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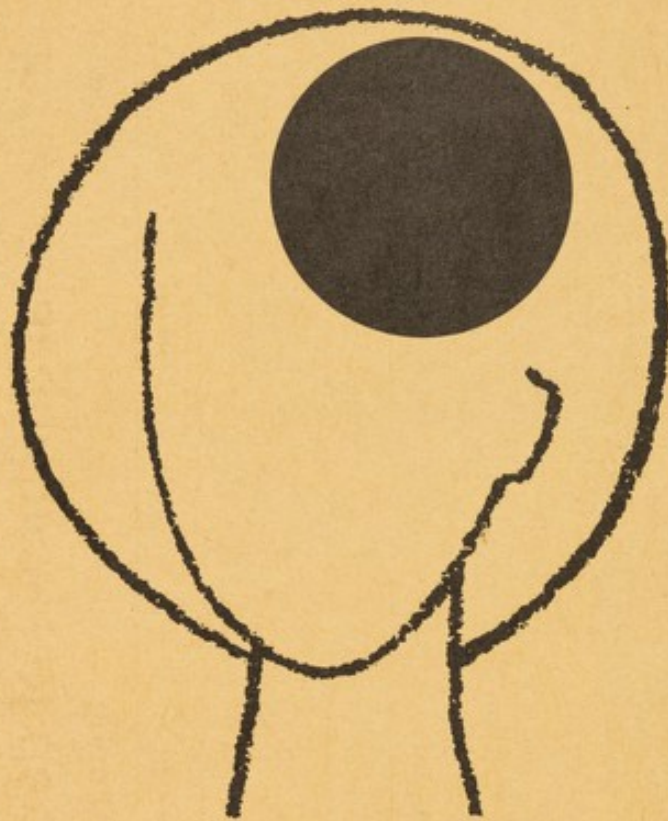
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differential diagnosis of depression

Reactive

Difficulty in getting to sleep

No retardation

Worse when fatigued

Mood varies from day to day

Complaints (especially psychosomatic symptoms) frequently change

The depression is often an exaggerated response to a real event

Talk of suicide but little real risk

Endogenous

Early waking

Retardation and slowness

Worse in the morning

Little mood variation

Complaints are unchanging

Often, no apparent cause can be found

Real risk of suicidal attempt

'Aventyl' 25mg

nortriptyline hydrochloride

The prompt relief of depressive symptoms that 'Aventyl' affords quickly reassures the patient that treatment is working. The doctor is also reassured - by the freedom from the drawbacks of earlier psychostimulants as evidenced by three years widespread use.

'Aventyl' (nortriptyline hydrochloride) is supplied as 'Pulvules' of 25mg base equivalent

'Pulvules' of 10mg and a suspension containing 10mg in 5 ml are also available.

Full prescribing information on request



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