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Abrevation

ACTH adenocorticotropin

AEDs antiepileptic drug

CHKNA4 the nicotinic cholinergic receptor subunits

CHRNA the nicotinic acetylcholine receptor alpha-

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CNS central nervous system

CRF corticotropin releasing factor

CSF cerebrospinal fluid

C T computed tomography

EASIA enzyme amplified sensitivity immunoassay

EEG electroencephalography

GABA gamma-aminobutyric acid

G H growth hormon

GHRF growth hormon releasing hormon

GIT gastro-intestinal tract

GRF growth hormon releasing factor

Hz hertez

IGF insulin-like growth factors

IGFBP insulin-like growth factor binding protein

ILAE international league against epilepsy

LHRH luteinizing hormon releasing hormon

Mabs monoclonal antibodies

MRI magnetic resonance imaging

PDS paroxysmal depolarization receptor subunits

PET positron emission tomography

TRH thyrotropin releasing hormon

VA veterans administration

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Review of Literature

Introduction

Epilepsy is a chronic condition or rather, a group of conditions in which epileptic seizures tend to occur repeatedly without a detectable extracerebral cause (Nelson, 2004).

Epileptic seizures may be diagnosed after the child had two or more unprovoked seizures i.e. no concurrent illness or acute brain injury closely associated with the seizures. Some specific provoking factors leading to reflex seizures are permitted e.g. seizures provoked by photic stimulation or reading complex tests (Camfield, 1999).

Epilepsy begin most often in childhood or adolescence (Hasuer 1997), A few years of medication may be sufficient to treat some benign forms of epilepsy, but some epilepsies require life-long medication (Morton 1996), Which improve the prognosis of epilepsy is good: more than 70% of patient with newly diagnosed epilepsy will become seizure free or enter substantial remission with anti epileptic drugs (AEDs) (Cockerell et al. 1995).

Epilepsy and hormones are connected in a complicated manner. It is known that epilepsy itself may affect the hormonal balance and, furthermore Hormones may provoke or inhibit seizures (Herzog 1996), also It has been shown that AEDs have effects on endocrine function (Duncan et al. 1999).