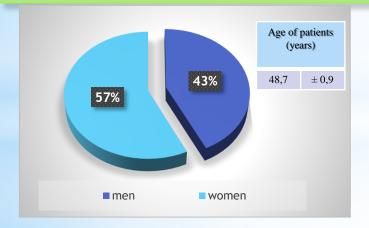


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The purpose of the work. To study the current epidemiological situation with LB in Sumy region, features of the clinical course of the disease in the natural environment, to determine the main methods of diagnosis.

Materials and methods. We analyzed 14 medical records of patients (f. 003/o) who were treated at the municipal non-commercial enterprise of Sumy regional council "Medical clinical center of infectious diseases and dermatology named after Z.Y. Krasovytskyi" in 2020 with a diagnosis of systemic tick-borne LB. The obtained data are entered into the "Spreadsheet", subjected to statistical processing using Microsoft Excel.



CONCLUSIONS: The incidence of LB in Sumy region tends to increase. A significant percentage of patients are people of working age, women and city residents. The disease is characterized by clinical symptoms, among the clinical forms erythematous form of infection is dominated. Patients complain of weakness and insomnia most often. Clinical and epidemiological data play a crucial role in diagnosis.



