



## DR. MELISSA COATS

*Keynote Presentation Title:* Utilizing Naturopathic Medicine To Empower Your Health

Website: Naturopathic Specialists - Naturopathic Doctors in Scottsdale (listenandcare.com)

## Presenter Bio:

Dr. Coats graduated from Randolph-Macon Woman's College in Lynchburg, Virginia, with a Bachelor's degree in biology; she then went on to achieve her Masters in bioethics from Midwestern University in Glendale, Arizona. Subsequently, Dr. Coats earned her Doctor of Naturopathic Medicine (ND) at Southwest College of Naturopathic Medicine (SCNM) in Tempe, Arizona now called Sonoran University of Health Sciences. She is a board certified naturopathic oncologist and is known as a fellow of the board of naturopathic oncology (FABNO) which puts her in a unique group of physicians whom specialize in naturopathic oncology. She is a past President of the SCNM Alumni Association as well as was a long time board member of Tempe Boys and Girls Club- Ladmo Branch. She was appointed in 2019 to the board of A2ndAct which supports women survivors of all cancers who are using their newly realized gifts of life and experience to give back for the greater good and was on there until the board concluded in 2022.

She is a member of the Arizona Naturopathic Medical Association, American Association of Naturopathic Physicians and the Oncology Association of Naturopathic Physicians. In 2017 and 2019, 2020 and 2021 she was named one of Phoenix Magazine's Top Doctors for Naturopathic Medicine.

Dr. Coats offers general naturopathic medical care and focuses much of her time in oncology and natural options for mental health support. Dr. Coats practices with a broad scope of treatment options from acupuncture to clinical nutrition to help you achieve optimal health.