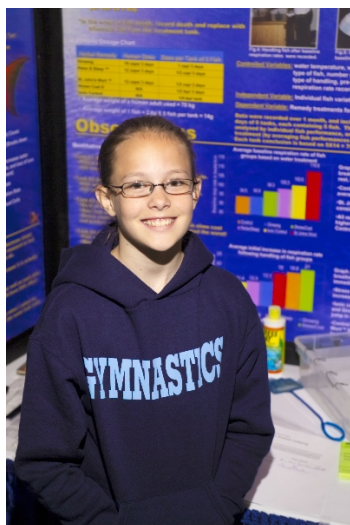


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Fishy Business - The Effects of Herbal Remedies on Intensively Managed Fish

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Abstract: Can handling stress be reduced in fish using human herbal remedies? The effects of St. John's Wort(TM), Ginseng, Relax and Sleep(TM) and fish Stress Coat(R) on respiratory rates following handling of fish was evaluated. Human herbal remedies did seem to reduce the handling response and may have applications in fish-farming.

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