

**Kenzo ODA : The Developmental Process of Community Care Policy (3) —  
Considering the Care of Frail Elderly People in Britain —** 1—10

The structure and procedure of Community Care Policy for frail elderly people in Britain have developed care management system. In care management care assessment has very important roles. It gives accuracy of care and cost benefit effects. Care plan after the care assessment needs good team work for many professionals, for example general practitioner, social worker, district nurse and care worker. At the same time recent policy needs the problem of cost of community care. Therefore, many social security schemes support this policy, even though they are not complete.

**Kiyoshi KINOSHITA : A Proposal of Treatments for First Attacks of Mental Disorders** 11—18

Remarkable progress in tranquilizers has brought about a great advance in cures of mental disorders. But, on the other hand, this has caused a tendency to look down psychotherapeutic approach to mental patients. Especially, a lack of any psychotherapy for patients who have first attacks of mental disorders is an important problem.

Based on the above thought, I report some of my psychotherapeutic experiences concerned with patients, including psychoses. At the same time I consider some effects of psychotherapy. To sum up my consideration, a sympathetic interaction between a therapist and a patient for a long time produces a deep rapport between them. This is almost the same even if the patient is a schizophrenic.

For the sake of this approach, I think clinical psychologists are the most suitable. I consider this reason, too, in this paper.

And I make a proposal to support clinical psychologists.

**Osamu SHIMADA, Takahiro HONO, Keiji TSUNASHIMA, Shigeru OBA, Shigeo YOKOYAMA and Shosuke WATANABE : The Assessment of the Effect of Day Care for Demented Elderly Persons — Its Significance and Perspective —** 19—26

This article discusses the significance in the assessment of the effects of day care and its perspectives for demented elderly persons.

In Japan, the number of aged persons has been increasing. This issue is getting serious. One of the plans of mental health for them is day care, which is practiced in some places such as in health care centers for the elderly persons, and plays a very important role. However, we have not