



## Access to safe and nutritious food for children in northern communities

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy8877>

Policy Type: Policy resolution  
Last Reviewed: 2014-03-01  
Date: 2007-08-22  
Topics: Population health/ health equity/ public health  
Health care and patient safety  
Resolution: GC07-66

The Canadian Medical Association calls on the federal government to promote access to safe and nutritious food for children in northern communities affected by disruptions in traditional food-acquisition methods and a shift to a more processed low-nutrient diet.



## Air pollution

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy8891>

Policy Type: Policy resolution  
Last Reviewed: 2014-03-01  
Date: 2007-08-22  
Topics: Health care and patient safety  
Population health/ health equity/ public health  
Resolution: GC07-76

The Canadian Medical Association urges the federal government to improve the quality of the air that Canadians breathe by strengthening initiatives to reduce domestic air pollution emissions and advocating strongly for emission reductions in bordering American states.



## Antibiotics used in the raising of farm animals

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy10211>

Policy Type: Policy resolution

Last Reviewed: 2018-03-03

Date: 2011-08-24

Topics: Health care and patient safety

Pharmaceuticals/ prescribing/ cannabis/ marijuana/ drugs

Resolution: GC11-88

The Canadian Medical Association recommends that a prescription from a veterinarian be required for all antibiotics used in the raising of farm animals or for any other agricultural purpose.



## Blood Pressure Canada

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy8922>

Policy Type: Policy resolution

Last Reviewed: 2014-03-01

Date: 2007-08-22

Topics: Population health/ health equity/ public health

Health care and patient safety

Resolution: GC07-108

The Canadian Medical Association calls on the federal government to adopt the recommendations of Hypertension Canada aimed at reducing adult Canadians' sodium intake to between 1200 - 2300 mg per day by Jan. 1, 2020.



## Canadian Disclosure Guidelines: Being Open with Patients and Families

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy10367>

Policy Type: Policy resolution

Last Reviewed: 2018-03-03

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Topics: Health care and patient safety  
Health information and e-health

Resolution: BD12-03-66

The Canadian Medical Association endorses the Canadian Patient Safety Institute's document Canadian Disclosure Guidelines: Being Open with Patients and Families as outlined in Appendix A to BD 12-61.



## Car Seat Restraints for Children – Update 2007

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy9066>

Policy Type: Policy resolution

Last Reviewed: 2020-02-29

Date: 2007-12-01

Replaces: Car Seat Restraints for Children (2001)

Topics: Health care and patient safety

Resolution: BD08-03-29

The Canadian Medical Association recommends that children with a weight between 18 and 36 kg (40-80 lbs) and a height of less than 145 cm (4 feet 9 inches) (at approximately eight years old), be required to be fastened in a properly secured booster seat in the back seat when passengers in motor vehicles.



## Cellphones

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

Policy Type: Policy resolution

Last Reviewed: 2018-03-03

Date: 2011-08-24

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.



## Climate change and the health of Aboriginal populations

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy8897>

Policy Type: Policy resolution

Last Reviewed: 2014-03-01

Date: 2007-08-22

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

Resolution: GC07-82

The Canadian Medical Association urges the federal government to put into place measures to mitigate the impact of climate change on the health of Aboriginal populations in remote northern regions as traditional subsistence practices are disrupted due to adverse changes in water resources, fisheries, forests, wildlife and ecosystems.



## CMA letter to the House of Commons Standing Committee on Justice and Human Rights. Bill C-32 (An Act to amend the Criminal Code (Impaired driving) and to make consequential amendments to other Acts)

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy8789>

Policy Type: Parliamentary submission

Last Reviewed: 2019-03-03

Date: 2007-06-11

Topics: Health care and patient safety

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## Compulsory use of helmets

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy10175>

Policy Type: Policy resolution

Last Reviewed: 2018-03-03

Date: 2011-08-24

Topics: Health care and patient safety

Resolution: GC11-66

The Canadian Medical Association supports the compulsory use of helmets by people of all ages when riding all-terrain vehicles and snowmobiles.