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Risk Factors in Cancer of Cervix Uteri

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ABSTRACT One hundred and eighty (180) women histologically diagnosed as patients of Cancer of Cervix uteri were studied to seek an association between Cancer of Cervix and some important factors like age, marital status, educational standard, age at marriage, age at first parity, number of pregnancies, married life span, smoking habit and contraceptive practices. Two hundred and ten (210) women with normal health and absence of any disease, within the same age group were taken as controls. Significant association has been observed with early marriage, early coitus, low educational standard, early pregnancy, smoking habits and use of condoms, jellies and IUD.