

P12. A CASE OF DERMATITIS RELATED TO THE MARIGOLD PLANTS

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In our country and the world, alternative medicine is becoming increasingly popular. Some problems are emerging with this orientation which contains mostly herbs and natural minerals. Lack of knowledge of a used plant's ingredients and the change of exposure dose are some of these problems. An active substance which sold on the market without passing the clinical procedures may cause more harm than benefit. In our case, 38-year-old woman patient was admitted to the emergency department with complaining of rash, itching and burning on her body. There is no previously known disease and allergy in her story. The patient said that she used yellow oil on her skin cracks by given her neighbor. After a half our rash began to occur to her body. We learnt that her neighbor had bought the oil of marigold and given to our patient by his relatives. Patient who responds to antihistamines was discharged from follow-up after three hours.