

11th WPI IIIS Seminar

“Insomnia in the context of cancer”

It is estimated that one-third to one-half of people with cancer experience sleep disturbance. Physical illness, pain, hospitalization, drugs and other treatments for cancer, and the psychological impact of a malignant disease may disrupt the sleeping patterns of persons with cancer. Poor sleep adversely affects mood and performance. In today's speech, epidemiology and treatment of insomnia in the context of cancer and several areas for future research in the psycho-oncology field will be presented.



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I am a graduate student at the graduate school of medicine and I specialize in the field of child neuropsychiatry, palliative medicine and especially psycho-oncology.

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