



## 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  
Resolution: The Canadian Medical Association calls for the unconditional public release of the Final Report of the External Panel on Options for a Legislative Response to Carter v. Canada upon its completion.



## 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.



## 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.



## 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.



## 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.



## 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.