

Psychiatric-epidemiological-psychosocial study of stammering in Egyptian children

Beshri, Zainab

Ain-Shams Univ., Cairo (EGY). Fac. of Med.

Thesis ; M.D. 1970

The aim of this study is to deal with stammering in children in the primary school on an epidemiological level.

The sample includes 79 stammerers school children aged between 6-12 years, another healthy 79 students were included as controls, they are selected from the same class and are matched with the cases regarding age and sex. They are subjected to Goodenough Test for intelligence in children, Verbal Fluency Test and Personality Test and EEG. Stammering affects a good percent of the population. These patients are subject to great stress and suffering, there are more male than female stammerers forming sex ratio 3:1.