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I have seen a number of various doctors over the years, Most doctors gave me an excuse that it was just that I was getting older and/or take a particular drug, which I didn't want to do. As much as I wanted a quick fix, I was more interested in regaining health not just address the symptoms. I benefitted the most from my Naturopath. My Naturopath listened to my concerns took time to get a good idea of my history, symptoms and life style. After putting into practice the recommendations advised, over time I got better than I had been in years. The interesting thing is in reading over the EOBs, I observed that MDs got paid much more for a much shorter visit, than my naturopath for a longer visit. Seemed very unfair to me since I got the best help for my health concerns from a naturopath. Especially knowing that a naturopath take just as many years in medical school as an MD, and if they specialize, like MD's do, they have to take extended course. I can enjoy life again.

So do I support NDs being treated and paid the same as MDs, ABSOLUTELY!