



Swinging with Spiders...



A look at our creepy crawly
Spider Remedies!



What's there to be afraid of when all they want to do is dance... Tarantula Cubensis



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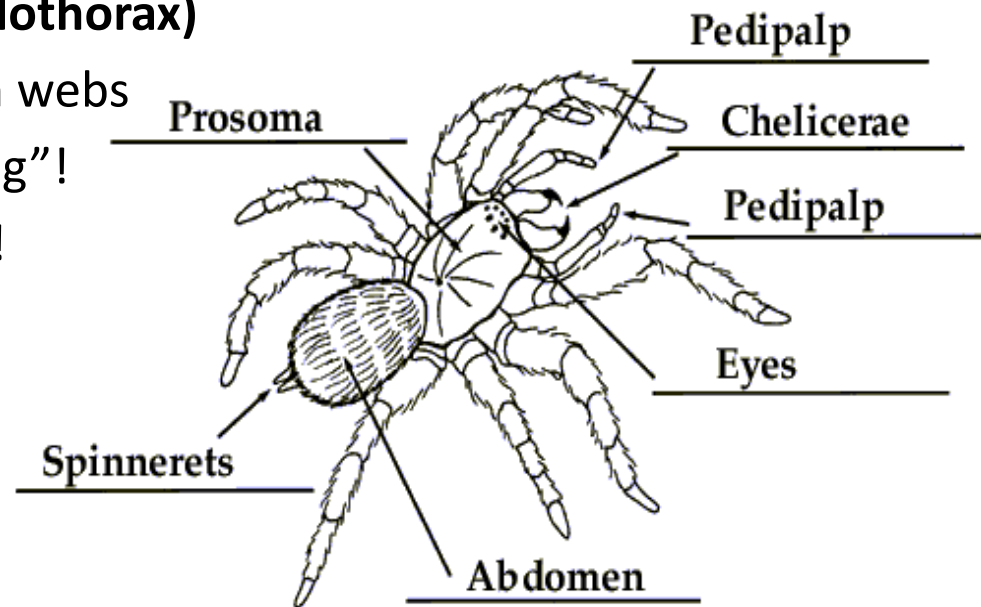
Spiders are everywhere

- Over 100,000 species of spiders all over the world, on land and water, in all shapes, colors and sizes...and temperament!
- They are generally misunderstood and feared because of the unknowns associated with them.
- Spiders have a lot to offer in the world of Homeopathy.



The itty-bitty parts of the spider...

- **Four pairs of legs**, each with seven joints and claws at the end of each leg
 - Taste and smell occur through sense organs on legs
- **Chelicerae** -claw-like fangs with poison glands at their base
- **Pedipalps** – helps in chewing and reproduction
- **Abdomen & Prosoma (cephalothorax)**
- **Spinnerets** to spin their silken webs
- **Tiny Hairs** that aids in “hearing”!
- **8 Simple eyes** but bad vision!



Spiders... Spinning their webs of silk...



Hanging and trying to maintain balance in mid air.

- Vertigo
- Lack of Stability
- Excess energy built up
- Restlessness!

Not of the earth, not yet in the sky - they sit in a state of confusion and disorientation.

- Clumsy & Making mistakes
- Identity Issues & Weak memories

There is a sense of disconnection within and with the outside world.

- Time, space, emotions, other people and objects
- Misunderstandings & Miscommunications

They are tense and aware - sensitive to the tiniest movement!

- Hypersensitive – emotionally and physically
- Aggravated by touch and noise except for that which is rhythmic

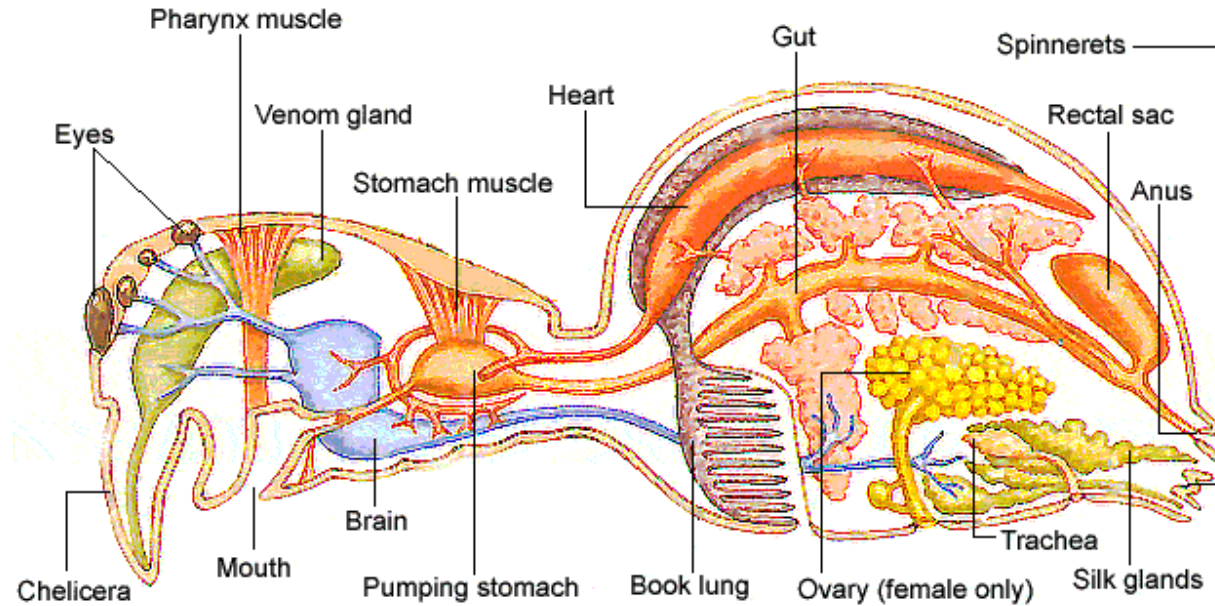
They usually want to be left alone...

Spiders... life on earth...

- **Some spiders never spin webs... but even they are stuck in a world of tension and restlessness!**
 - Stiff muscles and joints, tensive headaches and pains, twitching, convulsions and uncontrollable movement
 - Explosive reactions and emotions when aggravated!
- **Most spiders want to live in dark and mysterious places... like the cracks of walls or... in your shoes!**
 - Feelings of persecution and paranoia
 - Secretive & Cunning
 - Vigilant and on the defensive
- **Most spiders have some form of venom... no action to extremely deadly!**
 - Vengeful
 - Destructive
- **They want to be loved despite all that!**
 - They can feel forsaken and isolated by others
 - Catch 22!



To eat or not to eat...



Very small digestive system!!

Digest food outside the body!

- Aversion to foods
- Preference for liquids
- Heightened sensitivity to smells
- Urinary and Retention ailments

Chilly and Very little energy

Exhausted easily



Come into my web my darling...



They are very sexual – to attract attention and to expend energy

Touching aggravates!!

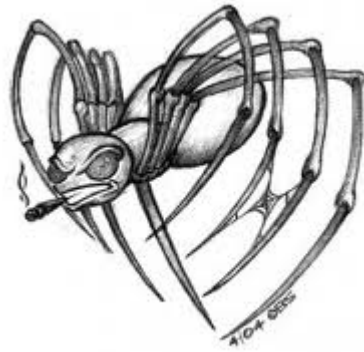
Some spider females eat the male after mating!

Family Troubles



Relief...

Spiders are better with tobacco smoke



Loves threads, rope and tape!



Symptoms



- All spider remedies share almost the same symptom pictures.



- The differences can be found by observing the **DYNAMIC LEVEL** – the level where there is conflict, contradiction or some sort of dilemma in the spider. These are the SRPs that lead us to the more specific spider.



Theraposidae Family...

- **Mygale Lasiodora Spider – Black Cuban Bird Spider**

- MOST Sycotic of the spider remedies
- Most sensual spider and pushes all boundaries of sensuality
- They don't like to eat but are the most gourmet of the spiders
- Aggravated from sleep they do enjoy a deep sleep filled with absurd and ludicrous dreams
- Greedy in an obvious way and in an excessive way
- Competitive and don't like to show weakness
- They want to be young again
- They blame others for their problems, even inanimate objects
- They have an aptitude to work hard and will usually succeed
- If they feel slighted or persecuted, they will be the most vengeful and malicious



- **Tarantula Cubensis Spider – Cuban Tarantula**

- They are better by rubbing hands, legs, the head or even the body
- They have a sympathetic and compassionate nature
- There can be chills followed by intense burning pains
- Hypersensitivity of the genitals that can lead to sexual excitement

Haplogynae Family...

- **Loxoxceles Reclusa Spider – Brown Recluse Spider**

- Venom is necrotoxic causing flesh around the bite to die
- They are not restless like other spider Rx because they are not neurotoxic like them
- They feel old and ugly and have a feeling of isolation and they feel unfit for society
- They are self-critical and reproach themselves for their faults
- Observers, not participating in anything and they feel isolated – even in company
- Feel that somehow their minds and body and spirit are all disconnected
- Self-absorbed, self-righteous, judgmental, and very critical of others
- Get bored of everything and don't seem to find pleasure in anything
- They think constantly of death, sins and disease
- Their suicidal desire can also alternate with extreme cheerfulness
- Compassionate and sentimental but they don't know how to express these feelings
- They can have difficulty sleeping

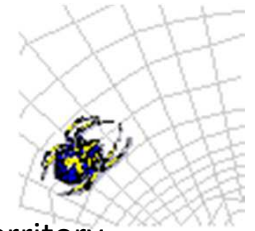


- **Pholcus Phalangoides Spider – Daddy Long Legs Spider**

- They like isolation and are very indifferent to what is going on around them
- Lack of motivation and not able to get things under way
- Has drugged and floating sensations with feeling that hand is floating upwards
- Nervous tension, fear and aggressive



Depluridae Family ...



- **Atrax Robustus Spider- Sydney Funnel Web Spider**

- Hatred and suspicion leads to a need to be ready for battle with anyone who enters their territory
- Weakness can come onto their limbs suddenly – This weakness is mental as well as physical.
- They excessively discharge secretions
- Feel as if a string is pulling on the outer ear or there is a string between the occiput and the mandible
- This is a good thyroid remedy with goiter and exophthalmia

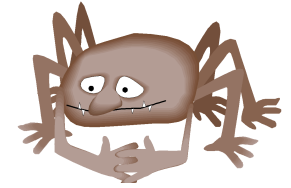
Lycosoidae Family ...

- **Tarantula Hispanica Spider – Wolf Spider**

- **They are** cunning, manipulative, prone to lying and deception
- They are destructive and can express violence verbally rather than physically
- They need attention and will do anything to keep attention on themselves
- Females can be masculine and can deny their femininity
- **So sensitive that** pleasurable things feel painful - pains are like 1000 needle pricks
- **They are** hypochondriacs and see every illness as very serious and makes sure everyone knows it



The Experiment...



- Went to the San Diego Zoo to check out the Spider House
- Only two spiders to experiment with
- Feelings experienced before, during and after

Before we even entered the Insect house ...

- **Disgust**, Unnecessary, **Fear**, Nasty, Ugly, **Fascination**, Awe, Terror, **Curiosity**
- **Crawl**, **Itchy**, Web, Poison, Widow, **Jumpy**, Dangerous, Black, **Anxiety**
- Feel **a chill running down my spine**
- My whole body would just **tense up**
- No thoughts / **Indifferent**
- “I am **cold blooded** so they didn’t scare me much”



The Results... Live Bird Eating Spider



During...

- Big, **Ugly**, Disgusting, **Creepy**, **Weird**, Sleepy, Boring, Hair curling, Crawling, Velvety, **Lonely**, Serious
- Don't want to touch it - **crawling feeling inside**
- It would be a **bully** that's **always angry** and **reacts extremely** to everything
- **Heart was beating fast;**
- **Afraid, secretive, jealous/envious, annoyed/annoying, small in front of other**
- Talk in a **evil voice** and act like it is hungry
- **"I love scaring these crazy humans"**

The Results... Dead Bird Eating Spider

- Dead, Hairy, Large, Ugly, Big Fangs
- Velvet, **Sad**, **Dark**, crawling, warm
- Creepy, **secretive**, **calculating**
- I feel **power over it** because it is dead!
- It would be a **zombie**
- **Emotion was calm**



Afterwards...

- I started to laugh because **I realized I am so much more powerful than them**
- **Not worrying about it jumping on me and biting me.**



Spiders and Homeopathy



- Spiders are mysterious and cunning
- They are restless and nervous – anxious and confused
- They instill fear as well as fascination
- They want to be alone but need others – sometimes very compassionate
- Twitching, Stabbing, Erratic and Sensual

Spiders are a part of our Materia Medica that we need to understand, appreciate and learn to recognize when they come creeping and crawling into our offices!



Thank you!

Hope you enjoyed meeting my little spider friends as much as I enjoyed introducing them to you!