



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

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

Policy Type: Policy resolution

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

Resolution: GC15-73

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



## Data on maternal morbidity and mortality and infant births and deaths

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy8505>

Policy Type: Policy resolution

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Date: 2006-Aug-23

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

Resolution: GC06-13

The Canadian Medical Association and its divisions and affiliates will call on governments to ensure that the data collected on maternal morbidity and mortality and infant births and deaths are comparable across Canada.



## Environmental factors and health

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy8934>

Policy Type: Policy resolution

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Topics: Health systems, system funding and performance

Health human resources

Population health/ health equity/ public health

Resolution: GC07-70

The Canadian Medical Association will enhance its work on the issues related to health and the environment by: a. highlighting the work of physicians who participate actively in national and international activities associated with improving the environment; b. advocating for programs to prevent or reduce the human and environmental health impact from global climate change and environmental degradation; c. lobbying policy decision-makers to incorporate concerns for human health into current environmental research and all public policy initiatives and; d. strengthening its relationships with appropriate environmental health agencies, such as Environment Canada and the National Roundtable on the Environment and the Economy.



## Environmental stewardship

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy8936>

Policy Type: Policy resolution

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Topics: Ethics and medical professionalism

Health human resources

Health systems, system funding and performance

Physician practice/ compensation/ forms

Population health/ health equity/ public health

Resolution: GC07-74

The Canadian Medical Association will respond to the challenge for a clean environment (air, water, soil, climate change) by encouraging: a. physicians to become spokespersons for environmental stewardship, including the discussion of these issues when appropriate with patients; b. the medical community to work with health care facilities to adopt and implement policies aimed at reducing or recycling waste in a safe and properly prescribed manner; c. physicians to adopt "green" measures in their practice environments and personal lifestyles; d. medical schools, residency programs and continuing medical education sessions to enhance their provision of educational programs on health and the environment; and e. the development of evidence-based information on health and environment issues.



## Guidelines and standards for the use of telemonitoring technology

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy11606>

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Topics: Population health/ health equity/ public health

Health information and e-health

Resolution: GC15-26

The Canadian Medical Association supports the development of guidelines and standards for the use of telemonitoring technology.



## Medical Laboratory Assistants

<https://policybase.cma.ca/en/permalink/policy8987>

Policy Type: Policy resolution

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Date: 2007-May-29

Topics: Population health/ health equity/ public health  
Health human resources

Resolution: BD07-06-204

The Canadian Medical Association (CMA) approves the inclusion of medical laboratory assistant as a CMA-designated health science profession in the conjoint accreditation process.



## Promotion of physical activity among physicians

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

Policy Type: Policy resolution

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Date: 2004-Aug-18

Topics: Ethics and medical professionalism  
Health human resources  
Population health/ health equity/ public health

Resolution: GC04-52

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.