

General Council and Register of Naturopaths

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Solemn Affirmation

I, ...do hereby solemnly promise and affirm that throughout my registration, I shall uphold the Definition of the Basic Essentials of Naturopathic Practise set out overleaf and that I will devote my energies to the promotion of health by application of the Principles and Practise of Naturopathy.

I will at all times conduct myself honourably in the practice of my profession and will do my utmost to maintain the status, dignity and prestige of the General Council and Register of Naturopaths.

I will conscientiously endeavour to promote the efficiency of the naturopathic profession and the services it performs for the community.

I will at all times assist or counsel any member of the Register to the best of my ability as he/she shall reasonably require.

I will not disclose anything of a confidential nature that may come to pass as a result of my professional relationship with my patients.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously intending and being resolved faithfully and truly to abide by perform and fulfil the same.

Signed

Witnessed

Name of Witness

Address

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Profession of Witness

Date

P.T.O.

Definition of the Basic Essentials of Naturopathic Practise

Every member shall accept the following as basic essentials of naturopathic practise:

- (a) The recognition of the unity of disease and the treatment of the patient not the disease.
- (b) The recognition that acute illness is a manifestation of the "vital force" and therefore not to be suppressed.
- (c) The use of dietetics, fasting, light, water, exercise, structural adjustments and psychological re-adjustment as primary factors in the treatment of acute and chronic disease. These may be supplemented by other methods recognised by the General Council and Register of Naturopaths.