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Peter has been in full-time homoeopathic and naturopathic practice for over 35 years in Sydney, Australia and was principal of the Sydney College of Homeopathic Medicine. In his formative years he travelled to India, Britain and Europe to further his understanding of the art of practice and interact with practitioners who are at the cutting edge of energy medicines. Inspired by his experiences he decided to prove a series of medicines and has continued to do provings for the last 25 years.

Early in the process of proving Peter decided to integrate his personal interest in precious and semi-precious gems. In 2005 he completed his major work 'Twelve Jewels' on medicines prepared from gemstones and crystals. It was the result of over 10 years of experimenting, writing and working at the coalface of clinical practice. In 2012 he published the results of further clinical and proving work in 'Rose Quartz, Garden of the Heart'. More recently, he completed research on the nature of crystallisation and its relevance to homoeopathy. It is having significant implications for prescriptions of standard mineral remedies and beyond. His work on this is now available in his book titled 'Psyche and Structure'.

Peter has mined and collected crystals and minerals, often in remote locations, for preparing medicines for many years. To fertilise this process of creating a body of work about crystals in homoeopathy, he qualified as gemmologist. He has conducted seminars in the UK, Europe, USA, South Africa, New Zealand and Australia and is the author of numerous journal articles. He continues to consolidate his work in that marvellous laboratory of life - the homoeopathic clinic.

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