



## All-terrain vehicles

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy719>

Policy Type: Policy resolution  
Last Reviewed: 2014-Mar-01  
Date: 1989-Aug-23  
Topics: Health care and patient safety  
Population health/ health equity/ public health  
Resolution: GC89-46

That the Canadian Medical Association recommend: a) that the federal departments of transport and consumer and corporate affairs enact legislation for the purpose of setting national safety standards for all-terrain vehicles, b) that provincial governments be urged to review and strengthen regulations related to the use of all-terrain vehicles, c) that provincial governments be urged to introduce a specific driver's licence category for all-terrain vehicle drivers; such licence would require demonstrating competence in handling the vehicle.



## Breastfeeding and HIV

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy737>

Policy Type: Policy resolution  
Last Reviewed: 2017-Mar-04  
Date: 1992-Aug-19  
Topics: Population health/ health equity/ public health  
Health care and patient safety  
Resolution: GC92-34

Where safe alternatives exist, breast feeding should be avoided by mothers at high risk for HIV [human immunodeficiency virus] infection and by those known to be infected.



## Cellphones

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy10205>

Policy Type: Policy resolution  
Last Reviewed: 2018-Mar-03  
Date: 2011-Aug-24  
Topics: Population health/ health equity/ public health  
Health care and patient safety  
Resolution: GC11-81  
The Canadian Medical Association will educate and advise the profession and the public on methods of cellphone operation that will minimize radio frequency penetration to the brain.



## Joint Policy Statement: Sexual and Reproductive Health, Rights and Realities and Access to Services for First Nations, Inuit and Métis in Canada

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy10261>

Policy Type: Policy resolution  
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Date: 2011-May-28  
Topics: Ethics and medical professionalism  
Health care and patient safety  
Population health/ health equity/ public health  
Resolution: BD11-05-157  
The Canadian Medical Association (CMA) endorses the Joint Policy Statement: Sexual and Reproductive Health, Rights and Realities and Access to Services for First Nations, Inuit and Métis in Canada as outlined in Appendix A to BD 11-113.



## Mercury emissions

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy10184>

Policy Type: Policy resolution  
Last Reviewed: 2018-Mar-03  
Date: 2011-Aug-24  
Topics: Population health/ health equity/ public health  
Health care and patient safety  
Resolution: GC11-87

The Canadian Medical Association actively advocates for: - reduction in mercury emissions from health care settings by progressively replacing its use, - promotion of health care sector leadership in the global reduction of mercury emissions, - promotion of the adoption of healthy public policies with regard to mercury.



## Pets on airplanes

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy10193>

Policy Type: Policy resolution  
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Date: 2011-Aug-24  
Topics: Population health/ health equity/ public health  
Health care and patient safety  
Resolution: GC11-80

The Canadian Medical Association recommends a ban on all pets, except for certified service animals, travelling inside the aircraft cabin on all Canadian passenger planes.



## Smoking cessation interventions

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy10192>

Policy Type: Policy resolution

Last Reviewed: 2018-Mar-03

Date: 2011-Aug-24

Topics: Population health/ health equity/ public health  
Health care and patient safety

Resolution: GC11-68

The Canadian Medical Association supports development of a national training initiative for health care providers that targets smoking cessation interventions for people with serious mental illness.



## Timely access to hospitalization in Canada

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy10201>

Policy Type: Policy resolution

Last Reviewed: 2018-Mar-03

Date: 2011-Aug-24

Topics: Population health/ health equity/ public health  
Health care and patient safety

Resolution: GC11-91

The Canadian Medical Association supports timely access to hospitalization in Canada for Canadians who have become ill or been injured while travelling outside Canada.