Supplementary Material

Table 1Thematic description of the international overview reports.

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Themes associated to primary health care, health professionals and health care in general** | WHO (2005)[3] | Whitmee et al. (2015)[21] | WHO-CBD (2015)[6] | Ten Brink et al. (2016) [23] | UNEP (2016) [20] | WHO (2016) [22] |
| ARGUMENTS  |
| Economic cost | + |  | + | + | + | + |
| Centrality  |  | + |  | + |  | + |
| Health - environment impact |  |  | + |  |  |  |
| Medicinal plants  | + |  | + |  |  |  |
| Effectiveness of NBIa  |  |  |  | + |  |  |
| Disease prevention  |  |  |  | + | + | + |
| CHALLENGES & CONSTRAINTS |
| Poverty |  | + | + |  |  |  |
| Budget cuts in preventive care |  |  |  | + |  |  |
| Need for increased awareness  |  |  |  | + |  |  |
| Health-worker capacity |  | + |  |  |  |  |
| Awareness raising measures |  |  |  | + |  |  |
| MANAGEMENT APPROACHES |
| Policy integration |  | + |  |  |  |  |
| Interdisciplinary collaboration |  | + |  | + | + |  |
| Data integration |  | + |  | + |  | + |
| Informing and training |  | + | *+* | *+* |  |  |
| Local knowledge and culture |  | + | + |  |  |  |
| Spatial integration  |  |  | + | + |  |  |
| Role of health professionals  |  | + | + | + |  |  |
| Role of local authorities |  |  |  | + |  |  |
| Copy local initiatives  |  |  | + | + |  |  |

aNBI: nature-based interventions.