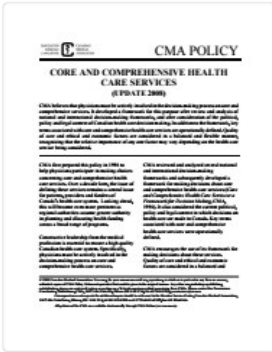


## Core and comprehensive health care services (Update 2008)

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy9403>

Policy Type: Policy document  
 Last Reviewed: 2017-Mar-04  
 Date: 2008-Dec-06  
 Replaces: Core and comprehensive health care services (1994)  
 Topics: Health systems, system funding and performance



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## Accreditation Standards for Continuing Medical Education

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy9379>

Policy Type:	Policy resolution
Last Reviewed:	2015-Feb-28
Date:	2008-Oct-04
Topics:	Ethics and medical professionalism Physician practice/ compensation/ forms
Resolution:	The Canadian Medical Association commends the rigorous accreditation standards for continuing medical education (CME) adopted by the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada and the College of Family Physicians of Canada and supports constant vigilance to ensure that the content of accredited CME events is consistent with the best available scientific information and ethically sound practice.



## Wait Time Alliance's benchmarks for psychiatric care

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy11687>

Policy Type:	Policy resolution
Last Reviewed:	2019-Mar-03
Date:	2008-Aug-20
Topics:	Health care and patient safety Health systems, system funding and performance
Resolution:	The Canadian Medical Association urges governments, within their areas of jurisdiction, to adopt the Wait Time Alliance's benchmarks for psychiatric care.



## Health Canada's new radon exposure guidelines

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy11689>

Policy Type:	Policy resolution
Last Reviewed:	2019-Mar-03
Date:	2008-Aug-20
Topics:	Population health/ health equity/ public health Health care and patient safety
Resolution:	The Canadian Medical Association urges the federal government to ensure that private residences and public and commercial buildings in Canada are appropriately tested to meet Health Canada's new radon exposure guidelines.



## Canadian citizens completing medical training outside of Canada

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy11690>

Policy Type:	Policy resolution
Last Reviewed:	2019-Mar-03
Date:	2008-Aug-20
Topics:	Health human resources Physician practice/ compensation/ forms
Resolution:	The Canadian Medical Association will develop a policy to facilitate the entry of Canadian citizens completing medical training outside of Canada into Canadian postgraduate training programs so long as this does not compromise the ability of graduates of Canadian medical schools to continue to obtain priority access to guaranteed residency training positions.



## CanMEDs manager role and competencies

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy11691>

Policy Type: Policy resolution

Last Reviewed: 2019-Mar-03

Date: 2008-Aug-20

Topics: Health human resources  
Physician practice/ compensation/ forms

Resolution: The Canadian Medical Association, provincial/territorial medical associations and affiliates call on undergraduate medical education and postgraduate training programs at Canada's faculties of medicine to develop an integrated approach to teaching the principles of the CanMEDs manager role and competencies to all medical students and resident trainees.



## Examination of adverse events

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy11692>

Policy Type: Policy resolution

Last Reviewed: 2019-Mar-03

Date: 2008-Aug-20

Topics: Health systems, system funding and performance  
Health care and patient safety  
Ethics and medical professionalism

Resolution: The Canadian Medical Association calls on regulatory agencies, hospitals, health regions and others to utilize a non-punitive quality improvement approach to the examination of adverse events while still acknowledging individual accountability.



## Access to mental health prevention and treatment

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy9199>

Policy Type:	Policy resolution
Last Reviewed:	2015-Feb-28
Date:	2008-Aug-20
Topics:	Population health/ health equity/ public health Health care and patient safety
Resolution:	The Canadian Medical Association will develop a five-year plan focused on improving access to mental health prevention and treatment and eliminating stigma and discrimination.



## Psychiatric treatment in rural and remote areas

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy9200>

Policy Type:	Policy resolution
Last Reviewed:	2015-Feb-28
Date:	2008-Aug-20
Topics:	Physician practice/ compensation/ forms Population health/ health equity/ public health
Resolution:	The Canadian Medical Association, in collaboration with the Society of Rural Physicians of Canada and the Canadian Psychiatric Association, will establish national benchmarks for access to psychiatric treatment in rural and remote areas.



## Stigma-reduction-programs

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy9202>

Policy Type:	Policy resolution
Last Reviewed:	2015-Feb-28
Date:	2008-Aug-20
Topics:	Population health/ health equity/ public health Health systems, system funding and performance Health care and patient safety
Resolution:	The Canadian Medical Association will work with the Canadian Psychiatric Association and the Mental Health Commission of Canada to develop and implement stigma-reduction-programs that target stigmatization generated within the health care system.



## Mental health programs in schools

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy9203>

Policy Type:	Policy resolution
Last Reviewed:	2015-Feb-28
Date:	2008-Aug-20
Topics:	Population health/ health equity/ public health Health care and patient safety
Resolution:	The Canadian Medical Association and provincial/territorial medical associations will work with provincial/territorial governments to introduce mental health programs in schools, including early and systematic mental health screening and access to appropriate social and health care resources.



## Mental health services for Canada's children

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy9205>

Policy Type:	Policy resolution
Last Reviewed:	2015-Feb-28
Date:	2008-Aug-20
Topics:	Health care and patient safety Population health/ health equity/ public health
Resolution:	The Canadian Medical Association and provincial/territorial medical associations will call on governments to work toward improving the coordination between existing mental health services for Canada's children.



## School programs to reduce stigma of mental illness

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy9206>

Policy Type:	Policy resolution
Last Reviewed:	2015-Feb-28
Date:	2008-Aug-20
Topics:	Health care and patient safety Population health/ health equity/ public health
Resolution:	The Canadian Medical Association and provincial/territorial medical associations will work with provincial/territorial governments to support the creation of school programs to reduce the stigma associated with mental illness.



## Services for mentally ill patients

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy9208>

Policy Type:	Policy resolution
Last Reviewed:	2015-Feb-28
Date:	2008-Aug-20
Topics:	Population health/ health equity/ public health Health systems, system funding and performance Physician practice/ compensation/ forms
Resolution:	The Canadian Medical Association will work with the Mental Health Commission of Canada to recommend the basket of medically necessary services required by mentally ill patients be reimbursed by federal/provincial/territorial health plans to support treatment and recovery.



## Mental health care

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy9209>

Policy Type:	Policy resolution
Last Reviewed:	2015-Feb-28
Date:	2008-Aug-20
Topics:	Population health/ health equity/ public health Health care and patient safety Physician practice/ compensation/ forms Health systems, system funding and performance
Resolution:	The Canadian Medical Association urges Canadian physicians and their organizations to work together to transform patient care for people with mental illnesses through a strategy, including but not limited to: a) fighting the stigma that exists in our own profession and physician organizations; b) advocating for parity of allocation of resources toward the continuum of mental health care and research; c) promoting an evidence-based mental health system anchored on: - strong primary care networks, - community-based care, - team-based and multidisciplinary care in a public system, - adequate social policy supports such as housing and income, and - the involvement of primary care and specialist physicians in the planning processes.





## Aboriginal peoples and mental illness

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy9210>

Policy Type:	Policy resolution
Last Reviewed:	2015-Feb-28
Date:	2008-Aug-20
Topics:	Population health/ health equity/ public health Health systems, system funding and performance Physician practice/ compensation/ forms
Resolution:	The Canadian Medical Association urges Canadian medical schools to include in their curricula material related to the deleterious effect of negative stereotyping of Aboriginal peoples suffering from mental illnesses and substance use disorders.



## Long-term care strategy

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy9216>

Policy Type:	Policy resolution
Last Reviewed:	2015-Feb-28
Date:	2008-Aug-20
Topics:	Health systems, system funding and performance
Resolution:	The Canadian Medical Association, in collaboration with provincial/territorial medical associations, will design and advocate for a long-term care strategy that includes wait times, standardization of optimal care and financing for long-term care facilities.



## Funding for long-term care

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy9218>

Policy Type:	Policy resolution
Last Reviewed:	2015-Feb-28
Date:	2008-Aug-20
Topics:	Health human resources Health systems, system funding and performance
Resolution:	The Canadian Medical Association and provincial/territorial medical associations will work with governments to ensure appropriate funding for long-term care including physician involvement.



## Funding models

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy9220>

Policy Type:	Policy resolution
Last Reviewed:	2015-Feb-28
Date:	2008-Aug-20
Topics:	Health systems, system funding and performance
Resolution:	The Canadian Medical Association will produce a primer on pay-for-performance and patient-focused funding that includes an assessment of major impacts, benefits and risks expected to arise from adoption of these funding models.



## Alternate level of care

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy9222>

Policy Type:	Policy resolution
Last Reviewed:	2015-Feb-28
Date:	2008-Aug-20
Topics:	Health care and patient safety Health systems, system funding and performance
Resolution:	The Canadian Medical Association and provincial/territorial medical associations advocate for a management strategy for patients requiring an alternate level of care that alleviates the pressure on acute care hospital resources.