

2025 International Patriotic Pact Organization Forum Contributions of Traditional Chinese Medicine to SDG3 in 2030

Guiding Unit: International Patriotic Pact Organization

Host Unit: Shaanxi Patriotic Volunteer Association

Background:

The Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), abbreviated as SDGs, are the 17 global development goals formulated by the United Nations to guide global development efforts from 2015 to 2030. Among them, Goal 3: Ensure healthy lives and promote well-being for all at all ages, is crucial for sustainable development, as it concerns the right to life and survival of every individual. Countries need to redouble their efforts to eradicate a series of diseases and address various persistent and emerging health issues.

In June 1948, the World Health Organization was officially established and decided to designate April 7th as World Health Day, advocating for countries to hold various commemorative activities;

In light of the successful forum on "China's Contribution to the 2030 Sustainable Development Goals" held by the International Patriotic Pact Organization Shaanxi Patriotic Volunteer Association at the United Nations in Geneva on June 20, 2024, which received widespread attention and praise, this forum is specially planned to further demonstrate the contributions of traditional Chinese medicine in promoting global health security and advancing the 2030 Sustainable Development Goals.

Theme:

Contributions of Traditional Chinese Medicine to SDG 3 in 2030

Time and Location:

Time: April 7, 2025, 10:00-18:00

Location: E-1-26-Room XXVI, Palais des Nations, Geneva, Switzerland

Objectives:

- 1. To showcase the unique roles and effectiveness of traditional Chinese medicine in promoting universal health, disease prevention, treatment, and rehabilitation.
- 2. To analyze how traditional Chinese medicine supports the achievement of the 2030 Sustainable Development Goals, particularly in the areas of health, poverty reduction, cultural heritage, and innovation.
- 3. To promote international understanding and recognition of traditional Chinese medicine and facilitate its application and cooperation globally.
- 4. To strengthen exchanges and cooperation among governments, international



organizations, non-governmental organizations, academia, and the private sector to jointly promote the development of global health security.

Participants:

Folk inheritors of traditional medicine (including acupuncture, tui na, and acupressure experts)

Experts and scholars in traditional Chinese medicine

Representatives of medical institutions and organizations

Representatives of related pharmaceutical industry enterprises

Representatives of international health organizations

Agenda:

1. Opening Ceremony and Addresses (10:00-10:30)

- The host introduces the background, objectives, and hosting units of the forum.
- A welcoming speech delivered by the head of the International Patriotic Pact Organization.
- An introduction to the history, current status, and significance of traditional Chinese medicine for global health security.
- Addresses from guests congratulating and expressing expectations for the forum.

2. Keynote Speeches (10:30-12:00)

- Inviting renowned domestic and foreign experts, scholars, and government representatives to speak on the roles of traditional Chinese medicine in promoting universal health, disease prevention, treatment, and rehabilitation.
- Analyzing how traditional Chinese medicine can be combined with modern medicine to jointly address global health challenges.
- Discussing the future development trends of the integration of traditional Chinese medicine and modern medicine, especially the incorporation of special therapies into modern medical systems.

3. Lunch and Break (12:00-14:00)

· A free lunch providing an opportunity for participants to exchange ideas and rest.

4. Exchanges (14:00-16:30)

- Sharing successful cases of traditional Chinese medicine in poverty reduction, cultural heritage, and innovation.
- Demonstrating the unique role of traditional Chinese medicine in responding to public health emergencies.



• Sharing expertise and facilitating international information exchange and sharing in the field of traditional Chinese medicine and its special therapies.

5. Achievements Exhibition (16:30-17:30)

- Present the outstanding achievements and proposals formed during the forum, especially the promotion plans for acupuncture, moxibustion, tuina (Chinese massage), and acupoint massage.
- Summarize and review the forum, emphasizing the significant role of traditional Chinese medicine (TCM) and its special therapies in global health governance.

6. Closing Ceremony (17:30-18:00)

- Closing Remarks: Review the forum's achievements and look forward to the future prospects of traditional Chinese medicine in global health security and sustainable development.
- Souvenir Distribution: Express gratitude to the guests and contributors to the forum by distributing souvenirs.

Note: During the forum, an exhibition area will be set up to display books, equipment, research results, and other materials related to traditional Chinese medicine and its special therapies, allowing participants to gain a more intuitive understanding of the profound wisdom of traditional Chinese medicine.