



“I am convinced that the progress or decline of humanity rests very largely with educators and teachers, who therefore have a tremendous responsibility. If you are a teacher, try not to merely transmit knowledge, but try at the same time to awaken your students’ minds to basic human qualities such as kindness, compassion, forgiveness, and understanding.”

His Holiness the Dalai Lama (Daily Advice from the Heart, 2001)

“We envision a healthcare system that is multidisciplinary and enhances competence, mutual respect and collaboration across all CAM and conventional healthcare disciplines. This system will deliver effective care that is patient-centered, focused on health creation and healing and readily accessible to all populations”

Vision of Healthcare created at the **National Education Dialogue**, 2005



The Committee on the use of Complementary and Alternative Medicine by the American Public (IOM 2005) recommended that:

“Both the conventional medicine practitioners and the CAM practitioners have educational challenges ahead.”

“Education is the major factor that will shape integrative medicine over the next decade.”

Stuart Bondurant, MD, Dean Emeritus and Professor of Medicine at the School of Medicine of the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill. (Quote is from the National Education Dialogue, Washington DC, June 2005)