

48. Is it dangerous to kiss a tuberculous patient?

The tuberculous patient should not kiss others, and should never be kissed on the lips.

49. What rules should be observed regarding the patient's bedroom?

The window should be open day and night; no one else should occupy the same room; the window curtains should be of washing material; the floor should have no carpet, at most a small rug; sheets and body linen should be often and well boiled.

50. How should the room be dusted?

With a damp cloth or damp broom in order to prevent dust from rising.

51. What, to sum up, are the most powerful enemies of tuberculosis?

Thorough cleanliness, care of the health, temperance in all things, sunlight, fresh air, and abundance of good food.

52. What are the best districts and surroundings for the tuberculous patient?

The country, especially the mountains, where the air is of great purity. He should not live beside dusty roads, because dust irritates the lungs.

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