

## Synthesis of SACCHARUM OFFICINALE

1. ESSENCE: lack of self-love with fear of being abandoned by the mother from fear of not deserving her love; the profound problem of the Saccharum patient is therefore a desperate search for love, affection and attention
2. CAUSATION/ACTIVATION: lack of (self)love; abandonment, emotional neglect; lack of affection, lack of physical contact in early childhood, especially babies who didn't get breast-feeding combined with a lack of contact with the mother; lack of attention; when children get sweets in stead of love or when behavior is rewarded by sweets
3. TYPE: pale face; dry skin; obesity with compulsive overeating, especially sweets, cakes and pastries, potato chips, etc.; very aggressive children, often also emaciated
4. ANTECEDENTS: family history of DIABETES
5. Great need to CUDDLE, to be caressed and touched or difficulty admitting this need and refusing every contact
6. Sensation of LONELINESS; FORSAKEN FEELING
7. HOMESICKNESS; difficulty taking leave of people or objects; difficulty accepting losses
8. JEALOUSY, from fear of losing his beloved; very uncertain about the love of parents or partner
9. LOQUACITY, mostly to have attention; incessant and hasty talking
10. ALTERNATING MOOD: gentleness alternating with aggressiveness
11. IRRESOLUTION
12. IRRITABLE, morning, until breakfast; when going one or two hours without taking any food; irritability when hungry, amel. by eating
13. Slow waking up and reviving after rising in the morning; or waking early in the morning and awake right away
14. Little or no appetite in the morning, but insatiable appetite in the evening; no feeling of hunger at all at any time; no desire to eat; ANOREXIA
15. Sudden WEAKNESS, lack of energy; weakness, amel. by eating; weakness after sweets; hyperactivity followed suddenly by weakness
16. Great RESTLESSNESS; not able to sit quietly; restless hands and restless legs
17. SUCKING FINGERS almost the whole day and during the night or never having sucked his fingers at all; putting everything in his mouth or never putting anything in his mouth; sucking fingers until an advanced age
18. BITING NAILS, up to the quick; biting toe nails
19. SENSITIVE TO PAIN or NOT SENSITIVE TO PAIN AT ALL; fainting from pain; fear of fainting; fear of seeing blood, fainting on seeing blood, fainting from blood puncture
20. AGG.: Excitement, sweets, chocolate, warm weather, in early morning with difficulty starting the day
21. AMEL.: evening, sweets, eating, after breakfast
22. AVERSION: (cooked, green) vegetables, warm food; anything except sweets; sweets; warm milk
23. DESIRES: chocolate, licorice, sweets, pastries and cakes; farinaceous food; sweets after dinner, before menses, in the evening; raw vegetables; meat; tea,

- cold drinks, especially water; warm or cold milk, fat; salt; butter, bread and butter, sour, lemons, mustard
24. THIRST for large quantities; desires water and/or tea; or absence of thirst
  25. Ravenous appetite soon after eating with feeling of emptiness in stomach and general weakness; tendency to eat frequently between meals; has to eat at the normal hour, otherwise weak, dizzy, trembling, headache, etc.; ravenous appetite, morning, after waking, has to eat first; insatiable appetite not amel. by eating
  26. COMPULSIVE EATING; BULIMIA; ANOREXIA
  27. Extremely AGGRESSIVE, quarrelsome, violent, malicious and defiant, especially after taking chocolate or sweets; kicks and hits
  28. FITS OF ANGER, unapproachable
  29. DISCONTENTED with himself and with everything; hard to please
  30. Warmth; hot feet, sticks them out of bed, sometimes only one foot; sticks one or two arms out of bed or sleeps with the upper half of body uncovered
  31. Extreme DRYNESS: dryness of skin, hair, nails, hands, feet, inner side of nose, eyes, mouth, throat, vagina, stool
  32. Painful ovulation and menses; complaints before menses: sadness, irritability, swollen and painful breasts; brown bloody discharge preceding menses
  33. Tingling in arms, fingers and legs, aggravated at night
  34. Ecchymosis, easily bruised

## CHILDREN

1. Type: very pale, white as sugar; profuse perspiration, especially at night, sometimes only the head, as *Calcarea carbonica*
2. FORSAKEN FEELING; fear of not being loved by the mother, of being abandoned by her; wants to hold the mother; desire to be held in the arms of his mother; desire to be carried; desire to sleep with the mother/parents; always following the mother and screaming when she disappears out of his view
3. ANTISOCIAL, thinks he is neglected and placed at a disadvantage; feels despised; envious; JEALOUSY; very uncertain about the love of his parents; possessive love
4. Delusion, his parents don't love him or that he is less loved than his siblings
5. Great need to be CUDDLED, to be caressed and touched or difficulty to admit this need and refusing every contact
6. PLAYS ANTICS to have attention; loves to be on stage, to be in the limelight
7. Very COMMUNICATIVE, AMIABLE and not timid at all; or very TIMID
8. TOUCHING EVERYTHING without real attention
9. DIFFICULT CONCENTRATION, going from one toy to another, constantly changing his activity, not able to fix his attention
10. EXTREMELY RESTLESS, aggravation after sweets; running, moving all the time; restless while sitting
11. ALTERNATING MOOD: gentleness alternating with aggressiveness
12. HOMESICKNESS
13. LOQUACITY, to have attention; questioning all the time; incessant and hasty talking; loud voice, shrieking
14. IRRESOLUTION
15. SUCKING FINGERS almost the whole day and during the night or never having sucked his fingers at all; putting everything in his mouth or never putting anything

- in his mouth; sucking fingers until an advanced age
16. BITING NAILS, up to the quick; biting toe nails
  17. IMPATIENCE, everything he wants has to be satisfied immediately otherwise he becomes angry, not able to be distracted or reasoned with
  18. Extremely AGGRESSIVE, quarrelsome, violent, malicious and defiant, especially after taking chocolate or sweets; kicks and hits
  19. FITS OF ANGER, unapproachable
  20. Insolence; disobedience
  21. Sensitive to reprimand or not sensitive to reprimand at all, impossible to correct
  22. PAIN IN THE ABDOMEN AROUND THE NAVEL from difficulty to release his mother; also often headache
  23. SENSITIVE TO PAIN or NOT SENSITIVE TO PAIN AT ALL; FAINTING FROM PAIN
  24. WAKING EARLY IN THE MORNING
  25. Collects everything, not able to throw things away; attached to objects
  26. Aphthae in children; profuse salivation
  27. Oxyuriasis (pinworms)