The AANP has submitted comments to the FDA to defend homeopathic products. Our comments support the Citizen’s Petition submitted by the Americans for Homeopathic Choice (AHC), who seek to advocate for an updated approach to the regulation of homeopathic products. Notably, our comments emphasized the importance of a trained health professional’s role in working with homeopathic products and treatments as different from over-the-counter (OTC) considerations, which seems to be the focus of the FDA. Learn more.

No need to reinvent the wheel when you want to educate patients, prospect patients, the media, and legislators with facts about the profession, written in easy to understand terms. From education, training & licensure to treatments and modalities, access our FAQs, written in collaboration with the INM. Learn more.

Save big on all your CE for the year when you register for the AANP Convention! By being a member, you automatically receive a discounted member price on AANP Convention registration. Be sure to first log in to your AANP account before you register – and do so before June 26 to get the Early Bird discount! Learn more.
Message to the Community about FTC Warning Letters

Following our message to the naturopathic community about the warning letters from the FTC, the AANP has had discussions with several other organizations, lawyers, and policy experts on how to best manage your risk of receiving a letter and defend your right to practice. We are collecting data and analyzing trends to determine what exactly is triggering the warnings. As we work to develop a strategy, here is what you can expect in the following weeks:

1. Language guidance for your website/social to prevent undue regulatory scrutiny
2. Template language that NDs can use to respond to an FTC letter, if issued one
3. A letter to the FTC to reaffirm our support for enforcement action against egregious misleading/false claims but also respectfully disagree with some of their assertions and request a meeting to educate them about naturopathic medicine and defend the right of practitioners to work within the scope of their practice.
4. Educational materials/webinars to help navigate FTC scrutiny with specific examples of language to use and not use

General, Ethics, Rx & Cultural Competency CE Available – Totaling 37 Hours!

The AANP is offering an unprecedented 37 hours of CE for 20% less (with additional discounts for those early in their career) than the normal Convention price!

By registering for AANP Virtual 2020, you can earn THIRTY-SEVEN (37) HOURS of CE for 20% less than typical Convention prices of the past. The CE breakdown is as follows:

- 20 Hours General CE
- 15 Hours RX
- 1 Hour Ethics
- 1 Hour Cultural Competency

Click below to learn more about AANP Virtual Convention 2020 and register before June 26 to get the discounted Early Bird rate!
AANP Open House with AANP President Dr. Robert Kachko

Join AANP President Dr. Robert Kachko and Executive Director Laura Farr for this regular bimonthly opportunity to learn what the AANP is currently working on to move the profession forward. Do you have your own vision for the profession or face challenges that you feel need to be considered? Maybe you have ideas to share or questions about what the AANP is working on behind the scenes? We’d love to hear from you! Grab a beverage of your choice and join us on **Monday, June 1st, 8:00 PM, EDT**. We will conduct these regular calls on varying days either monthly or every other month. Be on the lookout for updates!

WNF Communications & Media Survey

You are invited to participate in a short survey about your health promotion and community education activities. The survey is being conducted by Dr. Amie Steel (University of Technology Sydney, Australia) and is supported by the World Naturopathic Federation (WNF). The survey is for an international study examining the health promotion and community education activities of naturopathic clinicians. For more information or to participate in the survey please follow this link (select your preferred language):

- English
- French
- Portuguese
- Slovene
- Spanish

The results of this survey will assist the WNF in illustrating the essential role that naturopathic professionals have in educating the public about a healthy lifestyle and disease prevention. Click below to learn more about the WNF.

Upcoming Events: Advocacy Series: Using SoftEdge, the AANP’s Advocacy Software, to Advance State Licensure Efforts
Congress Plus, provided by Soft Edge, is the government relations platform used by the AANP. In this webinar, which takes place June 15, 7:00-8:00 pm, EDT, you will learn how to use Congress Plus to support your state’s advocacy efforts. Specifically, this webinar will focus on the grassroots tools available to the AANP’s state association affiliates and how the Virginia association used SoftEdge to support its 2020 licensure bid. Dr. Giardenelli will show attendees, step-by-step, how to set up actions, how to email grassroots supporters, and more!

LEARN MORE & REGISTER

Meet Your Board

Dr. Karen Frangos credits her grandfather for her dedicated work ethic, though when she’s not working, she can be found on the beaches of Maui volunteering to help endangered sea turtles! Learn more about Dr. Frangos here.

Member Spotlight

Have you had the pleasure of meeting Dr. Suneil Jain yet? Dr. Jain shares what prompted him to become a naturopathic doctor and why he values AANP membership. Read more.

Partner Spotlight

EMF Harmony is a leading supplier of EMF protection products to support the body against the detrimental health effects of exposure to electromagnetic radiation, something we are all faced with everyday. The technology has been used in a variety of healthcare applications for over 20 years, and its effectiveness has been documented in numerous studies. Read more.

Career Corner

View the latest open positions on our job board, including:

- ND or ND/LAc – Westbrook, CT
- Intern – Seattle, WA
- Naturopathic Physician – Flagstaff, AZ
**Q:** How have you been able to adjust as a licensed ND during this time to telehealth/telemedicine practice with the help of AANP resources?

**A:** "I implemented a virtual client platform prior to the pandemic. The AANP hosted a webinar discussing virtual wellness and emphasized client retention through sending out articles to my email list. I executed this immediately and started generating new clients within 2 weeks." ~Devin Miles, ND