Botanical Dietary and Herbal Medicine Expert Committee (BDSHM EC)
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Executive Summary

A quorum was present and Dr. Robin Marles, Chair, presided over the Botanical Dietary Supplements and Herbal Medicines Expert Committee (BDSHM EC) face-to-face meeting. The following is a summary of the actions and key discussion topics that impacted the work of the BDSHM EC, grouped by topic.

1. **Expert Panel Updates**: EC members received an update on the activities and accomplishments of the following Expert Panels under the BDSHM EC’s purview:
   - Cannabis Expert Panel
   - Green Tea Extract Hepatotoxicity Expert Panel
   - Herbal Medicines Compendium (HMC) East Asia Expert Panel
   - HMC South Asia Expert Panel

2. **Articles for USP43–NF 38 Ballot**: USP staff updated EC members on the monographs and general chapters scheduled for the upcoming USP43–NF38 ballot.

3. **Monographs Under Development**: EC members received updates on the new monographs as well as the proposed revisions under development and discussed the drafts.