

BÖLÜM 2



COVID-19'un Santral Sinir Sistemi Üzerine Etkileri ve Nörobilişsel Bozukluklar

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SARS-CoV-2, 2019'un sonunda, ilk olarak Çin'de görülen bir dizi pnömoni vakasının nedeni olarak tespit edilen yeni bir koronavirüs türüdür. Dünya Sağlık Örgütü SARS-CoV-2'nin neden olduğu hastalığı yeni koronavirüs hastalığı-2019 (COVID-19) olarak isimlendirmiştir ve Mart 2020'de pandemi olarak ilan etmiştir.

Hastalığın tanımlanmasından kısa bir süre sonra COVID-19 nedeniyle yatırılan hastaların önemli kısmında santral sinir sistemiyle ilgili belirtiler görülmüştür. COVID-19 hastalarında anksiyeteden, depresyon, bilişsel bozukluklar, baş ağrısı, anozmi, aguzi, senkop, deliryum, ensefalit ve demiyelinizasyona kadar geniş bir yelpazede nörolojik ve psikiyatrik belirtiler bildirilmiştir (1).

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