عنوان مقاله:
Extermely prolonged INR associated with warfarin in combination with both trazodone and omega 3 fatty acids: a case report

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خلاصه مقاله:
To report a case of case of excessive anticogulation in patient taking fish oil, trazodone and warfain. CASE SUMMARY: A ۶۵-year – old white man had been taking warfarin for ۶ months after an episode ofpost – operative pulmonary thrombembolism (PTE) .His past medical history was otherwise insignificant. He recivied a prescription oftrazodone and fish oil fon not – very – well defined complaint.two weeks after taking these medications.when he routinely checked his international normalized ratio (INR) he came to the emergency department (ED) with a test result showing and INR of ۶۰.۸ he was admitted for abservation and all medications were then re-started . two wekks later his coagulation profile was within the desried therapeutic range. DISCUSSION: Co-administraion of warfarin wigh mega -۳ farty acids can lead to additional anticoagularion. This can result from changes chither in platelet aggregation or vitamin K-dependent coagulation factors.trazodone also has interactions with warfarin through not well – underesttd mechanisms. Although as late – onset and clinically insignificant, this has been questioned in other studies. This particular case illustrates possibl;e interactions between warfarin and these two medication. CONSLUSIONS: This case emphasizes the need for patient educaion about potential drug interactions with warfarin,especially with the emergence and popularity of herbal drugs and supplements.

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