

USP Dietary Supplements Stakeholder Forum
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Action Items from the 2017 Dietary Supplements Stakeholder Forum

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2017- Agility in Standards Setting



How quickly USP can respond to urgent needs for standards

Accelerated Revision Process is Available

USP is exploring options for flexible adoption of modern procedures

General Notices, General Chapter and Flexible Monograph

2017- Specific issues



Pesticides

- ▶ USP staff will continue to engage with regulatory agencies, manufacturers, and trade associations on issues related to pesticide residues.
- ▶ Met with EPA to advocate for wider adoption of <561>. Handed over copy of Stimuli article: “Need for Clear Regulation of Pesticide Residue Limits for Articles of Botanical Origin

DSQC

- ▶ Continue support to DSQC as an initiative to promote quality across multiple interested parties: Health Care Practitioners, Non-Profit Organizations, Retailers, Manufacturer Associations
- ▶ USP has taken a secretariat role in the group.
- ▶ New Governance Rules Adopted
- ▶ Plans to meet quarterly

2017- Specific Issues



Adulterants Database

- ▶ Renamed to Roman Database in Honor to Mark Roman
- ▶ More than 2000 records uploaded
- ▶ Restricted to instances of Intentional addition of Drugs and Drug Analogs

DNA analysis in Compendial Standards

- ▶ USP Continues the work in DNA analysis with the Project Team
- ▶ Report from Nandu Sarma and J. Stuart

2017- Specific Issues



Synthetic vs Natural

- ▶ USP would consider future Stakeholder Discussions
- ▶ A topic has been included later today

Probiotics

- ▶ Report on progress made is being presented by Mike Bradley and Kit Goldman

2017- Specific Issues



Chewable Gels

- ▶ Report of progress as Agenda Item from Natalia Davydova

Proteins in Dietary Supplements

- ▶ Report of progress as Agenda Item from Kit Goldman and Kenny Xie

New Topics 2018



Cranberry Products

- ▶ An approach for standard development from Maria Monagas.

Q-NMR as Compendial Procedure

- ▶ Exploration of opportunities for efficient analysis in the future by Mike Ambrose

New SF Requested topics



- ▶ Residual Solvents
- ▶ Authentication Tests Turmeric and Glucosamine
- ▶ Bioavailability in Dietary Supplements
- ▶ Excipients in Dietary Supplements

Thank You



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