma should be given as Yoga Basti follows: Anuvasana Basti with Sacharadi Taila, then Niruha Basti with Dashmooladi Niruha the next morning. It will help to pacify Dosha.

Shaman Chikitsa:

Pushyanug Churna - 10 g twice daily Tandulodaka (rice-washed water) and honey. It is Vrana Ropana, Krimighna, Raktshodhak, Pittaghna, AartvaJanana, Shothaghna, Pachana, Vednasthapan, Rasayana, Garbhasaya Shodhaka, Pradarahara, Balya, Deepana, Jwarahara.

- Chandra Prabha Vati 2 tablets bd with lukewarm water. It is Balya, Vrushya, Sarwa Rogpranashini, Tridosha Nashak.
- *Kanchnar Guggul* 2 tablets BD with lukewarm water. It is *Shothhar, Vrana Ropana*.

Sthanika Chikitsa

Yoniprakshalan - Started after the cessation of menses given with a *Kwath* of 500 ml for 2 -3 minutes.

- 1. Dashmoola Kwath -The main aim of the treatment is Vata Pitta Shamana, Vedana Sthapana, Yonishodhana and Vrana Ropana.
- 2. Panchvalkal Kwath It is Kapha Shamaka, Sthambhaka and has properties like Kashaya Rasa (astringent), antiseptic and wound healing. Because of these properties, it helps increase local cell immunity and prevents the recurrence of symptoms in patients. In Panchvalkal Kwath, most of the drugs are of Kasaya Rasa. Kashaya Rasa with the Shoshana, Stambhana, Kaphapittahar and Kledahara Guna acts to reduce the Strava.
- 3. *Yoni Pichu*—This started after the cessation of menses, and patients were instructed to retain the *Pichu* for 3 hours or until the urge to micturition. Patients were instructed to abstain for at least seven days and later compulsorily use the barrier method for 1 month.
- 4. Panchvalkaladi Tail Drugs of this formulation possess Rasa like Kashaya Rasa, Madhura Rasa, Tikta Rasa, Ruksha, Guru, Laghu Guna, Sheeta Virya, Katu Vipaka. Guru Guna causes Vata-Shamana, Brimhana, having the predominance of Prithavi and Jala Mahabhuta, and Sheeta Virya causes Pittashamana, Stambhana, Balya having the predominance of Prithavi and Jala Mahabhuta. It pacifies mainly Pitta Dosha's dominance.
- 5. Dashmoola Tail It has Shothaghna, Jwaraghna, Shula Prashamana, Mutrala, Vrana Ropana, and Vatashamaka Guna acts in reducing the Strava and Antibacterial Anti-pyretic, Spasmolytic, Uterine Stimulant properties of the drugs efficiently reduced the tenderness and helped in relieving other symptoms.

DISCUSSION

Paripluta Yonivyapad (PID) is a most common female genital organ disorder which may lead to infertility. Ayurveda drugs have a promising role in the treatment of Paripluta Yonivyapad (PID). The review has successfully narrated all detailed information regarding

the treatment of Paripluta Yonivyapad (PID) and the prevention of infertility and any other complications.

CONCLUSION

Paripluta Yonivyapad is a Vata-Pittaja disorder. Aggravated Pitta associated with Vata reaches Yoni and leads to Paripluta Yonivyapad. Pelvic Inflammatory Disease presents with bilateral lower abdomen pain associated with tenderness, dyspareunia, vaginal discharge which is mucoid or mucopurulent in nature & menstrual irregularities. A similar clinical presentation can be seen in Paripluta Yonivyapad. The management is based on the Doshic vitiation i.e., Vata-Pitta Shamaka and Shothaghna and Ropana property. It can be managed in Ayurveda by following an extensive treatment protocol by oral and local therapy, thereby its complications and recurrence can be curbed effectively.

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