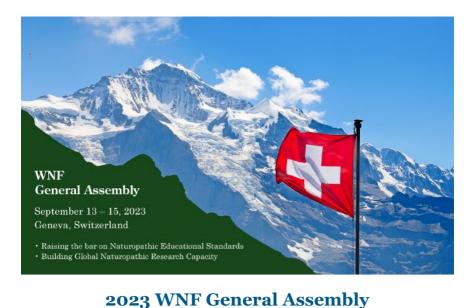
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The attention of the global naturopathic community will be focused on Geneva

Switzerland, this September 13th through 15th for the WNF General Assembly (GA). The GA's working group sessions will focus on two of the most critical factors facing the profession - improving naturopathic educational standards around the world and building global naturopathic research capacity. Every WNF member organization has a stake in ensuring naturopathy has a strong base for the future, and it starts in Switzerland this September. To register for the 2023 General Assembly, please email us with the names of the attendees from your organization (each member may send 2). Following the GA, make plans now to attend the 1st Swiss International Conference on Naturopathic Research on Saturday, September 16 in Lausanne, Switzerland.



Products Used During the Pandemic - Dr. Iva Lloyd, ND The WNF with the support of the

Live Review on

Natural Health

Canadian College of Naturopathic Medicine (CCNM) recently published

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an Interim Report on a Live Review of **Systematic Reviews of Natural Health Products and Natural Therapies in the** Prevention and/or Treatment of COVID-19 in the CAND Journal. The article is open-access and can be shared widely. For more information visit the Live Review on the WNF website.

Technology Assessment (HTA) -

best seller's list, the Health

HTA Books for Sale

While it may never make the NY Times

Naturopathy is the most important work produced to date about the global naturopathic community. Copes of the 754 page HTA, an evidence-based summary of naturopathic practice and the safety, economics and effectiveness of naturopathic care, are available to purchase at a cost of \$75 USD. As you might imagine the cost to ship an 8 pound (3.6KG) book is not cheap. We have done our best to cut costs by arranging three global shipping locations (Australia, France and North America). For additional information about the importance of the HTA, click to view a video with the lead authors. To order a copy, please contact us.





about the impact of Personal Care products on health. This campaign has opened the topic of how

exposure to small amounts of toxins interacting together affects health. If

Communications Committee recently

launched a Social Media campaign

Environmental Health

Committee Update

in Collaboration with the

– Dr. Moira Fitzpatrick, ND The Environmental Health Committee

you have expertise or interest in this area of multiple, repetitive exposures, we would love your input. We are also looking for individuals interested in the effect of toxins and cancer, a growing area of research. If anyone has connections with Vandana Shiva, we would love to connect with her around water and soil quality, and regenerative farming, Remember, to take time on April 22nd, Earth Day to show your care for Mother Earth and do something to support the earth -Read labels, plant trees, a garden, or see what your community, your country is doing to find solutions for climate change. **Communications** Committee & Social Media - Tina Hausser HP, NatDipl The Communications Committee, together with the Environmental Health Committee started the 2nd round of the environmental

new TM Strategy, in consultation with Member States and stakeholders which will put a greater focus on "safe and evidence-based traditional

WHO Traditional

Medicine Strategy

At the 2023 World Health Assembly in May, the decision to extend the

current WHO Traditional Medicine

(TM) Strategy and to develop a new

WHO TM Strategy will be voted on by

the WHO Member States. Here is the

draft proposal EB152/CONF./9. The

draft decision foresees giving the

WHO until early 2025 to develop a

- Dr. Iva Lloyd, ND

and complementary medicine" - so the timing of the HTA and our focus on building research capacity in the naturopathic profession is timely and

personal care products. Other focuses included the Live Review of natural health products researched with respect the COVID pandemic, naturopathic key messages and the

research-based information on

health campaign, focused on

personal care products. Starting in

March, the campaign reached 3100

community members with 24 posts

naturopathic contribution to noncommunicable diseases. Over 28k people have been reached in the last

3 months. Please share widely the

WNF posts with your community and make sure to be part of the conversation. Are you following the WNF Social Media to use this information for your gain? The WNF

vou!

Communications is here to support

Membership Request - Benita Perch, Naturopath

We are looking to grow the WNF membership. We are asking current WNF members to let us know about other naturopathic organizations that they feel would be a good addition to the WNF community.

Research Request - Dr. Iva Lloyd, ND At the WNF General Assembly we will be discussing how to effectively increase naturopathic research capacity globally. Part of that initiative involves collecting the names of those in the naturopathic community that focus on research and those that conduct research or publish research papers. We would like to ask all WNF members to send us the name and email address of all naturopathic researchers from their organization. Thank you.

Members' Newsletter Reminder Our 3rd Members' Newsletter was just published. If you haven't had a chance to check it out, the Members' Newsletters have now been added to the WNF



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website. Have a story you'd like to share in the next issue - please contact us.

