



Statement on radiation protection

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy799>

Policy Type:	Policy resolution
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Topics:	Population health/ health equity/ public health
Resolution:	GC82-34

That the Canadian Medical Association endorse the "Statement on Radiation Protection" as its policy on exposure to low levels of ionizing radiation. Statement on Radiation Protection The Canadian Medical Association is aware of the potential health hazards associated with exposure to ionizing radiation and has examined the possibility that detrimental effects might result from the long term exposure of the general population to low-level radiation as a result of nuclear energy production. The Association is satisfied that, where internationally recommended criteria for radiological protection have been adopted and effectively implemented, there is at present no conclusive evidence of a measurable increase, in the long or short term, of adverse effects due specifically to radiation in populations thus exposed. The Association recognizes the need for ongoing support of research related to the health aspects of nuclear power generation, and to the management of radioactive wastes in general, the management of wastes from uranium mines in particular; and the need for the epidemiological surveillance of exposed populations. The Association also recognizes the need to develop and enforce appropriate standards and regulations where indicated.



Legal drinking age

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy800>

Policy Type:	Policy resolution
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Topics:	Population health/ health equity/ public health
Resolution:	GC84-34

That the Canadian Medical Association recommend, through its provincial divisions, that the legal age for the purchase and public possession of alcoholic beverages be raised to 21.



Replacement services for physicians in rural and remote areas

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy562>

Policy Type: Policy resolution
Last Reviewed: 2017-Mar-04
Date: 1986-Aug-12
Topics: Population health/ health equity/ public health
Resolution: GC86-86

That physicians be encouraged to provide replacement services in their area of expertise to rural and remote areas, as part of their pattern of practice.



Health care is a provincial responsibility

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy498>

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Topics: Population health/ health equity/ public health
Resolution: BD87-03-82

That the Canadian Medical Association develop and adopt policies, lobby the Government of Canada and at the federal/provincial/territorial government interface, and encourage its provincial/territorial divisions to lobby provincial/territorial governments to realize recognition that all health care matters are an explicit provincial/territorial prerogative and responsibility (as recognized in the Constitution).



Part time and shared postgraduate residency training programs

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy539>

Policy Type: Policy resolution
Last Reviewed: 2017-Mar-04
Date: 1986-Dec-13
Topics: Population health/ health equity/ public health
Resolution: BD87-03-73

That the Canadian Medical Association support the practice of developing part time and shared postgraduate residency training programs.



Industry support for university research programs

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy515>

Policy Type: Policy resolution
Last Reviewed: 2020-Feb-29
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Topics: Population health/ health equity/ public health
Resolution: BD90-05-215

That the Canadian Medical Association encourage industries to make significant commitments to basic research programs in Canadian universities.



Code of environmental health

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy731>

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Topics: Population health/ health equity/ public health
Resolution: BD90-05-177

That the Canadian Medical Association develop a code of environmental health that would serve as a benchmark to judge all Canadian Medical Association activities, both internal and external.



Heart disease and cardiopulmonary resuscitation skills

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy723>

Policy Type: Policy resolution
Last Reviewed: 2020-Feb-29
Date: 1990-Aug-23
Topics: Population health/ health equity/ public health
Resolution: GC90-101

That the Canadian Medical Association and its members support and encourage public education programs that promote healthy lifestyles, the recognition of warning symptoms and signs of heart disease, and the acquisition of manual cardiopulmonary resuscitation skills, recognizing that these skills are most effective when combined with a pre-hospital advanced life support system.



Quality Daily Physical Education Program

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy725>

Policy Type: Policy resolution
Last Reviewed: 2020-Feb-29
Date: 1990-Aug-23
Topics: Population health/ health equity/ public health
Resolution: GC90-122

That the Canadian Medical Association support the Quality Daily Physical Education Program as defined by the Canadian Association for Health, Physical Education and Recreation.



Aboriginal health care

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy809>

Policy Type: Policy resolution

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Date: 1990-Aug-23

Topics: Health systems, system funding and performance
Population health/ health equity/ public health

Resolution: GC90-93

That the Canadian Medical Association encourage physicians to expand contacts with their local aboriginal communities, on both a community and professional level, in order to address aboriginal health care issues.