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9. სტატიას თან უნდა ახლდეს: ა) დაწესებულების ან სამეცნიერო ხელმძღვანელის წარდგინება, დამოწმებული ხელმოწერითა და ბეჭდით; ბ) დარგის სპეციალისტის დამოწმებული რეცენზია, რომელშიც მითითებული იქნება საკითხის აქტუალობა, მასალის საკმაობა, მეთოდის სანდოობა, შედეგების სამეცნიერო-პრაქტიკული მნიშვნელობა.

10. სტატიის ბოლოს საჭიროა ყველა ავტორის ხელმოწერა, რომელთა რაოდენობა არ უნდა აღემატებოდეს 5-ს.

11. რედაქცია იტოვებს უფლებას შეასწოროს სტატია. ტექსტზე მუშაობა და შეჯერება ხდება საავტორო ორიგინალის მიხედვით.

12. დაუშვებელია რედაქციაში ისეთი სტატიის წარდგენა, რომელიც დასაბეჭდად წარდგენილი იყო სხვა რედაქციაში ან გამოქვეყნებული იყო სხვა გამოცემებში.

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Abstract.

Introduction: One of the factors of successful study in a higher educational institution is the psycho-emotional state of a student, including medical students. The military events taking place in Ukraine since 2022 have not only economic, humanitarian and technogenic consequences, they also affect the physical and mental health, well-being of each person, especially in the territories bordering the conflict. In connection with the above, we decided to set the goal of our study to determine the comparison of the development of the psychological state of medical students and cadets of a law enforcement university in conditions of active military aggression.

Materials and methods: The study included medical students and law enforcement university cadets from Kharkiv and Odessa which have constant attacks from February, 2022. All students were divided into two groups depending on educational profile. All students were referred by team of psychologists; such methodology was used as clinical and anamnestic method; to assess the presence of depression in students, the Montgomery-Asberg Depression Rating Scale (MADRS) and GAD-7 scale for generalized anxiety disorder.

Results: The period of dramatic events of the military conflict in Ukraine is determined by the deterioration of the psychological state of medical students and law enforcement university cadets. When determining the level of depression, no significant difference is determined between the number of students relative to each level according to the MADRS scale for students and cadets, but the average MADRS score of medical students is significantly higher (9.72 ± 1.40) than the average score of cadets (5.07 ± 1.14), $p < 0.05$. Most cadets (50.86%) had a minimal level of anxiety according to the GAD-7 test, while only 40.00% of medical students had such a level. A high level of anxiety was determined in 8.33% of medical students and 3.43% of cadets ($p < 0.05$). There is significant amount of students with moderate-high level of anxiety (60.00% for medical students and 49.14% for law enforcement cadets), $p < 0.05$. Also, the mean score of the GAD-7 scale was significantly lower in enforcement cadets (5.29 ± 0.69) than in medical students (7.02 ± 0.73), $p < 0.05$.

Conclusions: There is close correlation between indicators of depression and anxiety ($r = 0.71$ for medical students and $r = 0.54$ for law enforcement cadets) that was estimated after in both groups. Involving students and cadets in physical, social or scientific activities for more than 5 hours per week has a positive effect and is characterized by a feedback loop for both the level of depression and the level of anxiety. The organization of

psychological support for students in crisis situations, ensuring the provision of medical and psychological assistance, and the dissemination of information should be taken into account in the organizational algorithm in the event of possible further occurrence of humanitarian, environmental, or technogenic crises.

Key words. Medical students, psychology, MADRS scale, GAD-7 test, anxiety, depression.

Introduction.

One of the factors of successful study in a higher educational institution is the psycho-emotional state of a student [1], including medical students [2,3]. The military events taking place in Ukraine since 2022 have not only economic, humanitarian and technogenic consequences, they also affect the physical and mental health, well-being of each person, especially in the territories bordering the conflict [4].

In the conditions of a brutal war in Ukraine, as well as an increasing large-scale impact on the psychological state of a person, including young people studying in higher education institutions, measures to maintain a healthy psycho-emotional state for effective study are of particular relevance. Solving the problem of chronic stress is possible only with a high level of consciousness and culture of members of society [5], understanding of life-threatening consequences in the environment, and adequate assessment of the current situation [6,7].

On the other hand, the problem of developing the consciousness of employees of internal affairs bodies, which is not only important in this context, but also has an important impact on the state of consciousness of other citizens, both at the level of determining general directions and trends, and in the form of monitoring the consequences of various types of activities (sanctions). They know lawmaking, law enforcement in various areas. All this shows not only the integral professional training, but also the theoretical and practical ability of the individual to engage in professional activities [8,9].

Providing adequate and safe assistance, supporting people in conditions of traumatic factors shows the social responsibility of the state to its citizens. World and Ukrainian experience show that during crisis situations there is a significant restriction of access to medical and legal assistance, including highly specialized [10,11] despite development of ultra modern method of investigation and treatment [12-14]. The need and importance of social support and therapeutic and culturally sensitive interventions for the population affected by stressful

events remain significant. And the need to organize adequate assistance, especially in cases of physical injuries, gunshot wounds, bleeding and psychological support in acute periods, is increasing at times, so the involvement of students of medical and legal higher medical institutions is not only a step in their preparation, but also requires time [4].

In connection with the above, we decided to set the goal of our study to determine the comparison of the development of the psychological state of medical students and cadets of a law enforcement university in conditions of active military aggression.

Materials and Methods.

The study included 355 students (Table 1) of 6 universities (2 medical universities, 2 law enforcement universities, 2 general universities which have medical and law enforcement faculties) from Kharkiv and Odessa. Kharkiv and Odessa are cities which have constant attacks from February, 2022. Students were aged from 16 to 24 years and averaged 19.93 years. All students were divided into two groups depending on educational profile. The study was performed in accordance with the principles of the Helsinki Declaration of the World Medical Association "Ethical Principles of Medical Research Concerning Human Subjects" (2013) with written informed consent.

All students were referred by team of psychologists; such methodology was used as clinical and anamnestic method; to assess the presence of depression in students, the Montgomery-Asberg Depression Rating Scale (MADRS) and GAD-7 scale were used according described early [15,16]. Level of physical activity and involvement in extra-study activities (scientific, social, volunteer activities) were asked. MADRS is clinician-rated and consists of 10 items. Each item is rated on a 0 to 6 scale, resulting in a maximum total score of 60 points, in which higher scores are indicative of greater depressive symptomology [17]. The sum of the individual assessments results in an overall score, which is divided into the following severity categories: 0–12 (without depression), 13–21 (mild), 22–28 (moderate), 29–60 (severe). The GAD-7 scale was used also (questionnaire for assessing the level of anxiety and screening for generalized anxiety disorder). The scale is a test of 7 questions, each of

which has four possible answers. For each answer, a certain amount of points is awarded, based on the sum of which a conclusion is made about the level of anxiety. The interpretation of the questionnaire data was performed depending on the obtained result: 0-4 points - minimal level of anxiety, 5-9 - points - moderate level of anxiety, 10-14 points - medium level of anxiety, 15-21 points - high level of anxiety [18].

Statistical processing of the data was performed using the Statistica for Windows 8.0 software package. Methods of descriptive statistics (determination of numerical characteristics of variables - arithmetic mean (M), mean sampling error (m), determination of the reliability of differences (p), which were tested via the Student-Fisher t-test in representative samples) were used. Correlation between indicators was assessed using Spearman's correlation coefficient (r). The difference in values between comparative indicators was considered significant at $p < 0.05$.

Results.

There are signs of depression, psychoemotional disorders and social maladaptation in both groups of students such as refusal to communicate, irritability, increased aggressiveness, but spreading of that sign is uneven. Indicators of Montgomery-Asberg Depression Rating Scale for level of depression detection have been presented in Table 2.

Despite absence of significant difference in study groups for amount of students according each level of depression, there is significant difference between groups for average MADRS. Also interesting is presence of relatively significant amount of participants with depression from mild till severe – general 51(28.33%) for medical students and 42(24%) for law enforcement cadets.

There is close correlation between indicators of depression and anxiety ($r=0.71$ for medical students and $r=0.54$ for law enforcement cadets) that was estimated after detection of GAD-7 test in both groups. Results of the GAD-7 test for level of anxiety detection have been presented in Table 3.

There is significant amount of students with moderate-high level of anxiety (108(60.00%) for medical students and 86(49.14%) for law enforcement cadets). That prove about

Table 1. Characteristics of involved participants.

	Medical students	Law enforcement cadets
Amount	180	175
Male	69	154
Female	111	21
Age	20,03	19,84

Table 2. Indicators of Montgomery-Asberg Depression Rating Scale of study groups.

MADRS	Medical students, n=180/female of them, n=111	Law enforcement cadets, n=175/female of them, n=21
0–12: minimal level of depression, n	129(71.66%)/79(71.17%)	133(76%)/15(71.43%)
13–21: mild level of depression, n	44(24.44%)/27(24.32%)	31(17.71%)/4(19.05%)
22–28: moderate level of depression, n	4(2.22%)/3(2.70%)	7(4%)/2(9.52%)
29–60: severe level of depression, n	3(1.66%)/2(1.80%)	4(2.29%)/0(0.00%)
average MADRS	9.72±0.43/9.75±0.49	5.07±0.16*/5.10±0.53

Note: * - significant difference between groups ($p < 0.05$).

Table 3. Level of anxiety of study groups.

GAD-7	Medical students, n=180/female of them, n=111	Law enforcement cadets, n=175/female of them, n=21
minimal level of anxiety (0-4 points), n	72 (40.00%)/44(39.64%)	89 (50.86%)*/11(52.38%)
moderate level of anxiety (5-9 points), n	53 (29.44%)/32(28.2%)	49 (28.00%)/6(28.57%)
medium level of anxiety (10-14 points), n	40 (22.22%)/25(22.52%)	31 (17.71%)/3(14.29%)
high level of anxiety (15-21 points), n	15 (8.33%)/10(9.01%)	6 (3.43%)*/1(4.76%)
average GAD-7	7.02±0.33/77.12±0.37	5.29±0.29*/5.34±0.41

Note: * - significant difference with the initial level ($p < 0.05$).

Table 4. Relationship between cognitive peculiarities with indicators of MADRS and GAD-7.

Activity	Medical students		Law enforcement cadets	
	MADRS	GAD-7	MADRS	GAD-7
Physical activity	-0.79	-0.71	-0.73	-0.69
Social activity	-0.71	-0.63	-0.64	-0.64
Scientific activity	-0.55	-0.56	-0.61	-0.55

more developed level of anxiety in medical students ($p < 0.05$).

Extremely important results were obtained for students and cadets who have physical, social or scientific activity more than 5 hours per week with reverse connection both for depression and anxiety (Table 4).

Initially, we have to recognize that the possible difference between groups is connected with a significant gender disparity among participants, as there are 61.67% females among medical students and only 12.00% among officer candidates. However, the analysis of individual indicators for both the MADRS scale and the GAD-7 test did not reveal any gender-dependent differences. There were no significant differences in the percentages between genders, nor were there significant differences when analyzing female students separately for each estimated position ($p > 0.05$ for all comparisons).

Discussion.

The formation of a specialist's personality occurs throughout life with an important influence of the socio-cultural environment, especially during professional education. If the nature of the interaction of the individual and the surrounding world occurs in unfavourable conditions, a person opposes himself to the forces and objects of the environment, which can lead to the formation of depressive disorders, and in conditions of military operations to post-traumatic stress disorder [5,11].

This affects, to a certain extent, also the intensity and extensiveness of the acquisition of knowledge and skills. Therefore, the psycho-emotional state of the student and the rational distribution of educational and free time for better results in education are of great importance in the issue of the quality of education. At the same time, it should be noted that most students do not have a high level of awareness of their own psychological state, ways to identify the first signs of emotional exhaustion, and correction skills, which quite often leads to alcohol abuse, smoking, and other harmful habits, which ultimately further disrupts the psycho-emotional state and can lead to health problems. The lack of ability to adequately assess the possible consequences of a violation of psychological status, primarily from the standpoint of harmonizing relations in the "society-personality" system, is explained by the low level or absence of self-correction skills. An important role in

this is played by understanding the dependence of the health of both an individual and all of humanity on the state of the environment. In the context of this problem, it is necessary to develop the need for the individual to lead a healthy lifestyle, which is one of the criteria for the effectiveness of education and upbringing. Therefore, psychological methods of influence in the context of regulating relationships include suggestion, guidance and management, intervention, acceptance of a person, understanding and compassion, trust, anticipation, empathy, reflection, and identification [19,20].

The cities of Kharkiv and Odesa are frontline areas that have been most affected by military action. This has led to significant population migration, both within the region and abroad. The situation that took place in 2022-2025 has changed too many things, ordinary and everyday. Among them is the ability to receive psychological help, while in stressful situations or in conditions of danger, the ability to access such help becomes a basic need, including for students, given that young people are prone to destructive habits that have a very negative impact on health. In general, various methods or their combinations are used when analyzing the psycho-emotional state. We have chosen the MADRS scales to determine the level of depression, and the GAD-7 to determine the level of anxiety. These methods can be used both as a screening tool and as a diagnostic tool. Determining the level of depression and anxiety, despite its strengths and limitations, helps clinicians and researchers make informed decisions. This knowledge will allow for reliable and accurate measurement of post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD) symptoms, which is vital for the effective study and treatment of PTSD [21,22].

When analyzing the results of our study, it is important to consider not only the scores obtained on individual scales, but also their ratio. In a person who does not have signs of psycho-emotional fatigue / psycho-emotional disorders, the ratio of well-being, activity and mood assessments can be almost the same, equal in points.

According to the results of our study, it was also found that the dissemination of information about the possibility of obtaining psychological and medical assistance, including from educational institutions, was not properly organized. Scientific results of studies on the need to establish medical

and psychological assistance have been published. It should be noted the need to spread support programs in conditions of traumatic factors for young people and, in particular, students. These features must be taken into account when developing algorithms for providing medical care in the event of possible man-made, environmental or humanitarian disasters. The data we obtained are consistent with publications that emphasize the thesis that Ukrainian citizens have problems with mental health and sleep due to the Russian-Ukrainian war, which are associated with numerous social factors. Thus, in our opinion, it is very important to involve students and cadets in physical, social or scientific activities for more than 5 hours a week, which has a positive effect and is characterized by feedback for both the level of depression and the level of anxiety. Described processes could be background for non-visible psychiatric disorders [23,24] and reason for complication of somatic pathology [25,26] and traumatic injury [27,28].

A previous meta-analysis [29] reported a global prevalence of depression among medical students of 28.0% (95% confidence interval 24.2–32.1%). Women, first-year students, postgraduate students and medical students from the Middle East were more likely to suffer from depression, but the differences were not statistically significant. Our results are somewhat unexpected, as we obtained almost the same indicators, but in conditions of military aggression 28.33% for medical students and 24% for law enforcement cadets.

However, the picture of anxiety is different, with significant differences from the global level. A well-known meta-analysis indicates that the prevalence of anxiety among medical students worldwide is 33.8%, which is significantly higher than in the general population [30]. According to our data, the 60% with moderate, medium and high levels of anxiety is twice as high as this figure, which is a consequence of military actions in the country. Further research and interventions should be based on our findings and identify risk factors for anxiety in medical students in their respective socio-cultural contexts, so that effective screening strategies can be developed to identify and help affected medical students. Anxiety has dire consequences for both the medical student (future doctor) and the patients. The administration and leaders of medical schools should take the initiative in destigmatizing mental illness and promoting help-seeking when students experience stress and anxiety. The organization of psychological support for students in crisis situations, ensuring the provision of medical and psychological assistance, and the dissemination of information should be considered in the organizational algorithm in the event of possible further humanitarian, environmental or man-made crises [31-33].

It is known that individuals who suffer from psychopathology after a major social crisis (e.g., post-traumatic stress disorder) may require more intensive interventions, such as individual psychotherapy. Indiscriminate application of solutions designed for more temporary symptoms of stress in these more severe cases may prove ineffective or even harmful to promoting psychological health [20].

One of the interesting results in our investigation is connected with absence of differences for genders in study parameters. There is data that persistence of identified risk factors, such as

non-male gender suggest that efforts to curb medical student distress have been inadequate to date [34]. Simultaneously, even systematic review works prove that currently available information is insufficient to draw firm conclusions on the causes and consequences of student distress. Large, prospective, multicentre studies are needed to identify personal and training-related features that influence depression, anxiety, and burnout among students and explore relationships between distress and competency [35].

The use of the training complex in the conditions of professional activity will allow maximum consideration of existing methods and means of training professionally significant cognitive qualities of specialists so that they most effectively contribute to the improvement of the processes of memorization, concentration of attention, analysis and generalization of the information received for its further use in educational and professional activities.

Conclusion.

The period of dramatic events of the military conflict in Ukraine is determined by the deterioration of the psychological state of medical students and law enforcement university cadets. When determining the level of depression, no significant difference is determined between the number of students relative to each level according to the MADRS scale for students and cadets, but the average MADRS score of medical students is significantly higher (9.72 ± 1.40) than the average score of cadets (5.07 ± 1.14), $p < 0.05$. Most cadets (50.86%) had a minimal level of anxiety according to the GAD-7 test, while only 40.00% of medical students had such a level. A high level of anxiety was determined in 8.33% of medical students and 3.43% of cadets ($p < 0.05$). There is significant amount of students with moderate-high level of anxiety (60.00% for medical students and 49.14% for law enforcement cadets), $p < 0.05$. Also, the mean score of the GAD-7 scale was significantly lower in enforcement cadets (5.29 ± 0.69) than in medical students (7.02 ± 0.73), $p < 0.05$.

There is close correlation between indicators of depression and anxiety ($r = 0.71$ for medical students and $r = 0.54$ for law enforcement cadets) that was estimated after in both groups. Involving students and cadets in physical, social or scientific activities for more than 5 hours per week has a positive effect and is characterized by a feedback loop for both the level of depression and the level of anxiety. The organization of psychological support for students in crisis situations, ensuring the provision of medical and psychological assistance, and the dissemination of information should be taken into account in the organizational algorithm in the event of possible further occurrence of humanitarian, environmental, or technogenic crises.

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