

Agenda

Second WHO Global Summit on Traditional Medicine

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Day 1 (17 December 2025)

MORNING	Registration (at Summit hotels and hall); site visits		4:45–5:15 PM	Refreshments	
				Parallel 1.A	Traditional Medicine and the continuum of knowledge in health
				Parallel 1.B	Traditional Medicine knowledge – balancing access and benefit-sharing
				Parallel 1.C	Healthy ecosystems, healthy futures through Traditional Medicine
				Parallel 1.D	Traditional Medicine – bringing balance to governance, equity and resources
TIME	SESSION	TOPIC			
2:00–3:30 PM	Opening ceremony		5:15–6:30 PM		
3:30–4:45 PM	Plenary 1	Restoring balance: The science and practice of health and well-being	7:00–8:00 PM	Traditional Medicine Discovery Experience opening and refreshments	

Day 2 (18 December 2025)

TIME	SESSION	TOPIC
9:00–10:15 AM	Plenary 2	Investing in science to drive Traditional Medicine progress
10:15–10:45 AM	Refreshments	
10:45–12:00 PM	Parallel 2.A Parallel 2.B Parallel 2.C Parallel 2.D Parallel 2.E	Translating the WHO Traditional Medicine Research Roadmap into global action Research methodologies and applications The science of well-being – evidence from Traditional Medicine From innovation to investment – building the Traditional Medicine pipeline for scale and equity Impact of meditation on health – restoring balance from individual to social and ecological well-being
12:00–12:45 PM	Impact of meditation on health – Restoring balance from individual to social and ecological well-being	
12:45–1:45 PM	Lunch	
1:45–3:00 PM	Plenary 3	Re-imagining health systems for balance, safety and resilience
3:00–3:20 PM	Practising “Balance”	
3:20–3:50 PM	Refreshments	
3:50–5:15 PM	Parallel 3.A Parallel 3.B Parallel 3.C Parallel 3.D	Global frameworks and country implementation Quality, efficiency and patient safety Regulation of Traditional Medicine products Practice, practitioners and the relevance of Traditional Medicine in health system resilience
5:15–6:15 PM	Traditional Medicine Discovery Experience	
7:00–8:30 PM	Networking dinner and cultural programme	

Day 3 (19 December 2025)

TIME	SESSION	TOPIC
9:00–10:15 AM	Plenary 4	Measuring progress and charting the way forward: Standards, data and responsible AI – from ancestral knowledge to action
10:15–10:45 AM	Refreshments	
10:45 AM–12:00 PM	Parallel 4.A Parallel 4.B Parallel 4.C Parallel 4.D	Standards, data and information systems – the foundation for progress Harnessing ancestral knowledge in the digital age – equity, ethics and preservation From policy to practice – responsible AI and digital innovation in Traditional Medicine Charting the way forward for progress with accountability
12:00–1:30 PM	Lunch	
1:30–3:30 PM	Ministerial Segment Ministerial Roundtable	
4:30–6:00 PM	Closing ceremony	