

# LESSONS LEARNED FROM PREVIOUS WHO PROJECTS



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# HISTORY

- 2003-2010 – Development of Benchmarks for Training in Osteopathy

# PARTICIPATION IN OTHER WHO PROJECTS

- Consultation on Chiropractic Guidelines
- Consultation on Thai Traditional Massage and Tuina Guidelines
- International Congress on Traditional Medicine (Beijing) 2008

# PARTICIPATION IN OTHER WHO PROJECTS

The Seventh WHO Interregional Training Workshop  
Clinical Research on TM/CAM

第七期世界衛生組織區域間傳統/補充醫藥培訓工作  
傳統醫藥臨床研究

Macao SAR of the People's Republic of China, 19<sup>th</sup> - 21<sup>st</sup> August 2015  
中華人民共和國澳門特別行政區 · 2015年8月19-21日



# PARTICIPATION IN OTHER WHO PROJECTS

Working Group Meeting on Benchmarks for Practice in Cupping Therapy – Jinan, China, July 2018



# PARTICIPATION IN OTHER WHO PROJECTS

WHO Working Group Meeting on Benchmarks for Acupuncture and Tuina

Wuhan, China. 15 August 2019



# LESSONS LEARNED

- WHO is a massive, slow moving bureaucracy
  - Everything takes longer than we think
- Must stay engaged and visible in order to achieve our agenda
  - Our participation gains valuable information for our projects, e.g., training vs. practice benchmarks

# QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS





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