Discussion of and access to a high-quality palliative approach to care
https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy11639
Type: Policy resolution
Date: 2015-Aug-26
Topics: Ethics and medical professionalism
Resolution: The Canadian Medical Association will advocate that discussion of and access to a high-quality palliative approach to care be available to all Canadians, including those with life-limiting illnesses who are considering assisted death.

Public release of the Final Report of the External Panel on Options for a Legislative Response to Carter v. Canada
https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy11633
Type: Policy resolution
Date: 2015-Aug-26
Topics: Ethics and medical professionalism

Accredited standards for the management of life-limiting chronic disease
https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy11636
Type: Policy resolution
Date: 2015-Aug-26
Topics: Population health/health equity/public health
Ethics and medical professionalism
Resolution: The Canadian Medical Association supports the development and application of accredited standards for the integration of a palliative care approach into the management of life-limiting chronic disease.
Supporting consultations while developing policies, regulations and guidelines on physician-assisted dying

https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy11635

Type: Policy resolution
Last Reviewed: 2018-Mar-03
Date: 2015-Aug-26
Topics: Ethics and medical professionalism
Resolution: The Canadian Medical Association supports consultation with the Canadian Society of Palliative Care Physicians and other relevant physician societies when policies, regulations and guidelines are developed on physician-assisted dying.

Increased education and training in end-of-life care for community health care workers

https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy11610

Type: Policy resolution
Date: 2015-Aug-26
Topics: Population health/ health equity/ public health, Ethics and medical professionalism
Resolution: The Canadian Medical Association encourages increased education and training in end-of-life care for community health care workers.

Assisted death as defined by the Supreme Court of Canada is distinct from the practice of palliative care

https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy11611

Type: Policy resolution
Date: 2015-Aug-26
Topics: Ethics and medical professionalism
Resolution: The Canadian Medical Association recognizes that the practice of assisted death as defined by the Supreme Court of Canada is distinct from the practice of palliative care.
Medical certification of death forms in cases involving physician-assisted death

https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy11638

Type: Policy resolution
Last Reviewed: 2018-Mar-03
Date: 2015-Aug-26
Topics: Ethics and medical professionalism

Resolution: The Canadian Medical Association supports the development of pan-Canadian guidelines for physicians on the terminology to be used when completing medical certification of death forms in cases involving physician-assisted death.