INFECTIONS

Swedish scientists from the Karolinska Institute have confirmed the theory of Atanas TSONKOV of the infectious origin of 85% of the illnesses without even knowing it!

Karolinska or Lechitel?

Who was first?
Who is right?
Who is the most veracious, the closest to the truth?
It is a matter of the role of viruses in the occurrence of cancer...
And not only of the viruses...
And not only of cancer...!

These and other as essential and fundamental issues of medicine, diseases and health, prophylaxis, diagnosing and therapy of the most severe, idiopathic (with unknown causer), incurable, deadly diseases were put into the agenda after the world information agencies and publications announced in October of the 'discovery' of Swedish scientist that approximately 40% of the cancers were caused by viral infections.

Actually, relatively new in this is just the ascertainment that yet several more oncologic diagnoses (of the brain – medulloblastoma in children, of the skin – Merkel cell polyomavuris, and murine leukemia – caused by the xenotropic virus) – have viral nature.

All other pieces of 'news' have long been known to people who read a bit more and/or work on these problems.

- The viral etiology of some types of cancer has been known since the beginning of the past 20 century!...
- The high percentage of viral cancirogenesis (much higher than 40%!) has been known for decades!..
- The infectious origin (not only viral, but also bacterial etc.) of most diseases academic medicine even today addresses as noninfectious or idiopathic (with unclear or unknown causer), has also been known for decades!..
- The whole unpleasant truth about the vaccines that have already been created (for example, against the human papillomavirus that causes cervical cancer), or will be yet produced against the newly discovered oncologic viruses should be told!..
- It should be said of the idea of some oncologists, such as Prof. Alan Rickinson from the Birmingham University (Britain), who dreams of the creation of **new therapies that stimulate the immune system to cope with tumor cells on its own**, that such therapies have existed since the dawn of time, and in the last decades they have been streamlined and have received scientific explanations.

Here follow the media, scientific, social and moral problems that arise when there is a major **information deficit** – both among the leading medical experts and the journalists promoting their achievements...

Viruses and Cancer

It has been known for at least half a century that approximately 10-15% of the oncologic diseases are caused by viruses.

Several months ago, the finder of the human papillomavirus (HPV) and Nobel Laureate

Prof. Harald zur Hausen repeatedly declared: "At least 20% of cancers are caused by viral infections."

In October of this year the world media shot the latest sensation: "Around 40% of cancer diagnoses are caused by viruses" – a statement proven by researchers from the Swedish Karolinska Institute.

In fact, viral infections play a critical role for man at a much wider scope and with many other health problems, the viruses being the main etiological factor in **more than 60%** of the malignancies.

Regretfully, due to the 'scientific' dogmas and trading practices that prevail in conventional medicine, so far there has not been created a single efficient and harmless remedy against the oncologic viruses! So, even if it had been proven that all cancers were viral in their nature, this would not have changed the fate of cancer patients.

After the announcement of the Swedish researchers about the viral origin of cancer, some medical experts and journalists once again launched the hope of development of anticancer vaccines. A too cheerful, light and illusory optimism!

Let us not forget the bitter experience with the vaccines against the AIDS virus or the flu, against the human papillomavirus or the Lyme bacteria etc.

I have already mentioned the natural remedies that are not just an interesting alternative, but also the only efficient and harmless 'immunization, prophylaxis and therapy when it comes to some viruses, bacteria and other infectious enemies of human health.

In fact, optimal treatment of different infectious diseases will be the topic of a separate article in the Lechitel newspaper in 2012.

I will not cite here my publications on oncologic viruses, because even though they are the leading ones, viral infections are only part of the infectious army that causes an innumerable number of diseases...

Actually, I got my first notion of **the infectious character also of the noninfectious diseases** already in 1967 after I heard from a colleague of mine in the Bulgarian National Radio of the tragic fate of a family of four... In a comparatively short period of time all four of them had died from cancer. That is how I got on the infectious track, not only on the viral one...

The viral cancirogenesis has been studied for half a century now also in the Bulgarian Academy of Sciences by a team of 70 under the leadership of **Prof. Ilarion Yanchev**, patomorfologist and virologist. He declared: "**We have determined 6-7 viruses that have been proven to cause cancer in man and some of them also in animals...**"

Yes, but the BAS is not the Karolinska Institute! And the Bulgarian journalists as a whole serve the momentum, the fashion, the overseas authorities instead of serving the truth and the thinking public!

Karolinska does not read Lechitel rendering all losers, both Karolinska and Lechitel and most of all the people who need to restore their health!

Look for the Infection!

In the distant 1968, obviously due to medical ignorance (I did not know that according to medical coryphaeus 'this could not be!') I formulated for the first time a theoretical conception that reads: "All diseases are actually infectious except for the ones for which this has still not been proven." For people thinking to the letter I have kept the advice to add the word 'almost' in front of the phrase.

People who keep an eye on medical news around the world surely must have noticed that in these four decades there have appeared more than 40 scientific reports confirming my 'extreme' theory...

Based on this formidable mental construction erected on facts, observations, analyses, logic

and intuition, in 1979 I expressed my conviction that stomach ulcer (a millenary idiopathic diagnosis!) was caused by a bacterial infection.

Only **four years later**, two ingenious and daring researchers, **Marshall and Warren**, announced their findings: the **Helicobacter pylori bacterium** causes stomach ulcer (in over 80% of the cases), duodenum ulcer (in over 95% of the cases) and gastric cancer – in over 60% of the cases...

And in 2005 the two scientists received quite deservedly the Nobel Prize for their epochal discovery. This has not stopped doctors and journalists to write nonsense about these diseases of the gastrointestinal track ignoring completely the Helicobacter pylori, as though this bacterium has neither been discovered, nor exists, nor in any way relates to the diseases in question!?

And to the fans of more profound truths I would recommend also my article on the same topic: The Nobel Bacterium – even the Mistakes of Great Explorers Are Great (in Lechitel newspaper, issues 17 and 18/2006).

Now the Swedish oncologists add yet 2-3 more bricks to the edifice of my infectious theory, and namely with their conclusion that the diseases that until recently were considered noninfectious like medulloblastoma (brain cancer), Merkel-cellular carcinoma (skin cancer) and a type of a murine leukemia are in fact infectious in their essence, as their primary etiology is viral.

Psychiatrists – theoreticians and practitioners – do not even want to hear something that differs from their unshaven and moldy directories that strongly smack of the 19th century... To them the **psychogenic virulent factors** are just about 'everything' although this medical canon cannot restore the health of a single psychiatric patient.

In the meantime, we are already in the 21 century and some American and Czech scientists as well as my immodest self proved the leading cause (and the most invincible one as well!) for most psychic disorders is... Yes, you guessed right – AGAIN THE INFECTIONS! In the first place for the time being are **Lyme Borelliosa and toxoplasmosis**...

"So, what?! – said a log!

Obviously, this log is on stall at the World Health Organization (WHO) on behalf of which he composed a report that was published in April 2011.

There in black and white can be read: "More than half of the deaths in the world result from chronic **noninfectious** diseases including **cancer**, **cardiovascular diseases**, **diabetes**, **cirrhosis**."

So, the Swedish researchers are on the loose with their viral cancirogenesis, not to mention myself insisting and proving that **over 85% of all diseases including the ones considered noninfectious or idiopathic**, including also the diagnoses mentioned in the report of the WHO are in essence, in their primary origin **infectious!**...

The self-opinionated top bureaucrats at the WHO, however, continue to spread around their ignorant ideas of the 'noninfectious' diseases!

The Lyme Revolution

The 'Lyme disease' case study is a particular special challenge in the history of medicine and of human civilization.

This is one of the most edifying examples of the sustainable and pernicious effect of medical dogmas underlined with filthy commercial interests.

On the surface of it, this seems entirely clear and smooth – "Lyme disease is caused by the **Borrelia burgdorferi** bacterium. There are wonderful tests (**ELISA**, **Immunoblot and PCR**) to diagnose it, and a set of powerful antibiotics are provided for its treatment..."

Right, but – not quite!

The American health authorities (and not just these!) do not accept the existence of 'such an animal' as **chronic Lyme disease**. Let's sympathize with them – the health officials might not be all

corrupt, but they have all studied from textbooks (that are the same today) where it is written this disease is caused by a tick bite, there are two-three excellent diagnostic tests for it, and to eradicate it is enough for one to go on two weeks or two months antibiotic courses...

Alas! Nothing is further from the truth!

This position of mine is backed in some degree or other by several 'dissidents' (medics with 4-5 specialties) in American medical science among whom I would like to mention: **Prof. William BURGDORFER** and it is not by chance the Lyme bacterium bears his name, **Prof. Dietrich KLINGHARDT**, an interesting alternative therapeutist, the world-famous and acclaimed American expert on infections **Prof. Linda Mattman** who in a letter to me confirmed my findings with the decisive phrase: "**Each one of us is infected with a Lyme bacterium**", the laboratory expert **Prof. JoAnne WHITAKER**, who at 80 tested just this bacterium and in the first 400 blood samples sent to her from dozens of countries just two did not carry the Lyme Borrelia burgdorferi, **Dr Charles JOHNS**, pediatrician from the state of Connecticut, USA, who has treated thousands of children for Lyme disease; **Prof. Luis ROMERO**, a Harvard alumni...

Due to a host of reasons I have dealt with Lyme infection for more than 10-15 years now.

In 2005, I created two original diagnostic tests (a Symptomatic and a Laboratory one) that 'catch' over 90% of the cases of chronic Lyme infection. The abovementioned three American tests that are quite efficient with recent infections, detect only 1-2% of chronic Lyme disease.

In the same year (2005) I completed the first variant of my book **The Secrets of Lyme Disease or on the Needed Revolution in Medicine**. I have patients from all five continents and they already exceed 60,000 people. I do not boast or push myself forward, I will note that already in 2004 the English magazine **What Doctors Do not Tell You** (WDDTY) published an editorial by its editor in chief Lynne McTaggart according to which **the most successful healer of Lyme disease in the world is Atanas Tsonkov from Bulgaria!**

Of course, much more important is not who says what about me, yet what do my diagnostic tests do, my individual regimens, my theoretical and practical treatments.

I will point out only several sensational assertions in **The Secrets of Lyme Disease**..., that are however backed by thousands of analyses in most up-to-date laboratories – before, during and after the treatment of the patient, epicrises of the patient from most celebrated Bulgarian and/or foreign clinics etc.

- "There have been determined more than 30 ways of spreading and transmission of Lyme infection, and most often this happens through sexual intercourses."
- "This infection does not have just 50-60 symptoms as the academic medical books say, but it is related to more than 700 symptoms, syndromes and affections which I have described in my still unpublished manuscript."
- "Lyme infection is detected in every patient with a diagnosis: **chronic fatigue syndrome**, **fibromyalgia**, **Alzheimer's disease**, **and it can provoke just any disease from the textbook on psychiatry**, as well as several cancers of the blood and lymph, over 80-90% of the cardiovascular, endocrine, exocrine, rheumatologic, pulmonary and other diseases."
- "When a patient (with a diagnosis from the abovementioned) dies, his relatives and doctors even do not suspect he most probably has died from CHRONIC LYME INFECTION!"
- "In fact, Lyme Borelliosis is the most common epidemic and kills the largest number of people in the world."

If in a mysterious crime with unknown perpetrator criminalists use the witty yet effective advice 'Cherchez la femme,' ('Find the woman'), in the same way when faced by a unclear diagnosis, in stubborn and unresponsive to anything chronic diseases, I recommend 'Cherchez l'infection!' And if you are able to seek competently you would most often come upon 'this woman' – the Lyme bacterium! Do not forget you do not even have a 1% chance to spot Borrelia burgdorferi if you look for it through ELISA Immunoblot or PCR!

Lyme disease is the new GREAT IMITATOR of tens and hundreds seemingly known

diagnoses. If for some this new medical pill is hard to swallow, I'll show understanding, but I cannot argue with facts, I cannot cope with them, I cannot change them. I just explore them and try to explain them...

Whoever wants and whoever can, may make use of them.

I will remind once again the wise legacy of ancient healers: "He, who diagnoses well, he heals well."

Regretfully, not only before Christ and in the Medieval Ages, but also today (at a bit higher level) medicine employs primarily symptomatic and idiopathic diagnoses – and, respectively, such therapies.

Symptomatic and drug based medicine! In other words, medicine that is blind or semiblind and semi-poisonous or deadly intoxicating!

It is not a matter of quoting one fortune teller Ellen White or the destroyer of 'all types of cancer' Hulda Clark saying that cancer was caused by viruses... You can hear this from any child that can read or listen to the radio or watch television or surf through the garbage Internet forums...

Here and there, however, some people seriously research into this vital matter.

My infection theory, as it is obvious from its short definition, is not restricted to just viruses.

Its backbone lies **primarily in the intracellular pathogenic microorganisms**: viruses, bacteria, L-bacterial forms, chlamydia, rickettsia, prions and other parasites such as toxoplasmosis, toxocariasis...

The intracellular pathogens cause equally successfully cancer and autoimmune diseases, systemic vasculites, allergies, neurodegenerative maladies, and countless other chronic, idiopathic and incurable affections. It is deeply wrong for us to frame oncologic etiology only to several thousand chemical carcinogens. Proven carcinogenic factors are many drugs, smoking (over 90% of pulmonary cancers are caused by tobacco tars), viruses (although among them line up not just one or two of the known ones – but so many of the yet unknown ones too!) – viruses such as human papillomavirus, hepatitis B and hepatitis C viruses, cytomegalovirus, Epstein-Bar virus...

Cancer can be caused by such popular bacteria as the **Helicobacter pylori or the Borrelia** burgdorferi Lyme bacterium...

My manuscript Cancer Is ALSO an Infectious Disease is dedicated to these matters, which I also discuss in depth in the documentary The Insights of a Healer shot in October 2009 (and not after the 'Swedish' October 2011).

In order not to burden the dear readers with so many information pills at once, and also to evade unnecessary repetition of the said years ago, I will give the titles of several of my publications that will allow them to inform themselves in more detail both of the origin and treatment of a host of idiopathic and 'incurable' diseases, and to make their own judgment as to which (I have in mind **Karolinska or Lechitel**) stands where in time and space, in the calendar of history, in medical theory and practice, in and beyond the visible horizon:

- 1. Why Lyme Disease Is the Most Serious Health Problem of Humanity? (report read at the Balkan Medical Congress, 28-30 September 2006, Varna and published in Lechitel newspaper, issue 40/2006)
 - 2. **Is Bush III?** (Lechitel newspaper, issue 35/2007)
 - 3. The Secret of Autoimmune Diseases Uncovered (Lechitel newspaper, issue 34/2008)
- 4. What Is the Primary Cause of Alzheimer's Syndrome? (Lechitel newspaper, issue 4/2011)
 - 5. **GOGO the Bulgarian Drama!** (Lechitel newspaper, issue 8/2011)
 - 6. What Is the Symptomatic Test? (Lechitel newspaper, issue 22/2011)
- 7. Entry on Atanas Tsonkov in the **Luminaries of Bulgarian Medicine** Encyclopedia (2010, publication of Sirius 4)
 - 8. Entry on Atanas Tsonkov in the Eminent Contemporary Bulgarians Encyclopedia

(2011, publication of Sirius 4)

- 9. The Insights of a Healer a 66' documentary and a 122'version shot in October November 2009
- 10. **Notarized manuscripts** protecting the authorship priority of my main theoretical works and therapeutic achievements (**from 20 May 2005 to 27 October 2006**)

My main thesis on the origin of diseases reads that **more than 85% of all** still considered by orthodox medicine to be **noninfectious or idiopathic diseases** are **actually infectious** (either viral, bacterial or of mixed infectious type etc.)

This assertion, which I have stated repeatedly in public during the last 3-4 decades is based on the medical records of thousands of patients of mine, and some of the patients can testify 'in person' as to the trust-worthiness of these words.

My whole archive is open to well-intentioned and curious researchers, health officials, medical specialists, journalists, broader-minded politicians...

As I have already stated on many occasions, I am not looking for money, prizes, applauses... I have received a sufficient amount of the most valuable treasure – the gratitude of the patients that survived or were cured.

I have sought the understanding of the people in power – in vein!

I have looked for clinicians so that we could jointly go on along the fruitful paths – without success!

I have looked for a television which would stir the public bog, so we could **together** alleviate human suffering. Misfortunate patients from abroad to come to be treated in this country, rather than the wretched Bulgarian patients to ramble poor, inconsolable and incurable in foreign blood-sucking clinics...

I have looked for at least one minister (whether a health, financial, interior, exterior, economic, social or of defense one), at least one prime minister, at least one parliamentary chief or leader of a party represented in Parliament, at least one president of the Republic of Bulgaria, who would read my short letter addressed to him, who would find 5-10 minutes to talk with my annoying person, instead of, as until now, them all together or one by one, as well as almost the whole people to just scream, complain and blare forth there was no money for this or that, while at the same time each one of them pours more or less money down the drain...

Who is there to tell them money is made not just with wails, prayers, begging, tightening of the belt (mostly that of the people!), but rather with brains!

Right, but our fellow countryman – from the door-keeper to the prime minister – professes yet another, strange philosophy: '*I don't need advice, thank you, just give me money*!'

With this long standing national tradition, technology, 'wisdom' or mantra Bulgarians will never acquire money, brains, health, dignity, or any other valuable gain! And we will continue to lag behind the other nations... Till when?

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