Code of Ethics and Conduct

Introduction

The medical profession has long subscribed to a body of ethical statements developed primarily for the benefit of the patient.

As a member of this profession, a bioregulatory physician must recognize responsibility to patients first and foremost, as well as to society, to other health professionals, and to self. The following Principles adopted by the British Association of Bioregulatory Medicine, are not laws, but standards of conduct for our memberships that define the essentials of honourable behaviour for Bioregulatory practitioner.

Aims and Objectives

The Society (Association) main objective is to develop and educate medical practitioners, set up training standards, and provide public protection by setting and enforcing Code of Ethics for the members of the Association who provide health care in the medical field of Bioregulatory medicine.

The Bioregulatory medicine is a new medical paradigm that builds on the strengths of Hippocratic medicine and align it with a 21st Century quantum awareness and system biology as a new platform of disease. This medicine is based on the supporting auto-regulatory (homeostasis) processes of Health and inducement of disease reversal and NOT providing active pharmacology or invasive treatment or a treatment of a particular disease.

Society promotes a Dynamic Model of health, viewing Disease as a process in time, aiming to reverse it back to the early formative stages and focuses on health Prevention.

Society's aim is to create a new methodology in a field of chronic, degenerative and preventative health in order to bring in scientific paradigm shift in medicine, by integration of system biology, quantum physics and human electrophysiology with conventional pathophysiology and biochemistry.

The Bioregulatory protocols are devised with objective to prevention (preventative medicine) and curative as a new public health needs of modern times.

The Society would organise courses and education in the field ensuring efficacious and safe, evidence based medicine in this field. The goals will be achieved by continual training in Bioregulatory medicine and its clinical modalities, as well as keeping register ensuring abiding to Code of Ethics, and adequate level of the Specialist Training thus providing quality and safe health care practicing in this field.

Society aim and objectives are:

i. to invite medical colleagues to share these principles and to democratise medicine by taking a more humanistic approach

- ii. to empower patients to take proactive role (self-help) in their health and prevention
- iii. to create a medical paradigm based on homeostatic medical model known as a Bioregulatory Medicine
- iv. to define and establish parameters and modalities and principles of the Bioregulatory Medicine
- v. to create specialisation and continual medical education in the field of the Bioregulatory Medicine
- vi. to create membership register of the qualified practitioners in Bioregulatory medicine and maintain safe and good practice
- vii. to set up and continually develop, in accordance with society changes, the 'Code of Ethics' for association memberships.

Code of Ethics and Conduct for BSBM members

Society members are obliged to adhere to following Code of Ethics:

- i. a Bioregulatory practitioner (physician) shall be dedicated to providing competent medical care, with compassion and respect for human dignity and rights.
- ii. a Bioregulatory practitioner shall uphold the standards of professionalism, be honest in all professional interactions, and strive to report physicians deficient in character or competence, or engaging in fraud or deception, to appropriate entities.
- iii. a Bioregulatory practitioner shall respect the law and also recognize a responsibility to seek changes in those requirements which are contrary to the best interests of the patient.
- iv. a Bioregulatory practitioner shall respect the rights of patients, colleagues, and other health professionals, and shall safeguard patient confidences and privacy within the constraints of the law.
- v. a Bioregulatory practitioner shall continue to study, apply, and advance scientific knowledge, maintain a commitment to medical education, make relevant information available to patients, colleagues, and the public, obtain consultation, and use the talents of other health professionals when indicated.
- vi. a Bioregulatory practitioner shall, in the provision of appropriate patient care, except in emergencies, be free to choose whom to serve, with whom to associate, and the environment in which to provide medical care.
- vii. a Bioregulatory practitioner shall recognize a responsibility to participate in activities contributing to the improvement of the community and the betterment of public health.

viii. a Bioregulatory practitioner shall, while caring for a patient, regard responsibility to the patient as a paramount importance.

Benefits and obligation of memberships

The Society seeks to bring some of the best educators in Bioregulatory medical disciplines from around the world and make their message available in regular specialist programme and seminars, courses and conferences towards professional development.

The Society is a non-profit association with membership and educational programme fees reinvested in various ways to promote the aims and objectives.

Members entitlement and obligations are:

Members are entitled to add to the name members initials: **MBSBM** (Member of **British** Society for Bioregulatory medicine, as a specialist register in the field. The members are also a part of the International membership by International Society of Bioregulatory Medicine.

Register of **Members** and **Fellowships** of the Society

Membership of the Society is open for Medical Practitioners who are practicing systems Bioregulatory Medicine and at the **Training Standards and Competencies** prescribed by the **Society Specialist Board** (SBBM).

Members are to abide by the society memorandum regarding safe, ethical and efficacious practice according to the Bioregulatory medicine practice.

Members' obligation and benefits as a member are:

- i. to abide by the 'Code of Ethics and Conduct' and 'Association Constitution'.
- ii. to belong to the Society a **Specialist register** in the field of Bioregulatory medicine in case of active medical practice and have adequate practitioners insurance approved by the BSBM
- iii. to belong to other form of membership such as affiliated/associated or general membership in case of non practicing physician
- iv. **Associate membership** is available for medical and students of biochemical studies v. belonging to a fast growing network of like-minded healthcare practitioners committed to the same goals in **UK** and other countries
- vi. opportunities for a forum for clinical exchange
- vii. a listing on the Society website which will allow promotion of your clinic as people will be able to contact you directly, or will be able to use the client referral service
- viii. Learn about new, evidence-based, clinically effective natural medicines
- ix. a notifications of early bird specials for seminars, phonelinks/webinars and workshops
- x. an access to valuable resource material

xi. a regular invitations to CPD seminars around Bolivia and South America as well as International events and courses

xii. an access the latest evidenced-based research information and clinical studies Regular ISBM newsletter

xiii. the opportunity to learn and write about, teach and be consulted on Bioregulatory Medicine

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xiv. an annual Bioregulatory Conferences

Consultants

Consultant with the ISBM is open by invitation to medical practitioners with a record of high level clinical work in the field of Bioregulatory Medicine. The status of Consultant of Bioregulatory Medicine is the highest level of practical work with patients and highest results in the Clinical Practice of Bioregulatory Medicine.

Consultant in the BM is awarded at a discretion, by the Specialist Board for Bioregulatory Medicine (SBBM), as a result of continued successful practice and a minimum of ten years clinical experience in the field corroborated by two colleagues and patients' letters of recommendation.

Fellowship

For those who are experienced and renowned specialist in the Bioregulatory medicine we have a provision of a British Society **fellowship** to the Society. Fellowship is open for members with proven record of the highest level of professional achievements in medicine and health care. Full Fellowship with the BSBM is open by invitation to those with a record of education, research and to those with a general contribution towards the development of Systems Medicine. The status of Fellowship of Bioregulatory Medicine is awarded as an honour from the Society associations and its members for the furtherance of the progress of its constitutional objectives and betterment in the research, development and promotion in the field of the systems medicine. Fellowship is awarded by the Society Executive Board by majority voting on annual general assembly meeting.