

## **EAV/MSA (meridian stress assessment)**

### **What is Meridian Stress Assessment (MSA)?**

MSA is an advanced, computerized technique that can be used to assess the body's nutritional balance via the Acupuncture Meridian System. Originally discovered by the German medical doctor Voll, it is often referred to as 'EAV' testing, from **E**lectro **A**cupuncture according to **V**oll. The **Vegatest** method is yet another method of testing, all of which are under the topic called electrodermal screening. We use all of these methods. This bio-energetic system is associated with every gland, organ and tissue of the body. The Acupuncture Meridian System has been scientifically demonstrated to exist and to relate to the health of every system in the body. 1, 2, 3, 4

### **How Does MSA Work?**

The human body possesses a highly integrated electromagnetic field composed of organized channels called the Acupuncture Meridian System. 5, 6 If a particular meridian has become imbalanced or weakened, MSA can be used to balance the meridian by pinpoint targeting proper nutrients to the meridian. In the hands of a skilled practitioner, research shows that data obtained using MSA is consistently reproducible.

### **Confused? The Answer May Be MSA**

- Are your vitamins or nutritional products helping or hurting you?
- Do you wish you could get clear answers about what your body really needs?
- Don't take mindless nutrients until you know exactly your body requirements.

### **What Makes MSA So Unique?**

MSA differs from conventional medical diagnostic imaging techniques such as x-ray, CT scans or MRI in that the 'image' obtained with MSA is not an image of the physical anatomy but rather is an image of the bio-energetic anatomy – showing the relative strength or weakness of the electromagnetic energy within each meridian. This reveals the priority of imbalances in the meridian system. **MSA is not a medical diagnostic device and is not used to diagnose disease.**

### **Why Do We Test The Meridians?**

The body's bio-energetic anatomy is highly informational. The ability to monitor the bio-energetic pathways of organs and systems such as the heart or kidney meridian, can give us a detailed, bio-energetic inventory of each meridian's functioning in a non-invasive fashion and then accurately pinpoint target nutrients, nutrient combinations or monitor other therapies to effectively help the body rapidly heal itself. 7, 8

### **What Can MSA Do For You?**

MSA can be used to assess the bio-energetic imbalances in the gland and organ systems in the body. The loss of function in a gland or organ may be due to many causes, such as nutritional deficiency, chemical toxicity or infection among others, which are often the underlying root causes of disease. Long before disease takes place and can be diagnosed from a medical perspective, changes first occur in the bio-energetic meridian pathways which impair optimal functioning of the meridian associated with the gland or organ. 9

MSA can be used to detect and assess these bio-energetic imbalances in various meridians in the body. Secondly, MSA can be used to precisely assess which key nutrients can rebuild and enhance imbalanced meridians.

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