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Experience/education/practice in homeopathy:

I have been practicing Classical Homeopathy since 2002, first in Red Deer, Alberta and then in the Battlefords of Saskatchewan where I have just relocated. I was first introduced to homeopathy in 1990 when providing Wholistic First Aid for a fair in the North. I started formal training in 2000 with the British Institute of Homeopathy, Canada, and in May 2006, I was awarded Practitioner Level by the Institute from the head office in London. I had also attended three intensive seminars during that time. I am currently enrolled in the Women's Health and Homeopathy Diploma Course with BIH.

Past and present contributions to homeopathy:

My contributions to date have been about educating the public through lectures and displays and I continue to do that in my new location. Sometime in the future I would like to be part of a new proving and honestly, I have used several remedies on myself in order to experience their effects.

Non-homeopathic skills and experience relating to Board work: As a 1982 graduate in Accounting/Bookkeeping from AVC in Edmonton, I have bookkeeping skills involving ledger entries, reconciliation, month & year end reports, and Income & Expense statements.

Areas of interest in homeopathy:

My interests in Homeopathy are of course as a Classical practitioner. I love to work with women and children, assisting in bringing new ones into the world. And I love teaching about this wonderful medical art as well, and sharing my ideas with other Homeopaths. Is there anything in Homeopathy that is not fun? I haven't found that!

Other life interests:

My other interests (certified Master Herbalist, Nutritionist, and Iridologist) have all lead to Homeopathy. I love to garden and make medicines, an interest that began 25 years ago. I love teaching people about what nature has to offer and the real reward is when they sparkle from making the connection.

Vision for CSH:

My vision for CSH is that this Society remain a strong representative of Classical Homeopathy in Canada. Also that it continue to support its members in educating the public and to set diligent standards for practitioner members, so that when we say we are members of CSH then we are known to be well-educated and truly Classical Homeopaths. I really love the vision of a united body of Homeopaths.

How you would contribute to CSH as a Director:

I am not sure of the full duties of a Board member but I would be honored to fill the roll of Treasurer and prepare budgets and report to the Board on all finances during the year. I would also like to work with others in setting standards of education and ethics and in finding ways to encourage public awareness and education of Homeopathy.

Favorite Aphorism:

This is difficult because each reading gives a deeper understanding. Aphorisms 1 to 4 beautifully describe the true practitioner of the medical art, but Aph. 9 moves me in describing the Vital Force in health = "for the higher purpose of our existence".