

# TITLE: ROLE OF CONCOMITANT SYMPTOM IN SELECTION OF HOMOEOPATHIC SIMILIMUMFOR COVID-19

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- ❖ ABSTRACT: This topic consists a role of concomitant symptoms in prescribing similimum for cases of COVID-19. Surrounding symptoms in form of a concomitant play important role for homoeopathic Individualization in COVID-19 cases. These concomitant symptoms have seen in Covid-19 are showing out in form of rubric.
- **Key words:** Concomitant symptom, Characteristic symptoms, COVID-19, Homoeopathy.
- ❖ Introduction: Uncommon and Characteristic symptom of Hahnemann is like a concomitant symptom of Boenninghausen. Master Hahnemann had analyzed symptoms in form of general and uncommon whereas Boenninghausen had analysed symptoms in the form of Location, Sensation, Modality and Concomitant. Concomitant symptoms are the symptoms associate with the chief or presenting complaint but from other system and having some time relationship. These symptoms are very helpful in keynote prescription, often they are uncommon of the case. In a reference to aphorism no 153 Concomitant symptom will help to find out similimum medicine.



### **Common symptoms of COVID-19:**

Throat pain

Cough

Respiration difficult

Fever

Weakness

Headache etc.

Common symptoms are less important to form a totality. For uncommon totality try to find out surrounding characteristic symptoms .Totality of commonly present symptoms in majority of COVID 19 patient gives a group of medicine.

But for Individualisation, must find out **characteristic symptoms** in the case, that may be **in the form of LOCATION**, **SENSATION**, **MODALITY**, **CONCOMITANT**, **MENTAL SYMPTOM and PHYSICAL GENERAL SYMPTOM.** Potential differentiating factors will help to get similimum from the group of medicine.

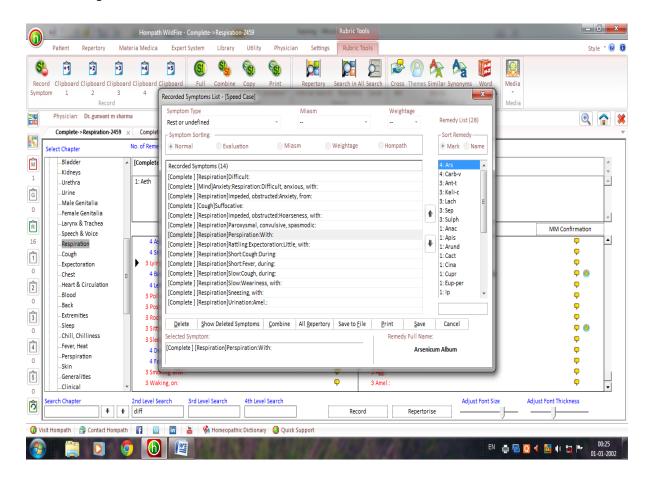
Following are the fields useas PDF for COVID 19 case

- 1. chilly/hot
- 2. thirst / thirstlessness
- 3. fever present/absent
- 4. type of cough: paroxysmal, large, few etc
- 5. sleepy / sleeplessness
- 6. strong mental symptom along with physical complaint.



#### Few of these concomitant/characteristic in cases of COVID-19 are as follow:

#### 1) Respiration difficult



Respiration; Difficult; anxious with

Respiration: impended, obstructed: Anxiety, from

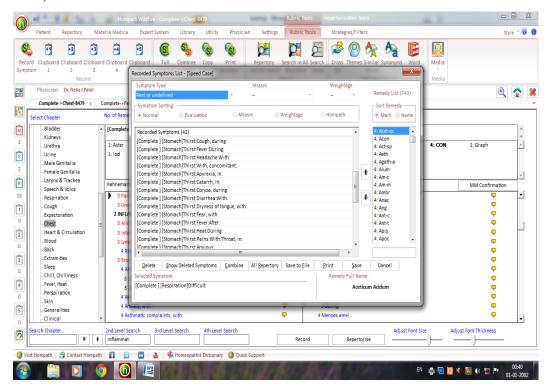
Respiration: perspiration with

Respiration: weakness with

Respiration: urination amelioration

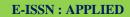


#### 2) Thirst as a characteristic/concomitanat:

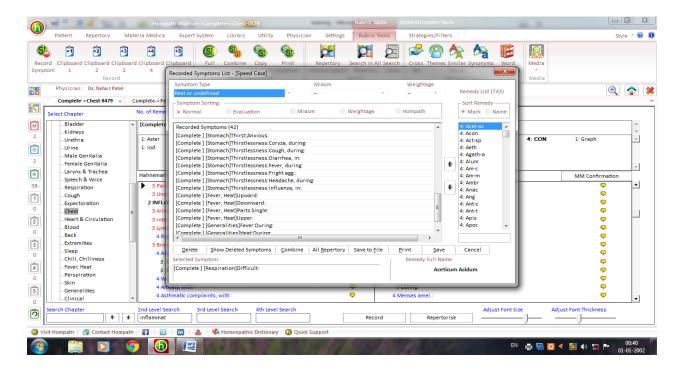


Thirst: cough during
Thirst: fever during
Thirst: headache with
Thirst: Apyrexia in
Thirst: catarrh in
Thirst: coryza during
Thirst: diarrhoea with

Thirst: dryness of tongue with Thirst: pain with, throat in







Thirst: anxious

Thirstlessness: coryza during

Thirstlessness: cough during

Thirstlessness: Diarrhoea in

Thirstlessness: fever during

Thirstlessness: headache during

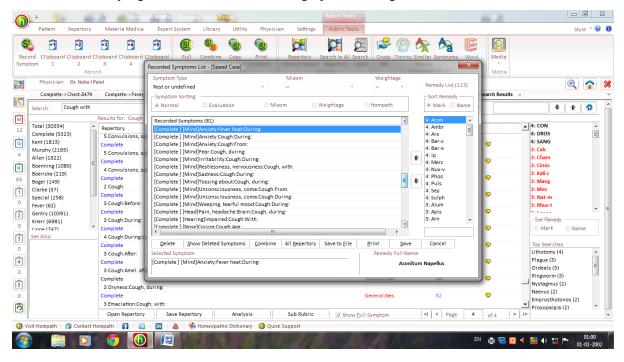
Thirstlessness: influenza in

Fever; upward

Fever: downward



#### 3) Mental symptom as concomitant in physical complaint:



**Anxiety: Cough During** 

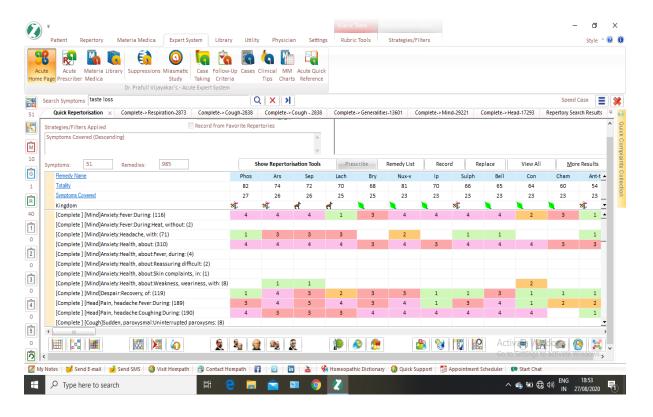
Fear: Cough during

Irritability: cough during

Restlessness, nervous: cough during

Weeping, tearful mood, cough during





Anxiety fever during

Anxiety headache with

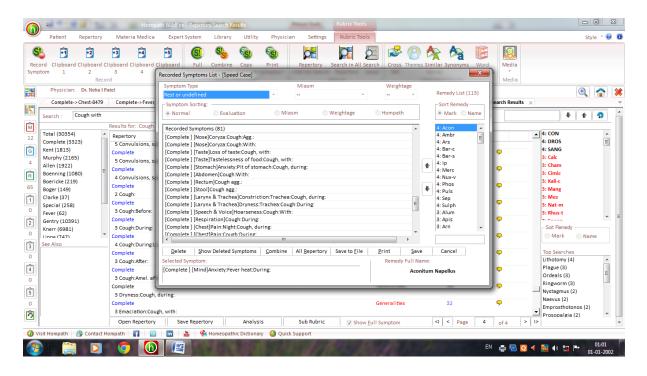
Anxiety, health about weakness with

Headache fever during

Headache cough during



4) Physical symptom as a comcomitant in physical complaint:



Loss of taste cough with

Tastlessness of food : cough with Anxiety pit of stomach: cough with

Abdominal complaint cough with

**Conclusion:** Majority of the times concomitant symptoms are help to individualise in the cases of COVID-19.





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