

**THE SECOND SCIENTIFIC SYMPOSIUM OF RUSSIAN MEDICAL ANTHROPOLOGISTS  
"HEALTHCARE IN THE FOCUS OF MEDICAL ANTHROPOLOGY: RHETORIC, PRACTICE  
AND CULTURE"**

© 2014 D.V. Mikhel

**Key words:** medical anthropology, medical ethnography, health care, healthcare maintenance, symposium, theory, methodology, promising models of health care, complementary and alternative medicine.

**Abstract:** This report is devoted to the results of the II scientific symposium on medical anthropology "Health in the focus of medical anthropology: rhetoric, practice and culture of health conservation" (Saratov, 2014). It briefly covers the work of the event, as well as presentations of its participants.