

# Healing Touch

## The word is spreading

2009 is proving to be a very exciting year for Healing Touch!

We started the year with a plan – a plan of action. Since 2009 is our 20th anniversary, we want to be able to look back at the year in December and go “whew – what an amazing year!”

The vision of Healing Touch becoming a common practice in every home, hospital and school is actuated and grows through our instructors, practitioners and students reaching out to others. Our role at Healing Touch Program is to provide the tools you need to “just do the work” and to support each of you as you learn, practice and grow.

The call today across the United States and the world is for health, wellness, and deliberate living. In May we introduced our instructors to **Healing Touch for Self Care via teleseminar**. Self care is a core principle of Healing Touch and we now have a new format for teaching this essential way of living to anyone who wants to increase or maintain their own well being. As we practice self care in our own lives – it becomes second nature to share this important principle with others.

Along this same way of thinking we will soon introduce a wonderful little book for children, **My Helpful Healing Touch, A Guide to Empowering Children**. It will be followed by a training notebook and course for those who feel drawn to spread the word of Healing Touch to young children.

As Cynthia mentions in her opening letter, we hope this will soon be followed by a book and course for teenagers and she has formed a committee to help in this endeavor. If you feel drawn to contribute in some manner, please contact [cynthia@healingtouchprogram.com](mailto:cynthia@healingtouchprogram.com).

Another new book, Healing Touch in the Home, An Energetic Approach to First Aid and Optimal Health is also in the works and we hope to introduce it by the end of this year. As you can see, we are working hard to insure that each person and home has the opportunity for Healing Touch to be at their fingertips as a means for health and wellness.

Enrollment for the 2009 Annual Healing Touch Worldwide Conference is filling up and we anticipate a beautiful and action packed time of sharing and networking. (Go to [www.HealingTouchProgram.com](http://www.HealingTouchProgram.com) for more information.) In addition, many of our students, practitioners, and instructors are participating in health fairs, seminars, hospital events and other activities – informing people about Healing Touch or offering a brief HT session. An experience is worth a thousand words and providing others an HT experience is one of the most dynamic and impactful ways to demonstrate the healing and benefits of HT. Thank you to all of you who are donating your time and energy to spread the word.

The Healing Touch Professional Association began a year ago as an idea – a grand idea – of how we could provide a format for connecting and supporting the HT Community in new ways. Under the leadership and hard work of Sharon Robbins this idea has grown into a full-fledged professional organization. Just recently much needed professional liability insurance became available for HTPA members to purchase. (Go to [www.HTProfessionalAssociation.com](http://www.HTProfessionalAssociation.com) for more information.)

The Healing Touch Practitioner Directory had hundreds of unique visitors in the first six months of this year and we anticipate these numbers continuing to grow as more people are introduced to the benefits of HT. We are delighted that those

seeking a practitioner are utilizing this wonderful tool. We are also delighted that so many Healing Touch Practitioners are making themselves available to others.

Now that HTP has begun using teleseminars to provide instructional training, we will be offering classes on other related energy healing topics, as well. Watch Energy Magazine for announcements as they become available.

Each of you contributes to spreading the word through your actions and support. We are grateful and blessed by all that you do. We've made tremendous strides in actualizing our plan for an amazing year and there are another six months ahead. 2009, our 20th Anniversary -- is a year for which all of us can be proud.