

TO HELP RELIEVE COMMON CANCER RELATED SYMPTOMS IN THE COMFORT OF HOME

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"THE QI THAT CIRCULATES IN THE BODY IS SIMILAR TO THE WATER THAT FLOWS IN A RIVER."

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IF THE WATER IS CLEAR AND FLOWS SMOOTHLY, THEN THERE IS NO BLOCKAGE OR STAGNATION; BUT IF THE WATER IS DIRTY OR BLOCKED, THEN IT CAN CAUSE ILLNESS OR DISEASE. THE SAME IS TRUE FOR THE QI IN THE BODY." - UNKNOWN





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BEAUTIFUL BLEND OF ASIAN MEDICINE AND CRANIO SACRAL OSTEOPATHIC PHILOSOPHY

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ACUPRESSURE



EAR SEEDS



QI GONG

NEUROPATHY



PAIN/ANXIETY



NAUSEA



FOOT SOAKS



GENTLE GUA SHA



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Before trying any alternative therapy, including acupressure, gua sha, or foot soaks, it is important to consult with a qualified healthcare professional. These therapies are not intended to diagnose, treat, cure, or prevent any disease and should not be used as a substitute for medical advice. It is also important to use caution when attempting these therapies, as improper use could cause injury or exacerbate existing health conditions. Always follow instructions carefully and discontinue use if you experience any adverse effects.

It's important to avoid these therapies if you have any open wounds or broken skin in the area you want to treat. This can increase your risk of infection. Additionally, you should avoid these therapies if you have any underlying medical conditions that affect your skin or muscular health.

Communicating any discomfort or pain during the treatment with your therapist is also important. These therapies should never be painful, and if it is, it's a sign that the pressure or modality is too intense.

Lastly, use clean and sanitized tools for the treatment. By following these precautions, you can ensure a safe and effective therapy session.

PRECAUTIONS AND DISCLAIMER BEFORE TREATING

IN ORDER TO USE ASIAN MEDICINE MODALITIES, ITS IMPORTANT TO KNOW A LITTLE PHILOSOPHY AND THEORIES BEHIND

MEDICINE IOSOPHY PHI THE HUMAN BODY'S ECOSYSTEM IS SIMILAR

TO NATURE'S ECOSYSTEMS.



THE ECOSYSTEM OF THE HUMAN BODY CONSISTS OF

ORGANS, VESSELS, BLOOD, MUCUS, HORMONONES, NEUROTRANSMITTERS, FLUIDS, AND ENERGY

MAINTAINING BALANCE WITHIN ITS DIFFERENT SYSTEMS IS CRUCIAL FOR ITS HEALTH.

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BOTH HAVE COMPLEX RELATIONSHIPS. IN THE SAME WAY ECOSYSTEMS IN NATURE CONSIST OF

RIVERS, OCEANS, STREAMS LAND, MOUNTAINS, VALLEYS CLOUDS, MIST, RAIN, HEAT, COLD, WIND, DRYNESS



OPPOSITES



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Yin SHADY SIDE OF MOUNTAIN

Yin represents the feminine passive dark aspects

> WINTER DESCENDING COOL DARK BLOOD/FLUIDS REST DIRT ROOTS DEEP



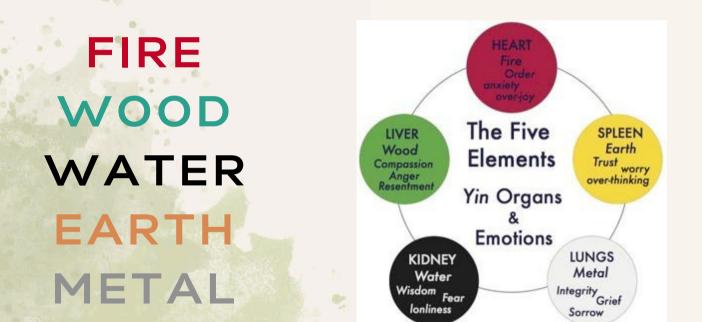
Yang SUNNY SIDE OF MOUNTAIN

Yang represents the masculine active light aspects

> SUMMER ASCENDING WARM LIGHT ENERGY MOVEMENT SKY FLOWERS ABOVE

EVERYTHING IN THE MIDDLE

Traditional Asian medicine utilizes the Yin Yang theory and the theory of channels/meridians to balance the natural flow of the body. The ancient practitioners used the 5 elements of



to organize their function.

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Traditional Asian medicine theory claims there are Meridians that are energy conduits. The goal is to unblock, stimulate, sedate, warm, cool, ascend, descend the energy. The signal is sent to like a conduit to the Central Nervous System.



12 PRIMARY MERIDIANS COORDINATE WITH ORGANS



SUNNY SIDE OF MOUNTAIN

LARGE INTESTING STOMACH **SMALL INTESTINE URINARY BLADDER TRIPLE WARMER** GALL BLADDER

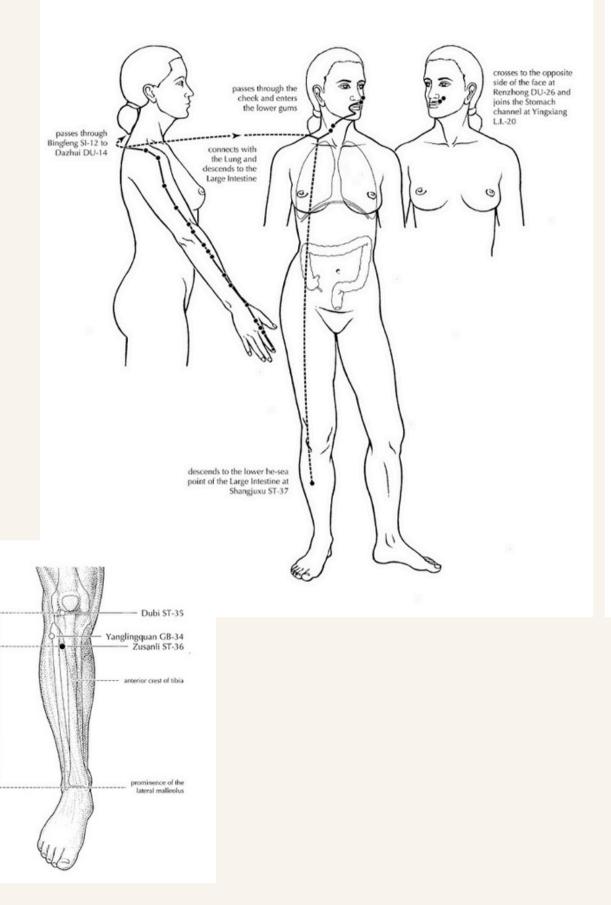
THERE ARE OTHER MERIDIANS BESIDES THESE

BEST RESOURCE FOR POINT LOCATION

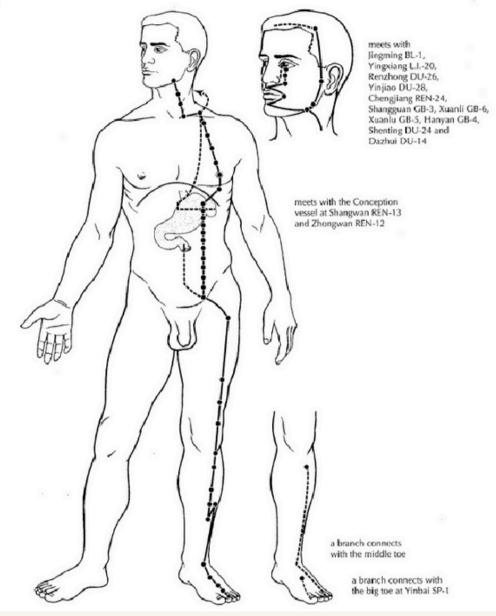




A MANUAL OF ACUPUNCTURE PETER DEADMAN & MAZI N AL-KHAFAJI WITH KEVIN BAKER



THE STOMACH CHANNEL OF FOOT YANGMING

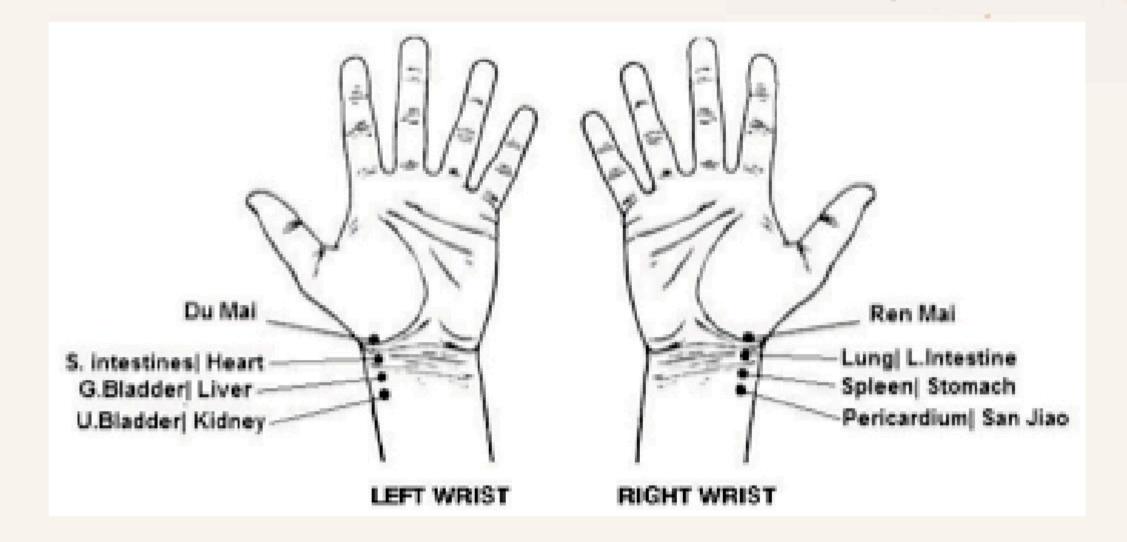




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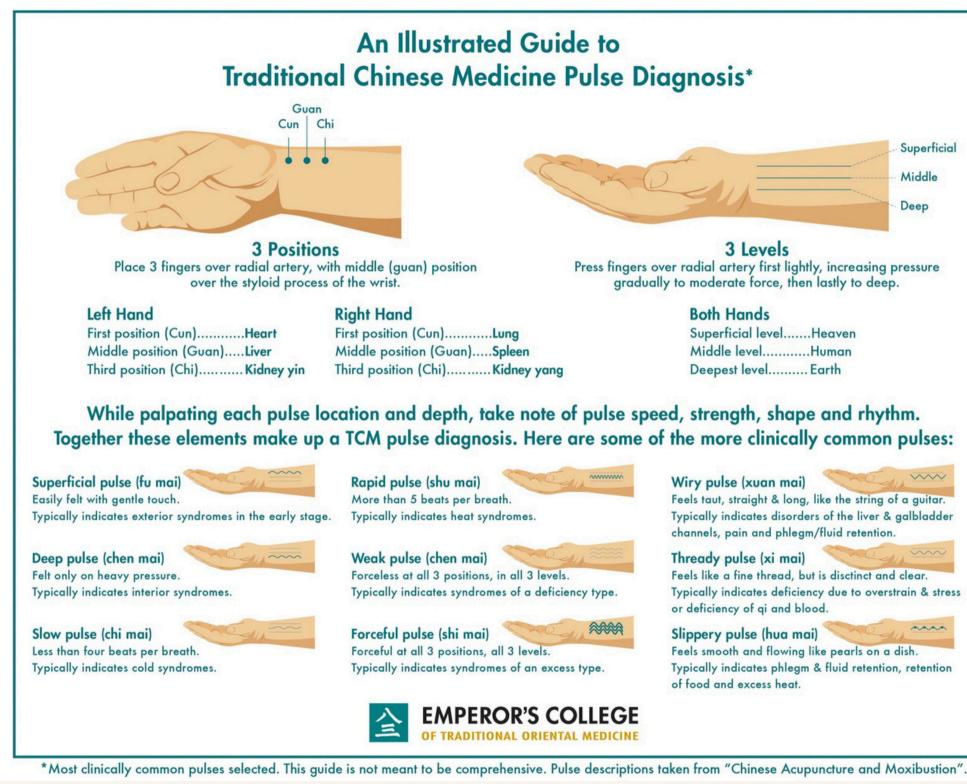
PULSE TAKING SPEED, DEPTH, QUALITY AND LOCATION GIVES US INFORMATION ABOUT THE BODY FOR INSTANCE



RAPID PULSE INDICATES HEAT SLOW PULSE INDICATES COLD WIRY PULSE INDICATES STAGNATION

SLIPPERY PULSE INDICATES DAMPNESS AND PHLEGM THIN PULSE INDICATES BLOOD DEFICIENCY WEAK DISSAPEARING PULSE INDICATES QI DEFICIENCY

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Tongue diagnosis involves analyzing the COLOR COAT TEXTURE LOCATION THICKNESS MOVEMENT

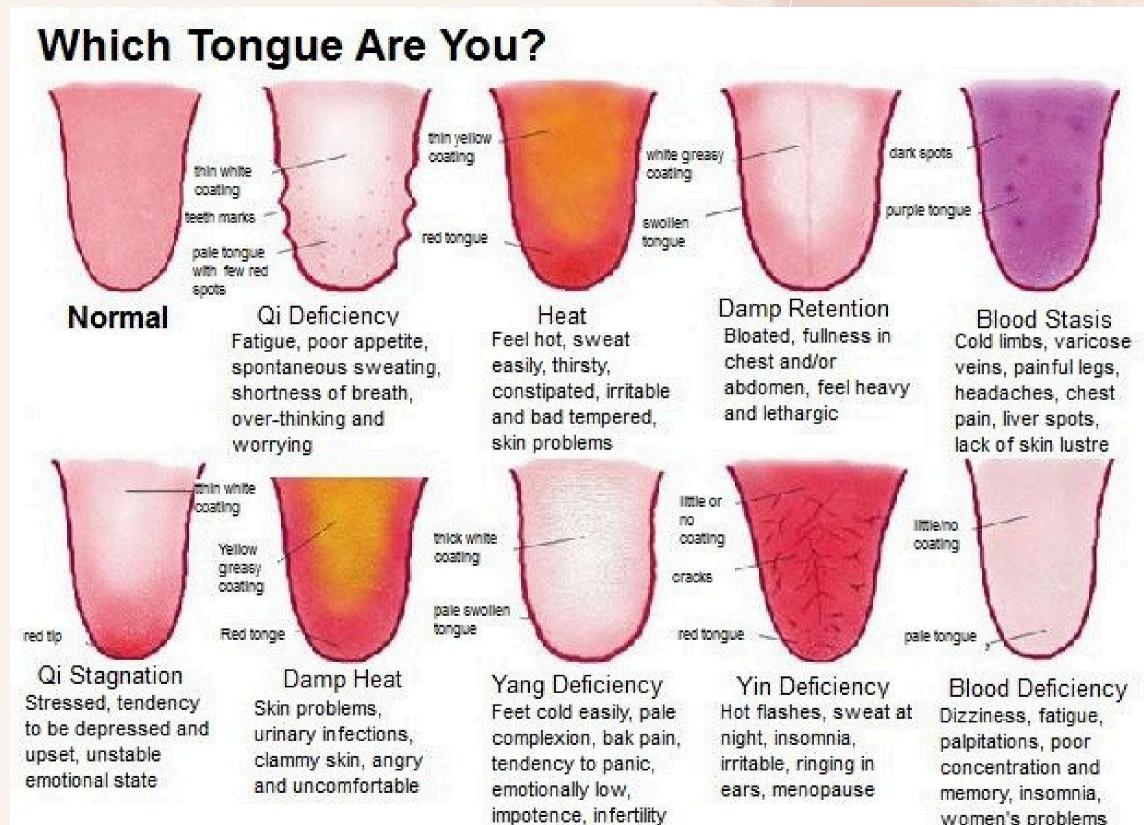
of the tongue to understand the body's internal state.

Chinese Medicine Map of the Tongue

Kidneys and Urinary Bladder -Large & Small Gall Bladder Liver Intestines 8 Gall Stomach ઝ Bladde & Spleen iver Lungs

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women's problems

BALANCE OPPOSITES

NAUSEA

REBELLIOUS QI

STAGNATION EMOTIONAL INJURY SEDENTARY EXCESS COLD EXCESS HEAT

Harmonize

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DISPERSE CALM DECREASE INFLAMMATION CHANGE POSITION WARM COOL

ACUPRESSURE

GENTLE TO DEEP PRESSURE OR HOLDS TO AREAS OF THE BODY TO RELIEVE SYMPTOMS USING

MICROSYSTEMS MERIDIANS/CHANNELS







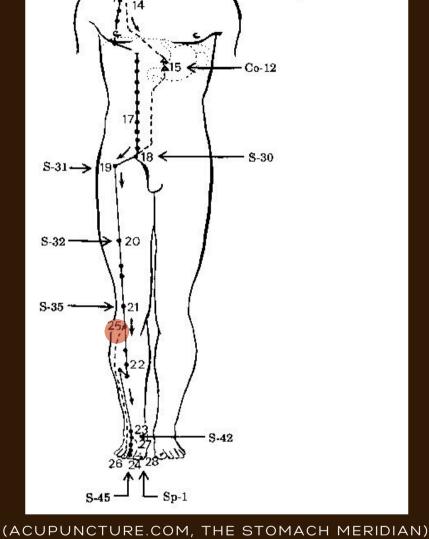


ACUPRESSURE POINT LOCATION TRADITIONAL ASIAN MEDICINE THEORY BELIEVES THE BODY HAS MANY AREAS THAT CORRESPOND TO DISTAL, LOCAL AND MICROSYSTEMS

WHICH GIVES US TOOLS AWAY FROM LOCAL AREA OF PAIN AND DISCOMFORT

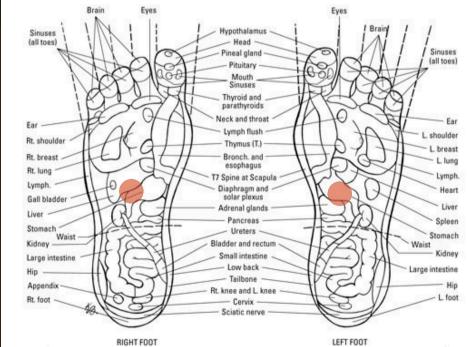
EXAMPLES OF ALTERNATIVE STOMACH AREAS

STOMACH MERIDIAN



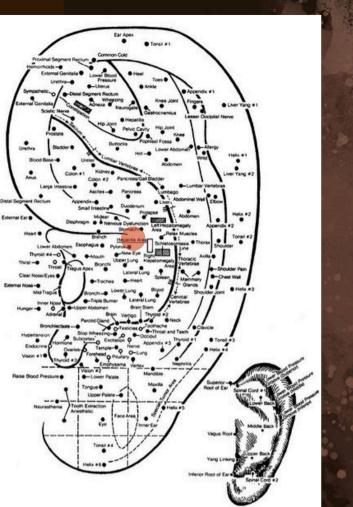
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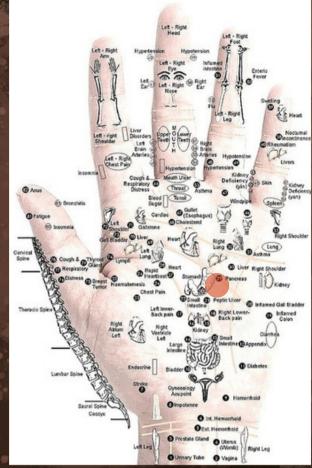
(31 printable foot reflexology charts & maps $_{\mathsf{D}}$ templatelab 2022) REFLEXOLOGY



(YINOVA CENTER, 2021) EAR

(ACUPRESSURE: HAND REFLEXOLOGY, REFLEXOLOGY, HEALING REFLEXOLOGY 2022)





ACUPRESSURE



applying pressure on specific acupuncture points. The pressure can be gentle or constant, using a finger or an object. It's important to note that the pressure should never be painful, astie that the sortes direts midd, bruising, and skin waterats case of all retention, patients with deficient advisorial spice in a spice of edema should neventaire alatpros Bitting It's crucial to find the level of pressure that the patient finds comfortable to avoid any adverse effects. It's safer to stay on the side of caution especially if the nervous, circulation, or lymphatic system is compromised.



DEEPER PRESSURE

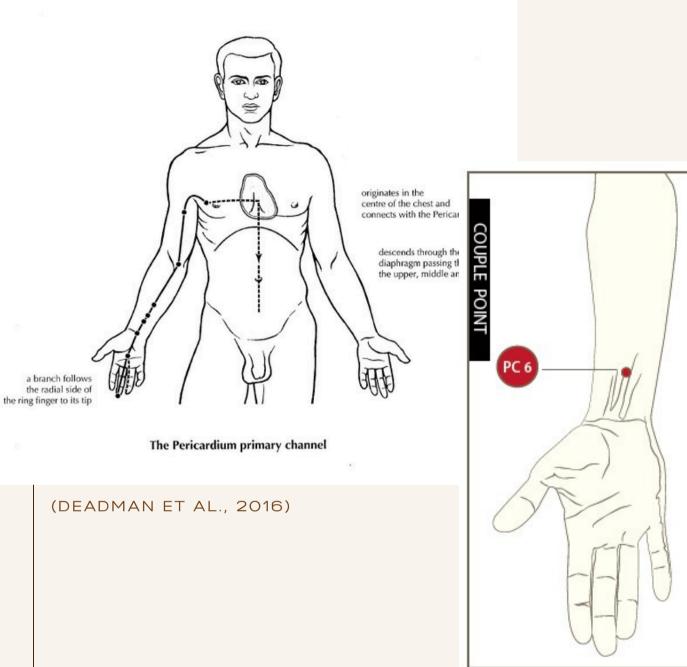
Acupressure is a technique that involves

Pericardium acupuncture point 6 PC6

According to theory

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THE PERICARDIUM CHANNEL OF HAND JUEYIN

(KIMBROUGH)

It has been shown to reduce naseau symptoms with acupuncture, pressure, holding. 3 finger widths of the person from crease of wrist.

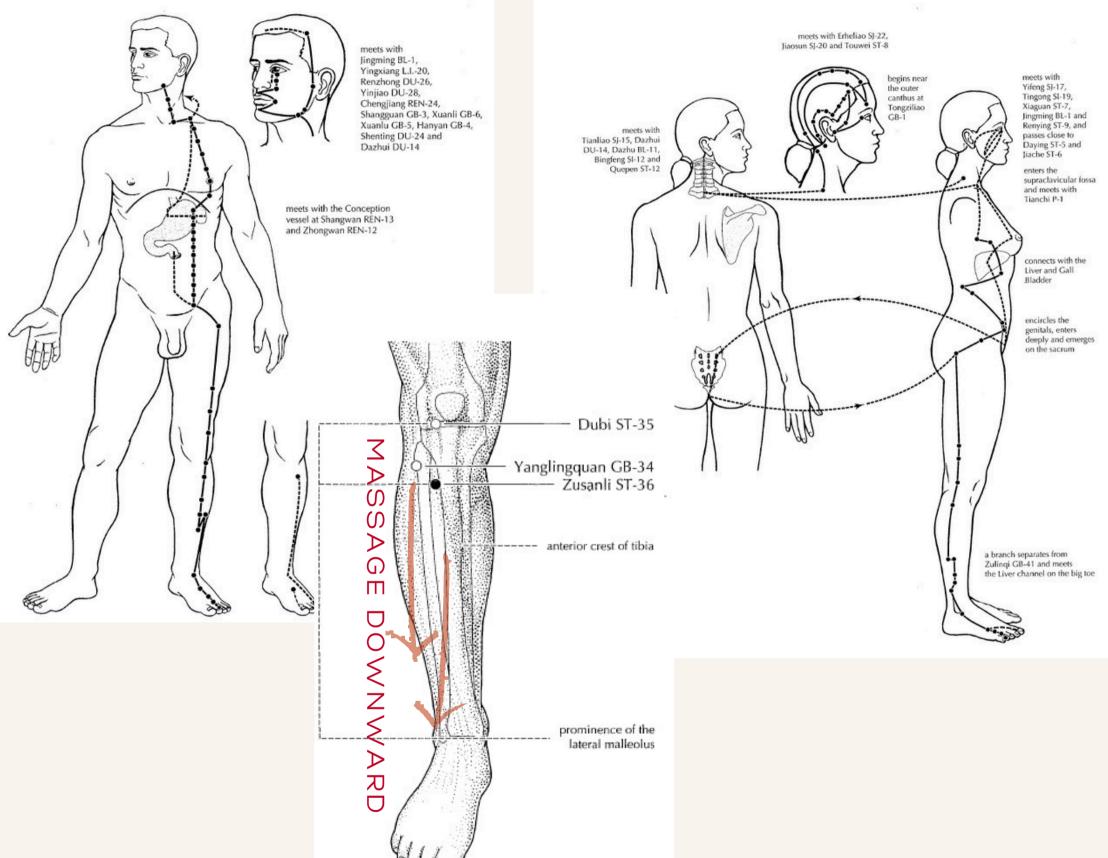
(RELIEF BAND PRO)



THE STOMACH CHANNEL OF FOOT YANGMING

The Stomach and Gall Bladder Meridian on the lateral shin of the leg can be massaged gently downward to help relieve abdominal inflammation and swelling. In addition, apply pressure to points as you glide down the leg.

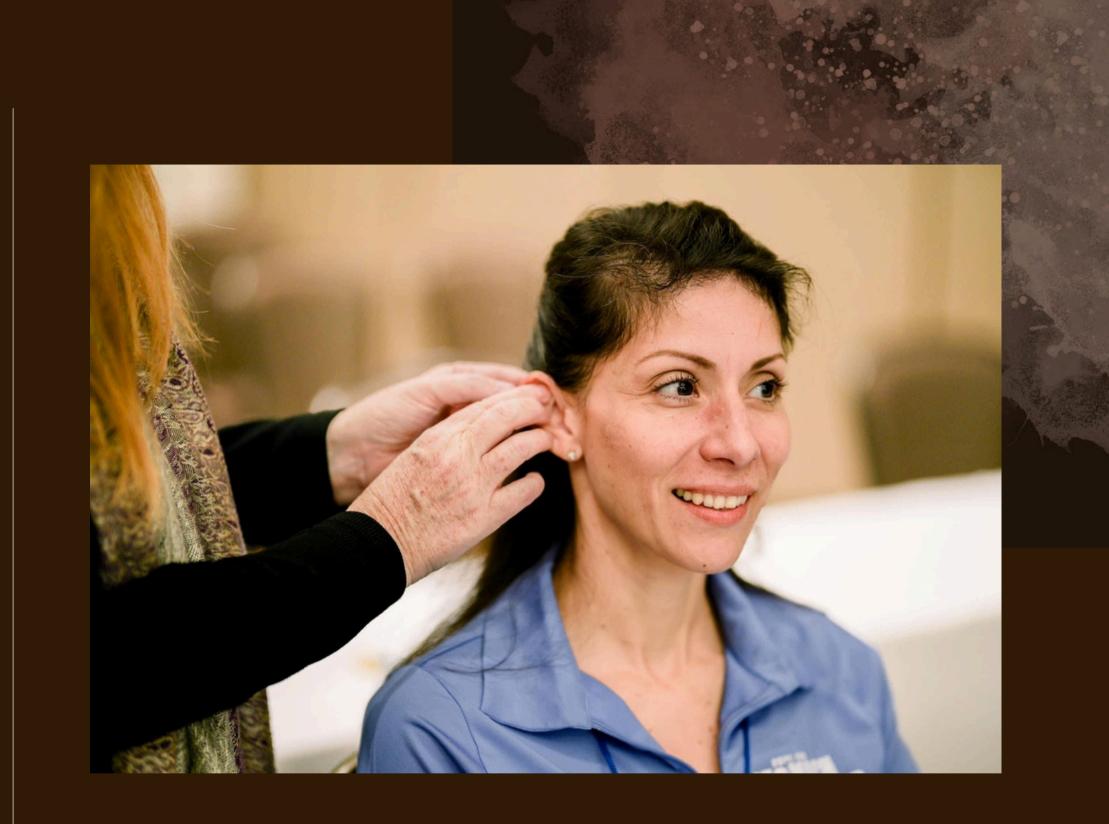




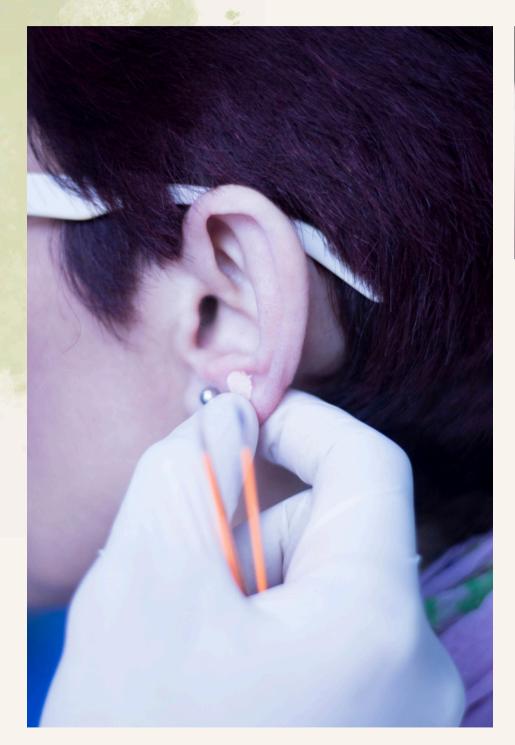
THE GALL BLADDER CHANNEL OF FOOT SHAOYANG

EARSEEDS

Ear seeds are small seeds used in auriculotherapy. They can help with pain relief, stress reduction, improved sleep, anxiety, depression, addiction, weight loss, digestive issues, and hormonal imbalances. They are an affordable, noninvasive, and easy-to-use treatment option.



EARSEEDS





SUGGESTED EAR SEED PLACEMENT

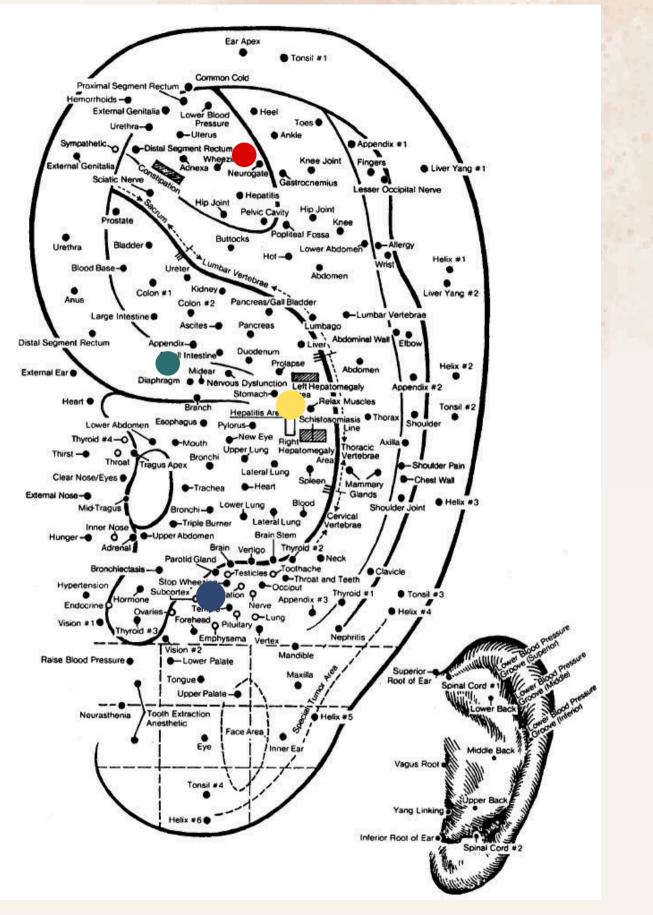
- EAR SHEN MEN/NEUROGATE ANXIETY/CALM MIND
- DIAPHRAGM

STOMACH

DIGESTIVE SUBCORTEX

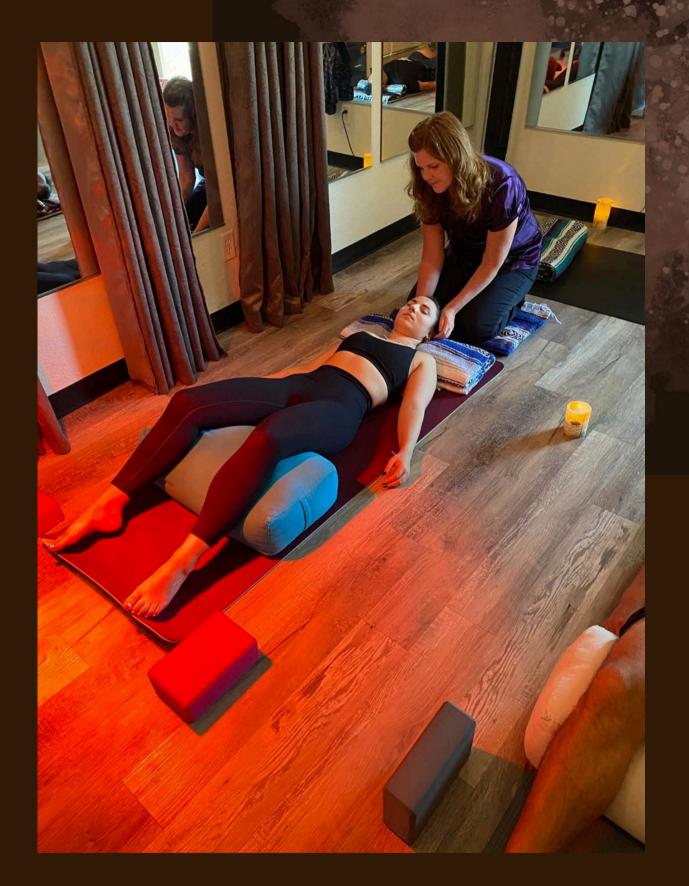
REDUCE DIGESTIVE SYMPTOMS

Be careful not to drop ear seeds into ear canal Better to place while patient is sitting up



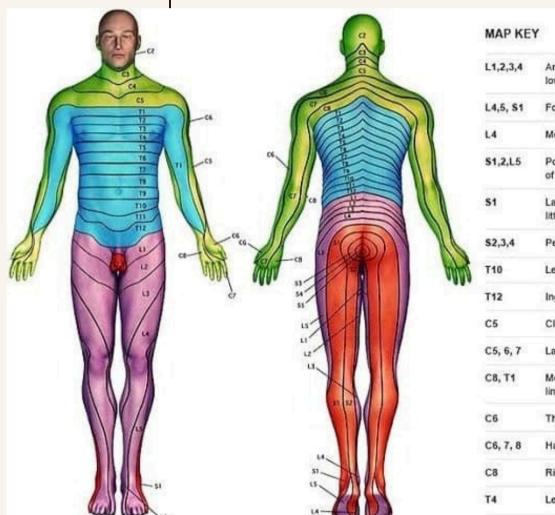
(YINOVA CENTER, 2021)

CRANIO SACRAL Craniosacral therapy (CST) is a gentle, hands-on massaging technique. It uses a light touch to release tension around your body's connective tissue network called the fascia. CST promotes pain relief from headaches, neck pain and the side effects of cancer treatment.



Nervous System

When we touch something, the specific areas of skin called dermatomes affect our nervous system. The craniosacral theory aims to stimulate the parasympathetic nervous system, which promotes relaxation and digestion. As well as encourages circuation of the lymph and blood.



Anterior and inner surface of ower limbs

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edial side of great toe

Posterior and outer surface of lower limbs

Lateral margin of foot and little toe

Perineum

Level of umbilicus

nguinal or groin regions

Clavicles

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Medial sides of the uppe limbs

Thumb

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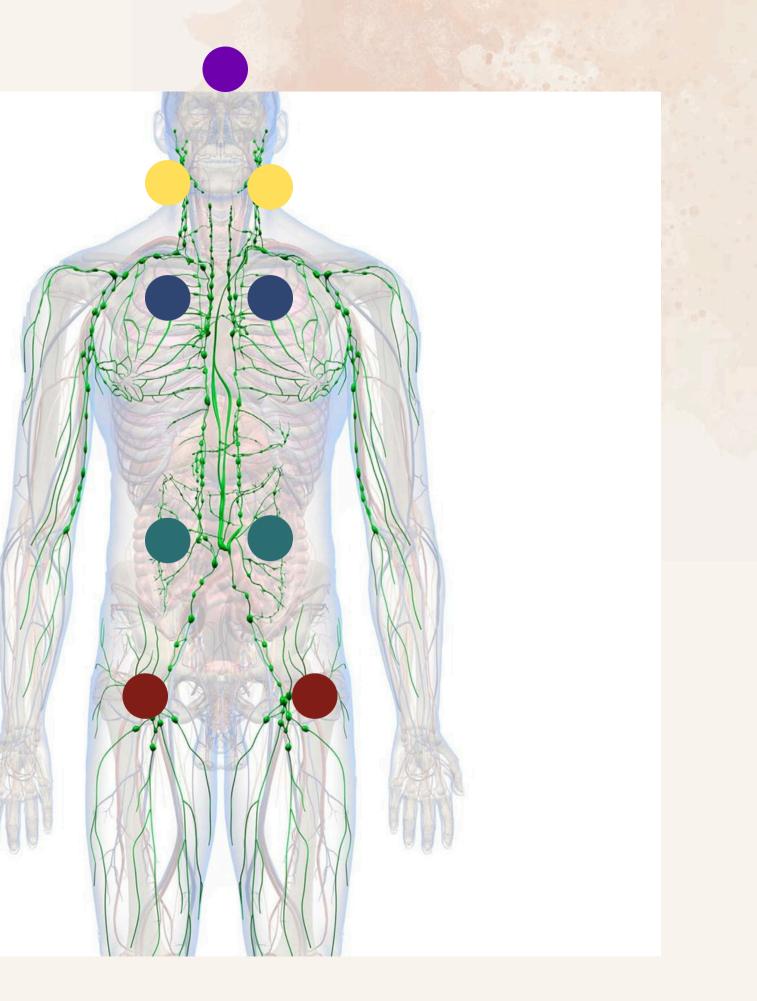
evel of nipples.



Lymphatic System

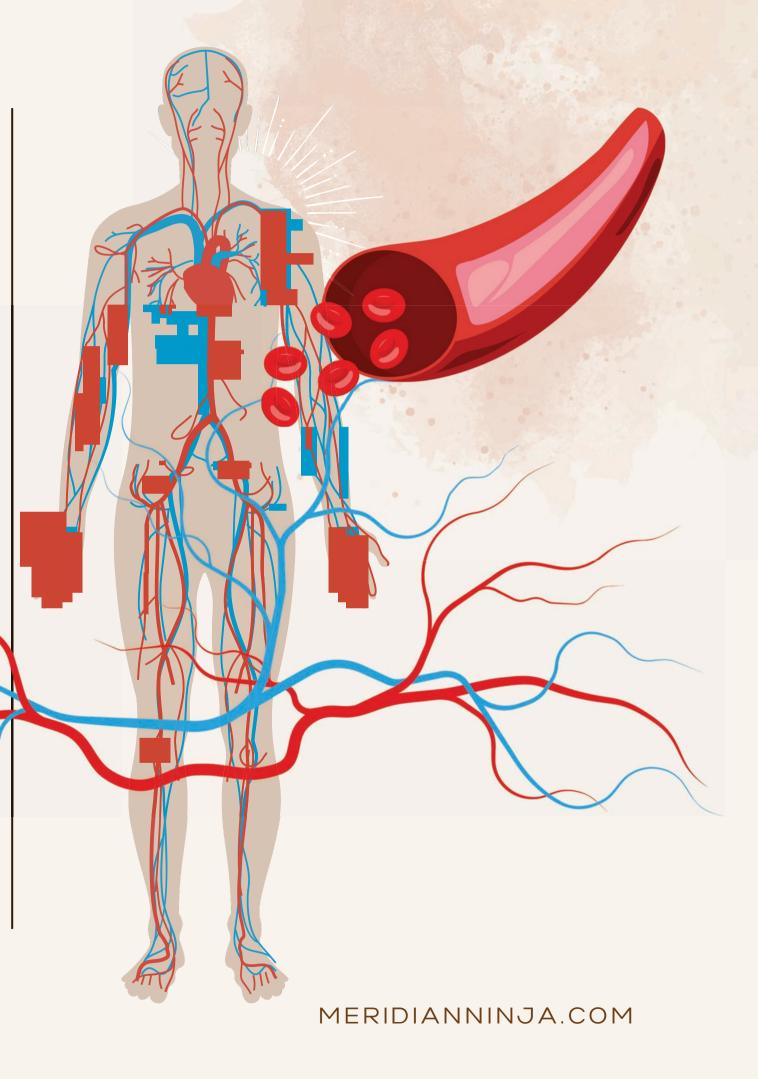
Gentle pressure or a light touch can help promote lymphatic drainage. The main areas of drainage are:

- Sinus
- Sternoclaidomastoid
- Thoracic inlet
- Diaphragm
- Pelvis



Cardiovascular System

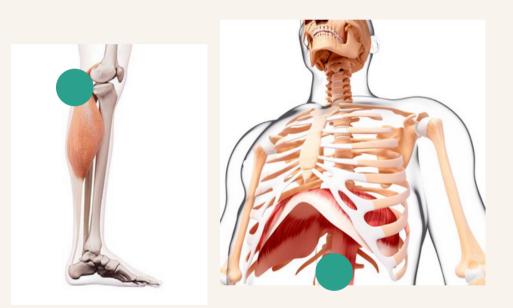
To promote blood flow, consider trying some gentle pressure, shaking, joint movement, hydrotherapy, infrared therapy and rapid light massage. These techniques have been known to enhance circulation and help you feel more relaxed overall. A nourishing and healthy diet also supports cardiovascular health.



BLENDED TREATMENT #I

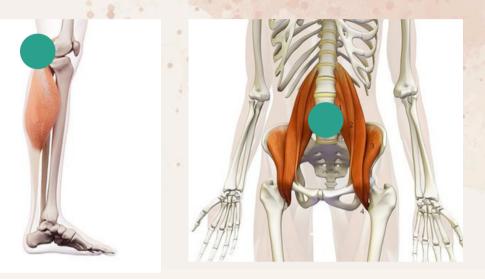
Treatment to assist fluid movement, reduce anxiety, and nausea, and increase circulation. The patient lies flat while the partner's hands slide under the spine. Hands and patient should be relaxed and comfortable: bed, lazyboy, floor. Bolsters and pillows advisable where patient feels tension.



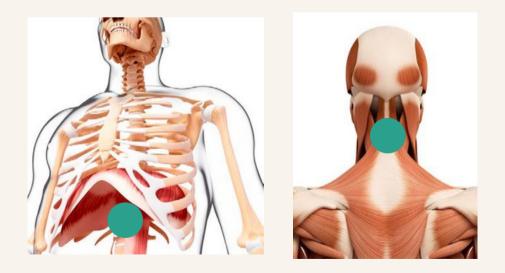


Step 1. Hands underneath knees and under lower thoracic spine where diaphragm connects

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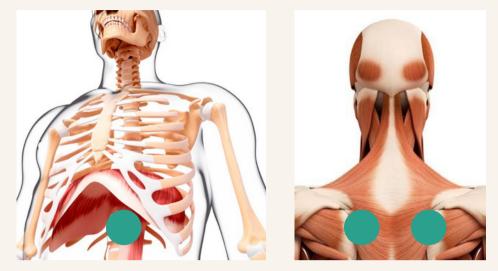
Step 2 Hands underneath knees and under lumbar spine where psoas connects



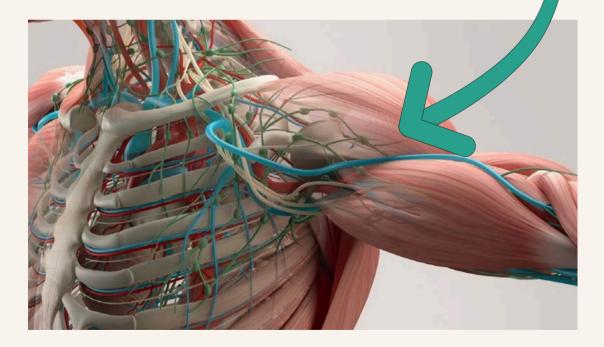
Step 3 Hands underneath throacic spine and under cervical spine

BLENDED TREATMENT #I CONTINUED

The patient or their partner may feel a dull, achy pumping sensation, which is the result of the nervous system activating lymphatic activity. It is normal to hear gurgling, bubbling, and fluid noises, which indicate movement. If patient is uncomfortable these sessions can be short and then revisted later when ready.



Step 4 Hands underneathlower thoracic spine where diaphragm connects and under the left side then right side of upper thoracic spine

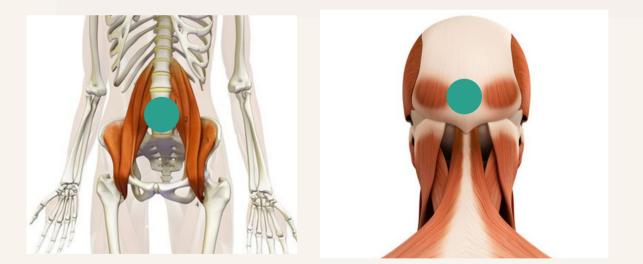


Maybe gentle pressure in the lymphatic area on the front side of the thoracic area where the inlets are located below the collar bone and the three ribs below the collar bone if the back is stiff and rigid

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Step 5 Hands underneath lower thoracic spine where diaphragm connects and under the sub occipital head area



Step 6 Hands under lumbar spine where psoas connects and under the sub occipital head area

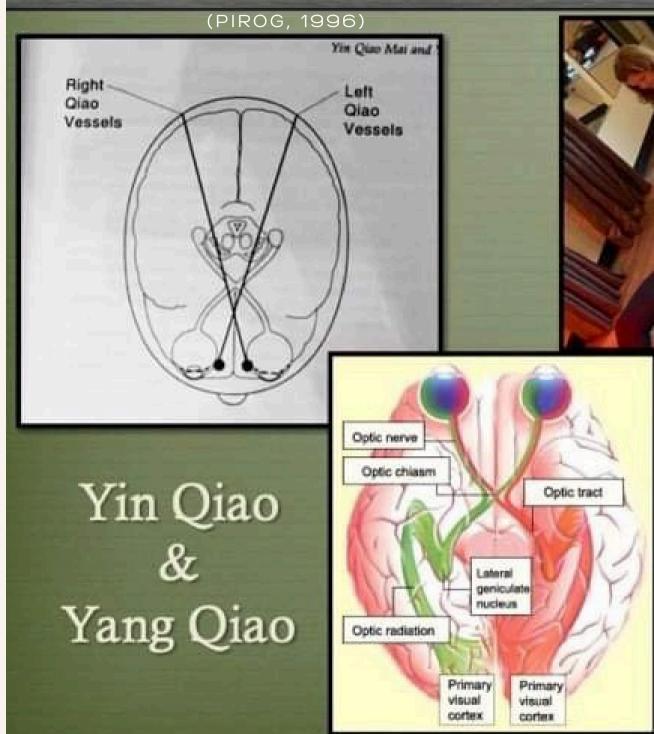
BLENDED TREATMENT #2

Integrating CranioSacral therapy with Asian Medicine combines traditional ancient techniques with modern anatomy. The Yin Qiao/Yang Qiao meridians in Asian Medicine charts have a similar pattern to the optic nerve and tract. This treatment can be added to Treatment #1 or performed by itself and may help relieve eye strain, headaches, and anxiety.

The technique involves a gentle, relaxed hold behind the suboccipital and a softly cupped hand on the eye opposite of the suboccipital hand.

Be sure to clean your hands of all essential oils, germs, etc.

The suboccipital may feel less rigid and more pliable when done correctly. This hold can take up to 5 or more minutes.





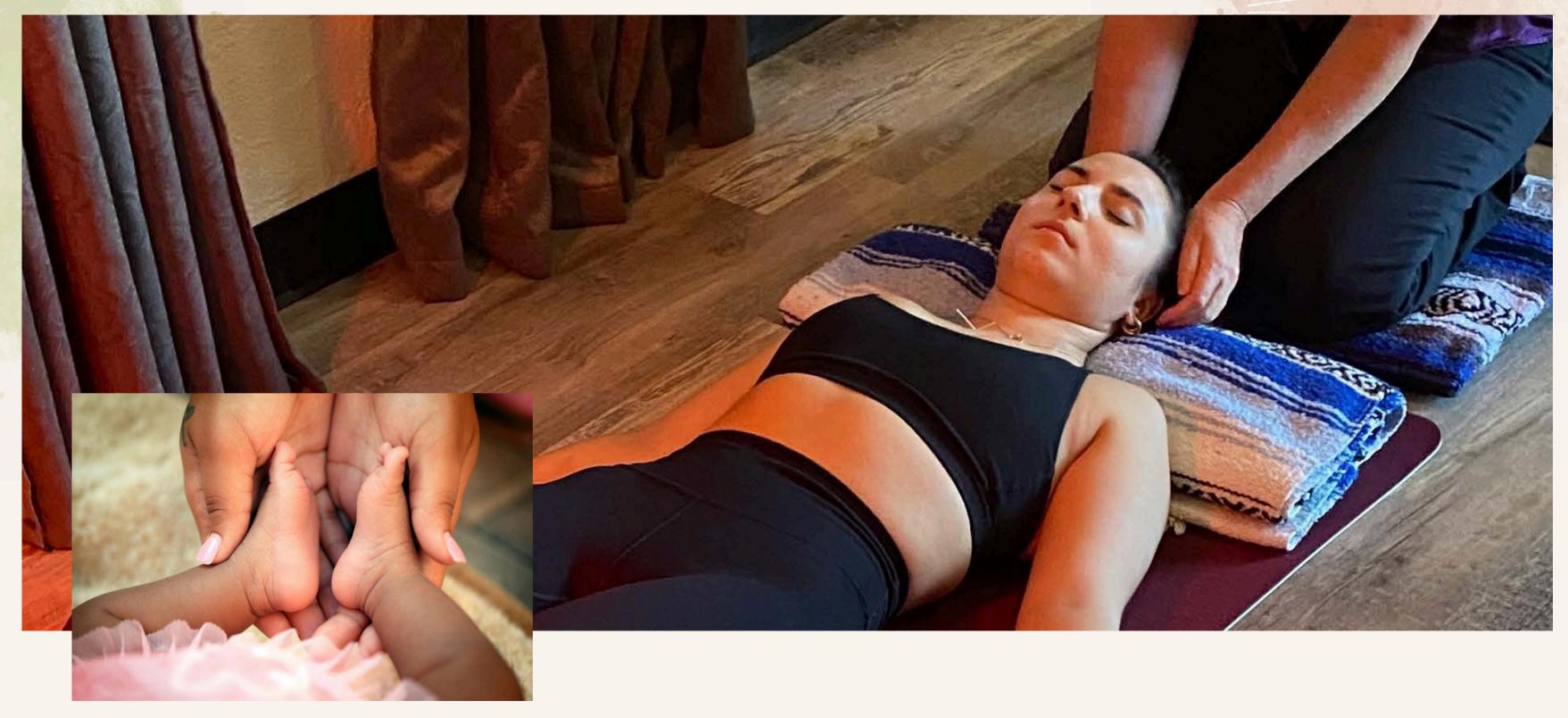


Acupoint pressure on GB 20 Subocciptial protrusion and Hand cupping oposing eye with gentle pressure on outside orbital area

Gentle hold until congestion decreases at GB 20. Gently feel neck to see if rigid ischemia has soften and cervical area have released in congested areas.

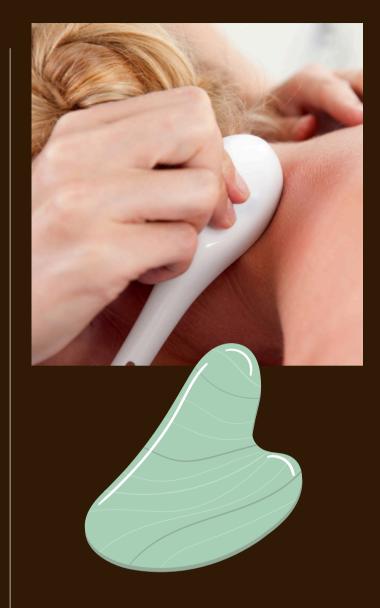
ENDING TRETMENT SESSIONS

Gently hold head and allow body to continue to relax. Ending with holding the feet is tradition, so as to ground the person before ending session.

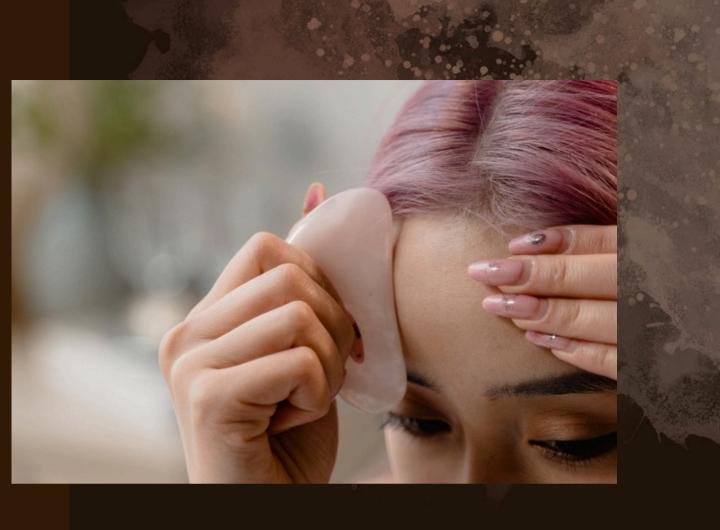


GUASHA

Gua sha is a traditional Chinese medical treatment that involves scraping the skin with a tool to improve circulation and promote healing.











1. Pain relief: Gua sha has been shown to be effective in reducing pain, especially in the neck, back, and shoulders.

2. Improved circulation: The scraping motion of gua sha helps to increase blood flow to the treated area, which can help to promote healing and reduce inflammation.

3. Reduced inflammation: Gua sha has been found to have anti-inflammatory effects, making it beneficial for conditions such as arthritis and asthma.

4. Immune system support: Gua sha is thought to stimulate the immune system and promote the production of white blood cells, which can help to fight off infections and illnesses.

5. Improved skin health: Gua sha can help to increase circulation to the skin, which can improve its tone, texture, and overall appearance.

GUASHA

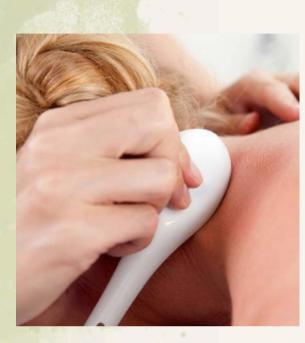
It is important to note that gua sha should only be performed by a trained practitioner, as improper technique can lead to skin damage and other complications.

For home remedy uses it is suggested to use gently and not around open sores or skin discoloration

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Some of the benefits of gua sha include:

Gently glide (start with the pressure that would be like sliding a coin over the skin) over areas: best to always drain toward heart, the angle of fibers may also be helpful.



HEAD SHOULDERS SINUSES UPPER BCK







ARMS AND HANDS LEGS AND FEET



FOOT SOAKS

Salt and herbal foot soaks are a popular home remedy for relieving symptoms of neuropathy. The warm water helps to increase circulation, while the addition of salt can help to reduce inflammation and soothe sore muscles and joints.

(VAKILINIA SR;, EVALUATION OF THE EFFICACY OF WARM SALT WATER FOOT-BATH ON PATIENTS WITH PAINFUL DIABETIC PERIPHERAL NEUROPATHY: A RANDOMIZED CLINICAL TRIAL)



To prepare a salt foot soak, simply fill a basin with warm water and add a handful of Epsom salt or sea salt.

Squeeze Lemon Juice (2 lemons)

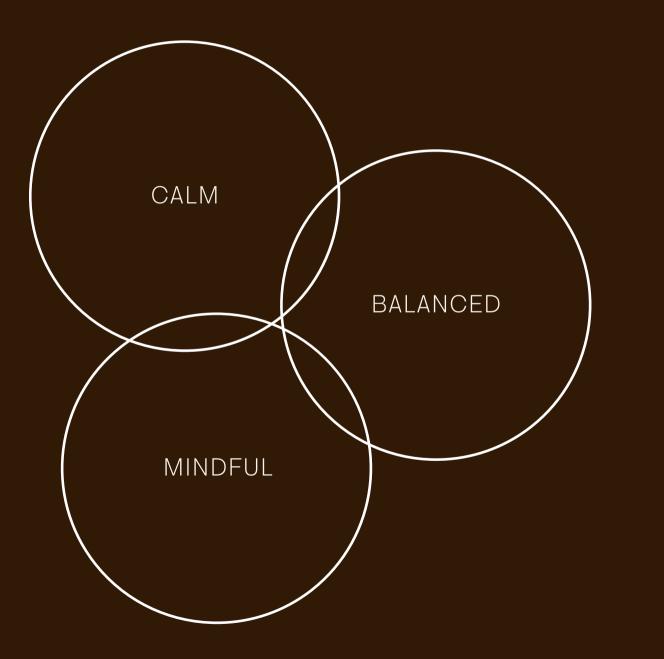
Add Herbs (Mint for cooling Frankincense for pain and circulation) Or custom tea bags and herbs made for your condition.

Soak your feet in the water for 20-30 minutes, and then dry them off thoroughly.

Repeat this process daily as needed to help alleviate symptoms of neuropathy and promote overall relaxation.



QIGONG





Qigong is a Chinese practice that involves coordinated **Body movements Breathing techniques** Meditation SelfMassage Tapping Its purpose is to improve one's physical, mental, and spiritual health by enhancing the flow of vital energy (qi) throughout the body.

Qigong has been shown to have numerous benefits, including reducing stress and anxiety, improving balance and flexibility, boosting the immune system, and promoting overall well-being.





(GUNIZ, 2019)

This is a direct from inarticulatehour.com. This is a good look at the Eight Brocade and the therory behind it. If any movement becomes uncomfortable, alter to the limitation or stop immediately. It is best to learn from a practitioner before practicing solo.

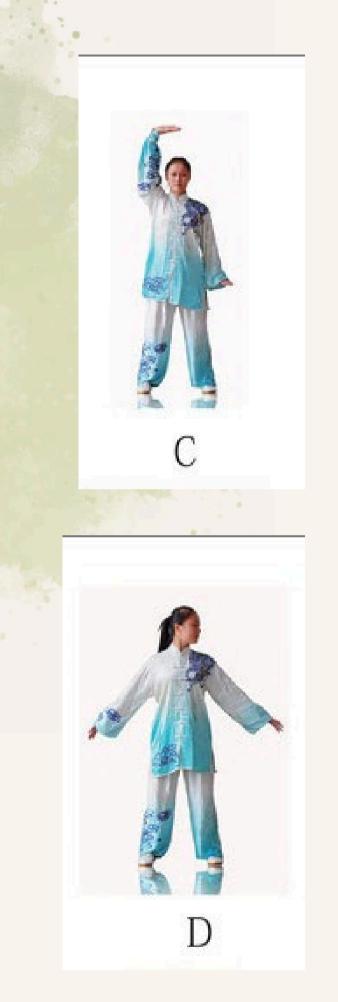


1. PressingUptotheHeavenswithTwoHands

This form consists of an upward movement of the hands, which are loosely joined and travel up the center of the body. It regulates the Triple Burner/Warmer and balances the energy. An unhealthy triple heater can result in issues such as ADD, fatigue, anxiety and panic attacks as well as insomnia and tinnitus. So, practicing this qigong will benefit for all these conditions. The First burner includes organs from the neck to the Diaphragm. (heart, pericardium, lungs). The second burner includes organs from the Diaphragm to the navel(Liver, spleen, stomach, etc.) and the third burner includes all organs from the navel to the pubis (Intestines and Reproductive organs etc.)

2. DrawingtheBowandLettingtheArrowFly

While in a lower horse stance, the practitioner imitates the action of drawing a bow to either side. This form balances and replenishes the kidney meridian, strengthens your root through the low horse stance, strengthens lower body. It works on strengthening and realigning the lower back muscles and the spine. Also the hips, legs, knees, and ankles. It is said to exercise the waist area, focusing on the kidneys and spleen.



3. Separating Heaven and Earth

This resembles a version of the first piece with the hands pressing in opposite directions, one up and one down. A smooth motion in which the hands switch positions is the main action. It benefits to Spleen and stomach meridian. It is said to especially stimulate the stomach, ease the Liver and the spleen and the chest for deeper breathing.

4. Wise Owl Gazes Backwards

This form is a stretch of the neck to the left and the right in an alternating fashion. You turn your head to look to the rear. It eases tension at the neck and eyes. Works on healing internal injuries. Nourishes the internal organs. This is a stretch of the neck to the left and the right in an alternating fashion.

It assists energy depletion and consumptive illnesses, as it works the entire spine much like a wrung-out cloth, it gets rid of nagging stiff muscles and pinched nerves, this exercise improves your vitality, focus, and energy levels, and it also wards off aging and is very beneficial for back pain all along the spine.



5. Big Bear Turns from Side to Side

In this form, you sway head and swing tail. It is said to regulate the function of the heart and lungs. Its primary aim is to remove excess heat (or fire) (xin huo) from the heart. Xin huo is also associated with heart fire in traditional Chinese medicine. In performing this piece, the practitioner squats in a low horse stance, places the hands on thighs with the elbows facing out and twists to glance backwards on each side.

This exercise directly increases your life force and energy, affecting longevity personal power and health.

6. Touching toes and bending backwards / Two Hands Hold the Feet It stimulates the yin meridians and the governing vessel so most of the lower meridians and all the solid organs of the body, check above for the illustration It stretches and tones the spinal column. Works on strengthening the muscles and tissues around the spinal column. Enables circulation of oxygenated blood to the brain.





7. Punching with an angry Gaze This form strengthens and revitalizes the liver. Engenders courage and fortitude.

8. Shaking the body / Bouncing in the toes / Heels up Helps draws energy from the earth through the Bubbling wells on the soles of the feet. Enhances the body's balance and stability.

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