臨床経験

腰部脊柱管狭窄症による坐骨神経痛に対して 八味地黄丸が有効であった3症例

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要旨: 高齢者での腰痛, 坐骨神経痛は加齢による変形性腰椎症, 腰部脊柱管狭窄症が原因のことが多い. 痛みに対しての治療法として, まず行われるのが薬物療法であるが, 痛みのコントロールに難渋することがある. また, 高齢者では他の疾患ですでに多種類の薬を内服していることがあり, 薬の相互作用による副作用が懸念されたり, 肝機能, 腎機能低下などにより薬の影響が出やすいことがある.

その中で、漢方薬は患者側からも受け入れが容易なことがあり、比較的導入しやすい. 今回、腰部脊柱管狭窄症による坐骨神経痛に対し、八味地黄丸が有効であった3症例を 経験した.

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Three cases in which Hachimijiogan was effective for sciatica due to lumbar spinal canal stenosis

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Abstract: Low back pain and sciatica in the elderly are often caused by age-related degenerative lumbar spondylosis and lumbar spinal canal stenosis. Medication therapy is the first choice to treat pain, but sometimes it is difficult to control pain. Also, elderly people are already taking various kinds of medicines in other diseases, there are concerns about adverse effects due to medicine interaction, influence of medicine in liver function, decline in kidney function etc. occurs It is easy to do.

Among them, kampo medicine can be easily accepted by the patient side, and it is relatively easy to introduce it.

In this study, I experienced three cases in which Hachimijiogan was effective for sciatica due to lumbar spinal canal stenosis.

Key words: hachimijiogan, lumbar canal stenosis, sciatica

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