

Supplementary File 2: List of national surveys from WNF member countries, with reference to inclusion of items examining naturopathy use

Country	Report/survey identified/ located	Inclusion of naturopathy-specific item	Prevalence timeframe	Date last collected	Other dates collected	Item/s	Data accessibility
FULL MEMBERS							
Australia	National Health Survey	Absent		2021			
Belgium	Health Interview Survey https://his.wiv-isp.be/fr/Documents%20partages/Summ_HC_FR_2018.pdf	Absent		2018	Every 2 years from 1997		
Brazil	National Health Survey - PNS Table 3.21 https://www.ibge.gov.br/en/statistics/social/health/16840-national-survey-of-health.html?=&t=downloads	Absent		2019	2013		Appears to be available at link https://www.ibge.gov.br/en/statistics/social/health/16840-national-survey-of-health.html?=&t=downloads
Canada	Canadian Health Measures Survey	Absent		2019	Every 2 years since 2011	-	
Canada	Canadian National Health Survey	Absent	-	2016		-	CNHS: https://www.statcan.gc.ca/eng/surveys?MM=1

Canada	National Population Health Survey	Present but combined with other health service (homeopathy)	12 month use	2010/11	Every 2 years since 1992	A) People may also use alternative or complementary medicine. In the past 12 months, [have/has] [you/FNAME] seen or talked on the telephone to an alternative health care provider such as an acupuncturist, homeopath or massage therapist about [your/his/her] physical, emotional or mental health? B) Who did you speak to (answer option is "homeopath or naturopath")	https://crdcn.org/datasets/nphs-national-population-health-survey https://crdcn.org/research Application process for academic researchers Researchers wishing to access the RDC should create an account on the Statistics Canada Microdata Access Platform and follow the steps to create a new proposal. The proposal is evaluated by Statistics Canada for feasibility before access can be granted. In addition, if you are a student, your thesis supervisor must write a letter in support of your RDC application and join the application as a co-investigator. For other academic users, a completed peer-review may be required. The review must be conducted by a tenured faculty-member at an accredited Canadian university. Researchers who are required to submit such a peer review can source their own peer reviewer, or contact CRDCN for assistance if they are unable to find a suitable candidate. Access fees for certain users Fees can apply to certain research projects conducted in the RDCs. Consult the Access & Fee-For-Service Policy to learn more.
Chile	National Health Survey	Absent		Unclear - maybe 2016/17	Every 4 years	Appears to exist, but cannot locate a recent copy of the survey or results. An earlier version (2009-10) suggests use of CAM was assessed, but all CAM were grouped together as one variable. https://www.who.int/fctc/reporting/party_reports/chile_annex1_national_health_survey_2010.pdf	Maybe somewhere on this site (might need a Spanish-speaker): https://deis.minsal.cl/#estadisticas
Cyprus	"State of health" survey	Absent		2019			https://ec.europa.eu/health/sites/health/files/state/docs/2019_chp_cyprus_english.pdf https://www.euro.who.int/__data/assets/pdf_file/0007/355975/Health-Profile-Cyprus-Eng.pdf

Democratic Republic of Congo	DHS Demographic and Health Survey	Absent		2013-2014			https://www.dhsprogram.com/pubs/pdf/FR300/FR300.pdf
Ecuador	Health survey	Absent		2017			https://www.ecuadorencifras.gob.ec/documentos/web-inec/Estadisticas_Sociales/Recursos_Actividades_de_Salud/RAS_2017/Principales_Resultados_%28RAS%29.pdf
Egypt	DHS Demographic and Health survey	Absent		2015	2014, 2008, 2005		https://dhsprogram.com/pubs/pdf/FR313/FR313.pdf
El Salvador	National Family Health Survey	Absent		2008			file:///C:/Users/User/AppData/Local/Temp/Cuestionario_El%20Salvador%202008_Nombre%20de%20variables.pdf
France	National Health and Nutrition Survey	Absent		2006			file:///C:/Users/User/AppData/Local/Temp/26327_7069-rapp-inst-enns-web.pdf
Greece	Hellenic National Nutrition and Health Survey	Absent		2013-2015			
Greece	World Health Survey	Absent		2003			
Greece	Greek National Survey on Health and Nutrition (the HYDRIA Project)	Absent		2009-2011			
Hong Kong	Population Health Survey and Health Behaviour Survey	Absent		2018/19 (report not yet released)	2014/15, 2003/04		
India	DHS Demographic and Health survey	Absent		2019-20	2015-16, 2005-06, 1998-99, 1992-93		

India	NFHS - National Family Health Survey	Present but combined with other health service (yoga)	Generally used when sick (household questionnaire) Men's and women's questionnaires also asks about places to receive family planning, where they take children when sick, and a number of other specific details relating to health care utilisation around family planning.	2019-20	2015-16 2005-06 1998-99 1992-93	Q. When members of your household get sick, where do they generally go for treatment? A. (option) Yoga and Naturopathy [also separates into public and private]	Process is unclear? http://rchiips.org/nfhs/data1.shtml
India	AHS - Annual Health Survey	Absent					
Italy	ISSP - International Social Survey Programme: Health and Health Care	Absent	12 month use	2011		During the past 12 months, how often did you visit or were visited by... an [alternative/traditional/folk]health care practitioner?	https://search.gesis.org/research_data/ZA5800
Italy	Italy National Healthy Survey	Unknown due to survey availability					

Italy	EHIS - European Health Interview Survey	Absent		2019	2015		https://www.istat.it/en/archivio/210553
Japan	The Japan National Health and Nutrition Survey (NHNS)	Absent					
Malaysia	National Health and Morbidity Survey	Absent					https://iptk.moh.gov.my/images/technical_report/2020/FactSheet_BI_AUG2020.pdf
Mexico	National Health Survey (ENSA)	Present (as 'Naturista')	Unclear	2018-19	2016 2012 2006	Q4.8: https://en.www.inegi.org.mx/contenidos/programas/ensanut/2018/doc/ensanut_2018_cuestionario_hogar.pdf	https://en.www.inegi.org.mx/programas/ensanut/2018/
Nepal	DHS Demographic and Health survey	Absent					
Nepal	Noncommunicable Disease Risk Factors: STEPS Survey Nepal 2019	Present but combined with other health services (traditional medicine)	For specific health conditions - Normal source of treatment For smoking cessation - 12 month use	2019		"During the past 12 months, what did you do to try and stop smoking?" "Where do you usually go for treatment or advice for you >condition<?" "Where do you usually get your drugs for >condition<?"	https://www.who.int/docs/default-source/nepal-documents/ncds/ncd-steps-survey-2019-compressed.pdf?sfvrsn=807bc4c6_2
New Zealand	New Zealand Health Survey	Absent					https://www.health.govt.nz/publication/questionnaires-and-content-guide-2019-20-new-zealand-health-survey
Nigeria	DHS Demographic and Health survey	Absent					
Peru	ENCUESTA DEMOGRÁFICA Y DE SALUD FAMILIAR (ENDES)	Absent					http://inei.inei.gob.pe/microdatos/
Portugal	National Health Survey	Absent		2019	2018 2017 2016 etc. annually		https://www.ine.pt/xportal/xmain?PORTLET_ID=JSP&xpgid=ine_publicacoes&xpid=INE&PORTLET_NAME=ine_cont_header_pub_en&PORTLET_UID=%23JSP%3Aine_cont_header_pub_en%23&PUBLICACOESstema=00&PUBLICACOESdata_inicial=01-07-2014&PUBLICACOESdata_final=13-07-2021&x=14&y=10&PUBLICACOESfreeText=health

Puerto Rico	Unknown						
	Longitudinal Monitoring Survey of HSE (health service questions in Adult survey)						
Russia		Absent		2019	1994 onward		https://rlms-hse.cpc.unc.edu/
Russia	Kantar National Health and Wellness Survey	Unknown due to survey availability		2011			https://www.kantar.com/expertise/health/da---real-world-data-pros-claims-and-health-records/national-health-and-wellness-survey-nhws
Saudi Arabia	World Health Survey Saudi Arabia (KSAWHS)	Absent		2019			https://www.moh.gov.sa/en/Ministry/Statistics/Population-Health-Indicators/Documents/World-Health-Survey-Saudi-Arabia.pdf
Saudi Arabia	Saudi Health Interview Survey	Absent		2013			http://www.healthdata.org/sites/default/files/files/Projects/KSA/Saudi-Health-Interview-Survey-Results.pdf
Saudi Arabia	Saudi Health Interview Census	Unknown due to survey availability		2015			
Slovenia	World Health Survey	Absent					
Slovenia	European Health Interview Survey	Absent		2007			https://www.stat.si/doc/pub/IVZ-angl.pdf https://ec.europa.eu/eurostat/web/microdata/european-health-interview-survey
South Africa	South Africa Demographic and Health Survey (DHS)	Absent		2016	2003		https://dhsprogram.com/pubs/pdf/FR337/FR337.pdf
South Africa	South African Health and Nutrition Examination Survey (SANHANES-1)	Absent		2012			file:///C:/Users/User/AppData/Local/Temp/7844.pdf
Spain	National Health Survey	Absent		2017	2011-12 2006 2003		

Switzerland	Swiss Health Survey	Present	12 month use	2017	2012 2007	How often have you been to one of the following specialists in the last 12 months: Naturopath	Available from the Swiss Federal Statistical Office http://www.bfs.admin.ch/bfs/portal/de/index/infotek/erhebungen__quelle/n/blank/blank/ess/04.html 2012 and 2007 data reported here: https://journals.plos.org/plosone/article?id=10.1371/journal.pone.0141985
United Kingdom - England	Health Survey for England (HSE)	Absent		2019	Annually		https://digital.nhs.uk/data-and-information/publications/statistical/health-survey-for-england/2019
United Kingdom - Scotland	Scottish Health Survey	Absent	By health condition, 12 month use	2020	Annually	Have you received any treatment advice for >insert condition< from any of the people on this card: Other alternative medicine professional	https://beta.ukdataservice.ac.uk/datacatalogue/studies/study?id=8737#!/documentation
United Kingdom - Wales	National Survey for Wales	Absent	By health condition, 12 month use Non-GP primary care, 12 month use	Rolling (monthly interviews)		In the last 12 months, which of these kinds of treatment or management have you had for >insert condition<: Complementary therapies (e.g. acupuncture, massage) In the last 12 months, which of these services have you used for yourself: Osteopath	https://gov.wales/national-survey-wales-questionnaires
United Kingdom - Northern Ireland	Health Survey Northern Ireland	Absent		2019-20	Annually		https://www.data-archive.ac.uk/home

United Kingdom - Northern Ireland	Northern Ireland Life and Times Survey (I don't think this is actually a government survey - run by Queen's University Belfast and Ulster University)	Present - but only in 2005	Use ever	2005	Annually, but CAM only covered in 2005	Have you ever used naturpathy?	https://www.ark.ac.uk/nilt/datasets/ https://www.ark.ac.uk/nilt/2005/Complementary_Medicine/COMTH8.html
Uruguay	Uruguay Continuous Household Survey	Absent		2020	Annually		https://www.ine.gub.uy/encuesta-continua-de-hogares1
USA	National Health Interview Survey - CAM Supplement	Present	12 month use	2012	2007 2002		https://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nhis/data-questionnaires-documentation.htm https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC4573565/
Zambia	DHS Demographic and Health Survey	Absent		2018-19			https://microdata.worldbank.org/index.php/catalog/3597
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Ireland	SLÁN - Survey of Lifestyle, Attitudes and Nutrition	Absent	Use ever and 12 month use	2007	2002 1998	Have you ever attended an alternative/complementary practitioner? (e.g. acupuncturist, homeopath, reflexologist)	https://www.ucd.ie/issda/data/surveyonlifestyleandattitudetonutritionslan/
Ireland	Healthy Ireland	Absent		2018	2017 2016 2015		https://www.ucd.ie/issda/data/healthyireland/

Norway	HUNT - The Trondelag Health Study (Norway also has research centre - NAFKAM - which conducts national surveys on CAM, but they don't cover naturopathy in their list of professions https://nafkam.no/en/report-use-complementary-and-alternative-medicine-cam-norway-2018)	Absent	12 month use			HUNT 2 - During the last 12 months, have you visited any of the following: Other treatment provider (naturopath, reflexologist....) HUNT 3, CAM suppl - How many times in the last 12 months have you been to an alternative practitioner? Which type of alternative treatment did you receive and who did you receive the treatment from?: Other type of alternative treatment	https://www.ntnu.edu/hunt/research https://www.ntnu.edu/hunt/data/que
Singapore	National Population Health Survey	Absent		2018-19	2016-17		https://www.moh.gov.sg/docs/librariesprovider5/default-document-library/nphs-2019-survey-report.pdf
Singapore	National Health Surveillance Survey	Absent		2007	2001		https://www.singstat.gov.sg/find-data/search-by-theme/society/health/latest-data
Singapore	Singapore National Health Survey	Absent		2010	2004 1998		https://www.singstat.gov.sg/find-data/search-by-theme/society/health/latest-data
EDUCATIONAL MEMBERS							
Czech Republic	HELEN (Health, Lifestyle and Environment) Study	Absent		2014	Annually since 2003		http://www.szu.cz/publikace/studie-helen?lang=1
Czech Republic	World Health Survey	Absent		2003			https://microdata.worldbank.org/index.php/catalog/1703
Ghana	DHS Demographic and Health Survey	Absent		2017	2014		https://dhsprogram.com/methodology/survey/survey-display-506.cfm