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Head Trauma (Injury) Incident 1

At the CIA Black site, in the very first days
After US Gov. Agents shaved my head, then they smashed
my head against the wall repeatedly.

It continued until I lost count at each session.

As my head was being hit each time, I would see sparks of light
in my eyes, as the intensity of these sparks were increasing as
a result of repeated hitting then all of sudden I felt a strong
jolt of electricity in my head then I couldn't see anything everything
went dark and I passed out.

Next thing I found myself in a different place suspended to
the ceiling in a dark cold cell. I don't know for how many hours
I was unconscious. Naked while my legs were swollen as a result of
extended standing. My legs couldn't support my body, the handcuffs were
cutting my wrists which were pulled over above my head. A very sharp
throbbing pain in my head. There was an extremely loud and disturbing
music with a mixture of grating screeching shrill sounds cutting into
my ears pounding my mind. As every now and then an agent would come

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And hit the steel Door with a metal Bar in his/her hands making verbal threats pointing to the metal Bar in addition to flashing a sharp light into my face. And when I indicate that I need water to drink someone would come and stand at the doorstep holding a cup/container of water showing it to me then he or she would spill it on the floor and leave.

After this particular Head injury incident I lost my ability to sleep ever since. I was not able to have a normal or Deep sleep. I am still reliving the nightmares of this incident ~~this was~~ every night everytime I try to close my eyes it just pops up and this was ^{just one} among many incidents.

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