



## Impact of health care transformation

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Health human resources  
Health systems, system funding and performance  
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The Canadian Medical Association will work with provincial/territorial medical associations, affiliates and associates to examine the impact of health care transformation on all aspects of physicians' practices, in a diverse range of settings; primary and specialty care, including the relationship between them; undergraduate and postgraduate education and continuing professional development; and health and health care services for patients.



## In-house duty call

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy10523>

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Ethics and medical professionalism  
Physician practice/ compensation/ forms  
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The Canadian Medical Association supports the six recommendations pertaining to in-house duty call as put forward in a Canadian Association of Internes and Residents' position paper, "Canadian Patient and Physician Safety and Wellbeing: Resident Duty Hours."



## Initiatives to reduce wait times

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy1530>

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Topics: Ethics and medical professionalism

Health human resources

Physician practice/ compensation/ forms

Resolution: GC04-15

The Canadian Medical Association, consistent with A Prescription for Sustainability, advocates to reduce wait times through the following initiatives: a) development of pan-Canadian wait time benchmarks based on available evidence; b) a network of regional registries and referral programs for specialized care; c) streamlined referral for investigation and specialty consultations; and d) Canadian Health Access Fund designed to support inter-jurisdictional portability of care.



## Mobility of physicians in Canada

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy9560>

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Health human resources

Health systems, system funding and performance

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The Canadian Medical Association will work with provincial/territorial medical associations and the Federation of Medical Regulatory Authorities of Canada to develop a tracking database to monitor and assess the impact of mutual recognition of professional credentials on the mobility of physicians in Canada.



## Pay for performance and quality measures in family medicine

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy9511>

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Topics: Health human resources

Ethics and medical professionalism

Physician practice/ compensation/ forms

Resolution: GC09-32

The Canadian Medical Association will develop a discussion paper on international experience and research related to pay for performance and quality measures in family medicine.



## Physician advocates

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy8927>

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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 health and well-being

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy1512>

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Topics: Ethics and medical professionalism

Health human resources

Physician practice/ compensation/ forms

Resolution: GC04-48

The Canadian Medical Association supports the educational needs of physician leaders with respect to physician health and well-being through the creation of professional development opportunities and programs.



## Physician retention

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy8926>

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Topics: Ethics and medical professionalism

Health human resources

Physician practice/ compensation/ forms

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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.



## Promotion of physical activity among physicians

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy1525>

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Topics: Ethics and medical professionalism

Health human resources

Population health/ health equity/ public health

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The Canadian Medical Association, in keeping with its vision of a healthy population and national advocacy mission, shall vigorously promote physical activity among physicians for the sake of their own wellness, which in turn enhances their ability to care for others and sets an important example in encouraging patients to be physically active.



## Renewing medical equipment in the healthcare system

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy1531>

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Health human resources

Physician practice/ compensation/ forms

Resolution: GC04-16

The Canadian Medical Association urges federal and provincial/territorial governments to invest heavily in renewing the medical equipment in the healthcare system.