



Addiction

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy9527>

Policy Type: Policy resolution

Last Reviewed: 2016-May-20

Date: 2009-Aug-19

Topics: Health care and patient safety

Population health/ health equity/ public health

Resolution: The Canadian Medical Association recognizes addiction as a chronic, treatable disease and urges that it be included in national and provincial/territorial efforts to improve chronic disease management.



Adverse events

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

Policy Type: Policy resolution

Last Reviewed: 2016-May-20

Date: 2009-Aug-19

Topics: Ethics and medical professionalism

Health care and patient safety

Resolution: 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 to assist patients aged 16 to 24 transitioning from pediatric to adult health services

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy11628>

Policy Type: Policy resolution
Date: 2015-Aug-26
Topics: Health care and patient safety
Population health/ health equity/ public health
Resolution: The Canadian Medical Association supports the development of best practices to assist patients aged 16 to 24 transitioning from pediatric to adult health services.



Breast-feeding mothers

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy1748>

Policy Type: Policy resolution
Last Reviewed: 2013-Mar-02
Date: 1983-Oct-01
Topics: Health care and patient safety
Resolution: Be it resolved that the Canadian Medical Association recommend that breast-feeding mothers consult their physician two weeks post partum especially if they are breast-feeding for the first time; and be it further resolved that the CMA support: a) the provision of a physical environment in maternity units favourable to the initiation and continuation of successful breast-feeding; and b) the adoption of measures to facilitate the continuation of breast-feeding for women working outside the home.



Cardiac pulmonary resuscitation

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy555>

Policy Type: Policy resolution

Last Reviewed: 2017-Mar-04

Date: 1982-Sep-21

Topics: Health care and patient safety

Resolution: That General Council recommend to all physicians that they be competent in basic cardiac pulmonary resuscitation except in instances where age or physical disability prevent this capability.



Community housing for the mentally ill

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy50>

Policy Type: Policy resolution

Last Reviewed: 2016-May-20

Date: 2002-Aug-21

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

Resolution: That Canadian Medical Association call on the federal, provincial and territorial governments to adopt strategies to deal with the current absence of an adequate network of community housing for the chronically mentally ill, including adequate resources, coordination and appropriate supervision of standards.

Documents

GC02-63.pdf

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Complementary and alternative medicine (update 2015)

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy11529>

Policy Type: Policy document

Date: 2015-May-30

Replaces: Complementary and alternative medicine (Update 2008)

Topics: Health care and patient safety
Pharmaceuticals/ prescribing/ cannabis/ marijuana/ drugs

Documents

PD15-09.pdf

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Cradle-to-grave health records for patients living in Canada

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy11653>

Policy Type: Policy resolution

Date: 2015-Aug-26

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

Resolution: The Canadian Medical Association supports the organization, centralization and management of cradle-to-grave health records for patients living in Canada.



Declaration of immunization status

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy11660>

Policy Type:	Policy resolution
Date:	2015-Aug-26
Topics:	Population health/ health equity/ public health Health care and patient safety
Resolution:	The Canadian Medical Association recommends that governments authorize elementary and secondary schools to require a declaration of immunization status, to be followed by a conversation between public health officials and parents where children are shown to be inadequately immunized.



Effects of online gambling

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy11668>

Policy Type:	Policy resolution
Date:	2015-Aug-26
Topics:	Health care and patient safety Population health/ health equity/ public health
Resolution:	The Canadian Medical Association will consult with Health Canada to discuss the effects of online gambling.