## The cultural situation and prospect of the medicinal plants in China

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Chinese medicine in China is the traditional medicine improving the people health and curing the diseases by using the medicinal plants. Thus, with the advent of china history, chinese medicine has been developed for a long time and made a great contribution to promote the chinese's health. China has a wide stretches of land and five thousands of medicinal plants grow naturally throughout the country, and of these plants, five hundreds of medicinal plants were directly used as medicinal materials. Also, dozens of medicinal plants have the anticancer componemts or anticancer effects. Chinese medical science was early developed in china because chinese medicine is cheaper, and has the least harmful side effects and the more curing effects than others.

Recently, two hundred kinds of chinese medicine materials were mainly produced and supplied to consumers by about 200,000 farmers who cultivated medicinal plants. Some cancer-cure reagents from medicinal plants have been already developed and it was known that they have very high cure effects. Cancer is one of the diseases which should be cured. In the future, it would be very desirable that many researches should be done for developing cancer-cure reagents and preventing cancer occurrence.