PUBLIC COMMENT NOTICE

Regarding the Reaccreditation for the Doctor of Naturopathy (ND) Program Offered by the Canadian College of Naturopathic Medicine

Comments due by May 15, 2020

At its meeting scheduled for May 23 – 24, 2020, the Council on Naturopathic Medical Education (CNME) will decide whether to grant reaccreditation of the Doctor of Naturopathy (ND) Program offered by Canadian College of Naturopathic Medicine (CCNM), located in Toronto, Ontario.

This notice invites written comments from state postsecondary education agencies; institutional and programmatic accrediting agencies; naturopathic licensing agencies; administrative staff, faculty, and students of colleges and programs associated with CNME; national, state and provincial associations of naturopathic physicians; and other organizations and individuals who wish to offer comments on the qualifications of CCNM's ND program for reaccreditation.

CCNM's ND program is expected to be in substantial compliance with CNME’s accreditation standards, as published in the CNME Handbook of Accreditation for Naturopathic Medicine Programs (2017 or 2020 edition). Public comments on reaccreditation of CCNM's ND program must address the program's qualifications in reference to the published standards. A PDF copy of the Handbook of Accreditation is downloadable from the CNME website: www.cnme.org.

Written comments must include the name, position title (when applicable), and address of the person making the submission. The comments CNME receives are made available to CCNM’s chief executive officer upon request; however, CNME does not release them to any other third party, and will keep the name of commenters confidential in the case of individuals affiliated with the program.

Please email any comments by May 15, 2020, to the CNME Executive Director, Dr. Daniel Seitz, at the following email address: danseitz@cnme.org.