



DISEASE PRODUCTION BY DIFFERENT TYPES OF AGNI: A REVIEW ARTICLE

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ABSTRACT

It is evident from the literary review in ayurveda that *agni* is responsible for health and disease.^[1] If *agni* gets vitiated it leads to diseased condition in the body. As described by *Vaghbata*, all diseases are caused due to *mandagni* specially *udararoga*, *arsha*, *atisara*, and *grahani*.^[2] Actually, *agni* is involved in almost each and every disease whether it is at the level of *jathara* or *dhatu*. The diseases like *prameha*, *sthaulya*, *shotha*, *rajyakshama*, *pandu* are due to *dhatvagnimandya*. Hence, most of the diseases like gastro-intestinal, allergic, autoimmune disorders and various metabolic disorders have the main causative factor as hypo functioning of *agni*.

KEYWORDS: *agni*, *mandagni*, *dhatvagnimandya*, *jatharagni*.

INTRODUCTION

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