### **1. Find and Replace Doesn't Work Properly in Extended Mode**

* **Issue:** When using the "Extended" search mode to find and replace special characters like \t\r\n with \r\n, the operation fails to find matches.
* **Status:** Open
* **Explanation:** The "Find and Replace" feature isn't correctly handling special character sequences in certain search modes. ([Bug Report: Find and Replace Functionality Issue in Notepad++ · Issue #14967 · notepad-plus-plus/notepad-plus-plus · GitHub](https://github.com/notepad-plus-plus/notepad-plus-plus/issues/14967?utm_source=chatgpt.com))

### **2. Crash During 'Search Within Search Results'**

* **Issue:** Performing a search within previous search results sometimes causes Notepad++ to crash unexpectedly.
* **Status:** Open
* **Explanation:** Using the "search within results" function can lead to the application crashing, especially when dealing with large sets of search results. ([[BUG] Crash during search in search results operation · Issue #15435 · notepad-plus-plus/notepad-plus-plus · GitHub](https://github.com/notepad-plus-plus/notepad-plus-plus/issues/15435?utm_source=chatgpt.com))

### **3. Cannot Open Files Ending with a Dot**

* **Issue:** Attempting to open a file with a name ending in a dot (e.g., test.) results in an error message stating the file cannot be opened.
* **Status:** Closed
* **Explanation:** Notepad++ previously couldn't handle file names ending with a dot, but this issue has been addressed and fixed in a later update. ([Find And Replace: "Close" button in the wrong position | Notepad++ Community](https://community.notepad-plus-plus.org/topic/124/find-and-replace-close-button-in-the-wrong-position?utm_source=chatgpt.com))

### **4. 'Replace All' Only Replaces First Occurrence**

* **Issue:** Using the "Replace All" function only replaces the first instance of the search term, instead of all occurrences.
* **Status:** Closed
* **Explanation:** There was a bug where "Replace All" didn't function as intended, but it has since been resolved. ([Replace All not working · Issue #14226 · notepad-plus-plus/notepad-plus-plus · GitHub](https://github.com/notepad-plus-plus/notepad-plus-plus/issues/14226?utm_source=chatgpt.com))

### **5. Application Crashes After Find and Replace in Large Files**

* **Issue:** Performing a find and replace operation in large files (e.g., 50MB CSV files) causes Notepad++ to crash after several minutes.
* **Status:** Closed
* **Explanation:** Handling large files during find and replace operations led to crashes, but this issue has been fixed in recent versions. ([app-crash after find and replace in a large file · Issue #14630 · notepad-plus-plus/notepad-plus-plus · GitHub](https://github.com/notepad-plus-plus/notepad-plus-plus/issues/14630?utm_source=chatgpt.com), [Handling of "In Selection" in FIND and REPLACE modal is a bad user interface · Issue #9811 · notepad-plus-plus/notepad-plus-plus · GitHub](https://github.com/notepad-plus-plus/notepad-plus-plus/issues/9811?utm_source=chatgpt.com))