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Psychological Compensation-adaptation Mechanisms of Women After Mastectomy

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On the basis of Kiev City Oncologic Hospital #1 there were examined 104 patients, who have had mastectomy done to treat breast cancer. The purpose of the research was to find out women's compensatory -adaptational resources. The analysis of the results detected a character of adaptational potential of each of the patient. It gave an opportunity to make a clinically reasonable decision to choose the psychotherapy's targets (intr?- or inter-mental) and psycho-correctional methods (psychotherapeutic techniques) for each separate case.