

*General Rules for Treatment.*—

1. Treat locally and generally every day. No intervals should be permitted.
2. A change in the general plan of treatment is therefore only indicated when the improvement does not continue.
3. The external treatment should never be discontinued as long as there are still lesions of the skin or mucous membranes present.
4. The internal treatment should be continued for years after the external symptoms have disappeared.
5. A short, energetic treatment, even if accompanied by visible effect, is of no value.—*Merck's Archives*.