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Content	<p>ACTIONS AGAINST THE PANDEMIC FOR COVID 19 IN A PSYCHIATRIC HOSPITAL</p> <p>BACKGROUND Pandemic COVID 19 is a global challenge, by high contagiabilidad and the likelihood that health systems look overwhelmed, but I will psychiatric hospitals are not considered places of care for patient s with coronavirus, these are not exempt from risks On the contrary, due to the pathologies that appear there , it is difficult for patients to attend to all measures to reduce the risks of contagion, such as frequent and effective hand washing, healthy distance, use of mouthguards and isolation, so that strategies should be intensified and monitored to prevent outbreaks within the hospital.</p> <p>METHOD E I Fray Bernardino Alvarez Psychiatric Hospital of the City of Mexico, implement an effective response program to prevent infections among patients, staff and visitors . These strategies were aimed at preventing, through a respiratory and psychiatric filter at the hospital entrance, a decrease in scheduled activities, without losing their operational capacity in the emergency department, limitation of visits to patients, early detection and timely referral to patients s With suspicion of viral respiratory infection and in some cases , as there was no diagnostic test, a CT scan was chosen for the early identification of atypical pneumonia. OUTCOME Thanks to these actions, at the moment there have been no cases within the hospital, and the infected staff was promptly treated. CONCLUSIONS The joint work of authorities and personnel has resulted in an effective response to the pandemic .</p>