



Embryonic stem cell research

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Topics: Ethics and medical professionalism
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The Canadian Medical Association remains neutral on the issue of embryonic stem cell research.



Environmental stewardship

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Health human resources
Health systems, system funding and performance
Physician practice/ compensation/ forms
Population health/ health equity/ public health
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The Canadian Medical Association will respond to the challenge for a clean environment (air, water, soil, climate change) by encouraging: a. physicians to become spokespersons for environmental stewardship, including the discussion of these issues when appropriate with patients; b. the medical community to work with health care facilities to adopt and implement policies aimed at reducing or recycling waste in a safe and properly prescribed manner; c. physicians to adopt "green" measures in their practice environments and personal lifestyles; d. medical schools, residency programs and continuing medical education sessions to enhance their provision of educational programs on health and the environment; and e. the development of evidence-based information on health and environment issues.



Evaluation of international medical graduates

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Topics: Health human resources
Ethics and medical professionalism

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The Canadian Medical Association supports a national standardized assessment protocol to evaluate international medical graduates.



Expanded scopes of practice

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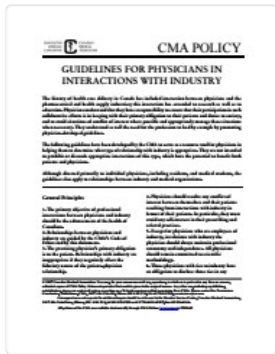
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Health human resources

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The Canadian Medical Association urges national specialty societies, faculties of medicine and educational colleges to develop a nationally coordinated strategy to provide physicians with access to enhanced skills training for expanded scopes of practice.



Guidelines for Physicians in Interactions with Industry

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JOINT STATEMENT ON PREVENTING AND RESOLVING ETHICAL CONFLICTS INVOLVING HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS AND PERSONS RECEIVING CARE

This joint statement was developed and approved by the Board of Directors of the Canadian Medical Association and the Board of Directors of the Canadian Nurses Association.

Purpose
The purpose of this joint statement is to provide a framework for the prevention and resolution of ethical conflicts involving health care providers and persons receiving care. It is intended to guide the development of policies and procedures that promote the highest standards of ethical practice and ensure the best interests of patients and the public.

Principles
The following principles are fundamental to the practice of health care and should guide the actions of all health care providers and persons receiving care:

- 1. The primary duty of health care providers is to the patient.
- 2. Health care providers should act in the best interests of the patient and respect the patient's autonomy, dignity, and privacy.
- 3. Health care providers should be honest and transparent in their interactions with patients and the public.
- 4. Health care providers should be accountable for their actions and decisions.
- 5. Health care providers should work in a collaborative and interdisciplinary manner to provide the best possible care for their patients.
- 6. Health care providers should be committed to ongoing education and professional development.
- 7. Health care providers should be respectful of the rights and interests of all persons receiving care.
- 8. Health care providers should be committed to the promotion of the health and well-being of the community.

Joint statement on preventing and resolving ethical conflicts involving health care providers and persons receiving care

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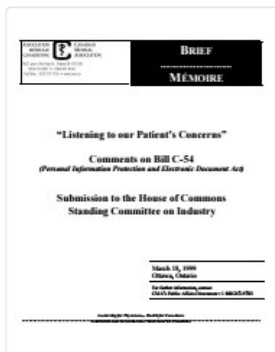
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Listening to our Patient's Concerns : Comments on Bill C 54 (Personal Information Protection and Electronic Document Act) : Submission to the House of Commons Standing Committee on Industry

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Physician advocates

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Topics: Ethics and medical professionalism

Health human resources

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The Canadian Medical Association will develop and advocate strongly for the implementation of policy to safeguard physicians from fear of reprisal and retaliation when speaking out as advocates for their patients and communities.



Physician retention

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Date: 2007-Aug-22

Topics: Ethics and medical professionalism

Health human resources

Physician practice/ compensation/ forms

Resolution: GC07-112

The Canadian Medical Association will examine ways to increase flexibility in a physician's workplace to create a healthy work-life balance and to communicate the importance that such balance plays in physician retention.



Putting Patients First : Comments on Bill C 6 (Personal Information Protection and Electronic Documents Act) : Submission to the Senate Standing Committee on Social Affairs, Science and Technology

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