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. **Medical Cannabis:** USP staff provided an overview of the outcomes from the roundtable discussion on medical cannabis that took place on February 10, 2016, at USP–U.S. Without objection, the BDSHM EC recommended that USP move forward with the development of quality monographs for medical cannabis.

2. **Public Commentary:** USP staff provided an overview of the public comments received on the Stimuli article, “The Advisability and Feasibility of Developing USP Standards for Medical Cannabis,” published in *Pharmacopeial Forum (PF)* 42(1) [Jan.–Feb. 2016].

3. **USP Pipeline Monographs:** USP staff provided an overview of the new monographs for Tangerine Peel, Sichuan Lovage Rhizome, and Elder Berry Dry Extract, as well as the Coffee Fruit Dry Extract published in *PF* 42(2) [Mar.–Apr. 2016].

4. **Herbal Medicines Compendium (HMC) Pipeline Monographs for Ballot:** USP staff provided updates on the Mangifera indica Bark and Terminalia chebula fruit family monographs, definitions, and comments.

5. **Monographs Moving Forward to Ballot:** USP staff provided an overview of the Cinnamomum cassia Twig, Salix Species Bark, St. John's Wort Flowering Top, St. John's Wort Flowering Top Dry Extract Capsules, and St. John's Wort Flowering Top Dry Extract Tablets monographs.

6. **Pesticides Stimuli Article:** USP staff provided an overview of the Stimuli article, “Need for Clear Regulation of Pesticide Residue Limits for Articles of Botanical Origin,” published in (PF) 42(2).

7. **Dissolution for Botanical Dosage Forms:** USP staff provided a presentation on dissolution tests that could be considered important quality control tools for botanical products. Currently only four monographs (Garlic Delayed Release, Ginger, Ginkgo, and Milk Thistle) contain dissolution-testing procedures.