



Access to end-of-life and palliative care services

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy383>

Policy Type:	Policy resolution
Last Reviewed:	2013-Mar-02
Date:	1999-Aug-25
Topics:	Population health/ health equity/ public health
Resolution:	That the Canadian Medical Association urge the federal, provincial and territorial ministers of health to ensure equitable access for all residents of Canada to comprehensive, quality end-of-life and palliative care services regardless of age, care setting, diagnosis, ethnicity, language and financial status.



Access to pediatric palliative care

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy8504>

Policy Type:	Policy resolution
Last Reviewed:	2013-Mar-02
Date:	2006-Aug-23
Topics:	Population health/ health equity/ public health Health systems, system funding and performance
Resolution:	The Canadian Medical Association calls upon the federal government, in cooperation with provincial and territorial governments, to improve access to pediatric palliative care through enhanced funding, training and awareness campaigns.



Accredited standards for the management of life-limiting chronic disease

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy11636>

Policy 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.



Advance care planning

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy13694>


Policy Type: Policy document

Date: 2017-May-27


Replaces: Advance care planning (2015)


Topics: Ethics and medical professionalism
Population health/ health equity/ public health

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An Act providing for the development of a framework on palliative care in Canada

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy11928>

Policy Type: Policy resolution
Date: 2016-Aug-24
Topics: Health systems, system funding and performance
Population health/ health equity/ public health
Resolution: The Canadian Medical Association supports Bill C-277, An Act providing for the development of a framework on palliative care in Canada.



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>

Policy 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.



Collaborative palliative care model

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy10883>

Policy Type: Policy resolution
Date: 2013-Aug-21
Topics: Health systems, system funding and performance
Resolution: The Canadian Medical Association supports the implementation of a collaborative palliative care model.



Delivery of quality palliative end-of-life care throughout Canada

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy11219>

Policy Type: Policy resolution
Date: 2014-Aug-20
Topics: Health human resources
Resolution: The Canadian Medical Association will engage in physician human resource planning to develop an appropriate strategy to ensure the delivery of quality palliative end-of-life care throughout Canada.



Discussion of and access to a high- quality palliative approach to care

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy11639>

Policy 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.



Emergency funding for end-of-life care for uninsured people residing in Canada

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy11221>

Policy Type: Policy resolution
Date: 2014-Aug-20
Topics: Population health/ health equity/ public health
Health systems, system funding and performance
Ethics and medical professionalism
Resolution: The Canadian Medical Association supports in principle emergency funding for end-of-life care for uninsured people residing in Canada.



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

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

Policy 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.



Management of chronic pain in older adults

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy13705>

Policy Type: Policy resolution
Date: 2017-Aug-23
Topics: Pharmaceuticals/ prescribing/ cannabis/ marijuana/ drugs
Resolution: The Canadian Medical Association supports increased approval and funding of pharmacologic options for the management of chronic pain in older adults.



Palliative and end-of-life care

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy11895>

Policy Type: Policy resolution
Date: 2016-Aug-24
Topics: Population health/ health equity/ public health
Ethics and medical professionalism
Resolution: The Canadian Medical Association acknowledges that palliative and end-of-life care has public health implications.



Palliative care


<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy11809>

Policy Type: Policy document


Date: 2015-Oct-03


Topics: Ethics and medical professionalism

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Palliative Care

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy10876>

Policy Type: Policy resolution

Date: 2013-Aug-21

Topics: Ethics and medical professionalism

Resolution: The Canadian Medical Association supports the integration of the palliative care approach into the management of life-limiting chronic disease.



Palliative care

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy10893>

Policy Type: Policy resolution
Date: 2013-Aug-21
Topics: Ethics and medical professionalism
Resolution: The Canadian Medical Association recommends that all relevant legislation be amended to recognize that any person whose medical condition warrants it is entitled to receive palliative care.



Palliative care

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy10898>

Policy Type: Policy resolution
Date: 2013-Aug-21
Topics: Ethics and medical professionalism
Resolution: The Canadian Medical Association believes that every person nearing the end of life who wishes to receive palliative care services at home should have access to them.



Palliative care services

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy10874>

Policy Type: Policy resolution
Date: 2013-Aug-21
Topics: Health systems, system funding and performance
Resolution: The Canadian Medical Association advocates for the integration of accessible quality palliative care services into community and chronic care service delivery models.



Palliative care services and expertise

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy11216>

Policy Type: Policy resolution
Date: 2014-Aug-20
Topics: Ethics and medical professionalism
Physician practice/ compensation/ forms
Resolution: The Canadian Medical Association believes that all health care providers should have access to referral for palliative care services and expertise.



Physician engagement in palliative care

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy11748>

Policy Type: Policy resolution
Date: 2015-May-30
Topics: Ethics and medical professionalism
Population health/ health equity/ public health
Resolution: The Canadian Medical Association adopts, in principle, the recommendations for physician engagement in palliative care as set out in the report, Palliative Care: CMA National Call to Action as outlined in Appendix A to EX 15-21, as amended.