



Access to medical information

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy9280>

Policy Type: Policy resolution
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Date: 2008-08-20
Topics: Ethics and medical professionalism
Health information and e-health
Resolution: GC08-113

The Canadian Medical Association objects to the current practice of insurers, employers and other third parties requesting and gaining access to unlimited medical information obtained as a result of patients signing forms that grant unrestricted 'consent for release of medical information' when claiming eligibility for disability benefits.



Accreditation Standards for Continuing Medical Education

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

Policy Type: Policy resolution
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Topics: Ethics and medical professionalism
Physician practice/ compensation/ forms
Resolution: BD09-03-32

The CMA commends the rigorous accreditation standards for continuing medical education adopted by the Committee on Accreditation of Continuing Medical Education 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.



Admissions criteria

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy9279>

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Topics: Health human resources
Ethics and medical professionalism

Resolution: GC08-105

The Canadian Medical Association urges Canadian medical schools to revise admissions criteria to require a minimum of two years of post-secondary education.



Adverse events

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy9574>

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Topics: Ethics and medical professionalism
Health care and patient safety

Resolution: GC09-88

The Canadian Medical Association, while recognizing the importance of disclosing adverse events to affected patients in a timely manner, recommends that regional health authorities, institutions and professional associations develop policies to ensure the confidentiality of medical quality assurance deliberation, unless public notification is required to mitigate any possibility of ongoing harm.




Best practices for smartphone and smart-device clinical photo taking and sharing


<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy13860>

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Topics: Health information and e-health
Ethics and medical professionalism

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Canadian physician support trust

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy9575>

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Date: 2009-08-19
Topics: Ethics and medical professionalism
Health human resources
Resolution: GC09-112

The Canadian Medical Association will establish a Canadian physician support trust to provide timely financial and personal support to physicians in need as a national program administered by the provincial/territorial medical associations.



Caring in a Crisis: The Ethical Obligations of Physicians and Society During a Pandemic

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy9109>

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

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Change initiatives in health care

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy9544>

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Date: 2009-08-19

Topics: Ethics and medical professionalism
Health systems, system funding and performance
Health human resources

Resolution: GC09-51

The Canadian Medical Association will incorporate in its Toward a Blueprint for Health Care Transformation: A Framework for Action a call on all levels of governments to ensure that change initiatives in health care be clinically driven from inception to implementation and include appropriate physician representation from practising physicians who are representative of and accountable to their colleagues.



CMA Policy Endorsement Guidelines

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy14021>

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Convention on the Rights of the Child on the Involvement of Children in Armed Conflict

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy10173>

Policy Type: Policy resolution

Last Reviewed: 2018-03-03

Date: 2011-08-24

Topics: Ethics and medical professionalism

Health care and patient safety

Resolution: GC11-64

The Canadian Medical Association calls for federal government adherence to the United Nations' "Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Rights of the Child on the Involvement of Children in Armed Conflict."