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CMA Submission to the Standing Committee on Human Resources, Skills and Social Development and the Status of Persons with Disabilities’ study of Bill C-3, An Act to amend the Criminal Code and the Canada Labour Code

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Committee Appearance –
Justice and Human Rights:
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Code Regarding Medical
Assistance in Dying

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

Documents
Emergency federal measures to care for and protect Canadians during the COVID-19 pandemic

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Standing Committee on Health’s study on violence faced by healthcare workers

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Health care and patient safety
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Documents
Putting Patients First: Comments on Bill C 6 (Personal Information Protection and Electronic Documents Act): Submission to the Senate Standing Committee on Social Affairs, Science and Technology

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Executive Summary

The Canadian Medical Association (CMA) welcomes the opportunity to present its comments on Bill C 6, the Personal Information Protection and Electronic Documents Act (PIPEDA). The CMA recognizes the importance of protecting personal information and the need to ensure that personal information is handled in a responsible manner. The CMA is committed to ensuring that its members and patients uphold the highest ethical standards in the handling of personal information.

Key Points

1. The CMA supports the principles of the PIPEDA and believes that they are necessary to protect personal information and to ensure that it is handled in a responsible manner.
2. The CMA is concerned that the broad definition of "personal information" in the act could lead to overbroad interpretations and could potentially impact the medical profession.
3. The CMA is also concerned that the act could potentially impact the confidentiality of patient information, particularly in the context of medical records.

Recommendations

The CMA recommends that the Senate Standing Committee on Social Affairs, Science and Technology consider the following recommendations:

- The definition of "personal information" should be clarified to ensure that it does not impact the confidentiality of patient information.
- The act should include measures to protect patient confidentiality, particularly in the context of medical records.
- The act should include measures to ensure that personal information is handled in a responsible manner.

The CMA looks forward to working with the Senate Standing Committee on Social Affairs, Science and Technology to ensure that the PIPEDA is implemented in a way that protects personal information and upholds the highest ethical standards in the medical profession.
“Listening to our Patient’s Concerns”

Comments on Bill C-54
(Personal Information Protection and Electronic Document Act)

Submission to the House of Commons Standing Committee on Industry

March 18, 1999

CMA Policybase - Canadian Medical Association
Statement to the Canadian panel on violence against women Ottawa -
September, 1992
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Documents
Joint Submission to the Subcommittee on Sport-Related Concussions in Canada House of Commons Standing Committee on Health
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TOPICS              Health care and patient safety

Documents
CMA’s Recommendations for Bill S-5 An Act to amend the Tobacco Act and the Non-smokers’ Health Act and to make consequential amendments to other Acts

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Health care and patient safety

Documents
CMA's Recommendations for Bill S-5: An Act to amend the Tobacco Act and the Non-smokers’ Health Act and to make consequential amendments to other Acts
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Health care and patient safety
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Documents
Statement to the House of Commons Committee on Health addressing the opioid crisis in Canada
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TOPICS  Pharmaceuticals, prescribing, cannabis, drugs
Population health, health equity, public health
Health care and patient safety

Documents
Canadian Medical Association Submission to the House of Commons Study on E-Cigarettes
https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy11437

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TOPICS: Health care and patient safety
        Population health, health equity, public health

Documents
Canadian Medical Association Submission to Health Canada’s Notice of proposed order to amend the schedule to the Tobacco Act
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TOPICS
Health care and patient safety
Population health, health equity, public health

Documents

Reminder of the oral evidence hearing
Canadian Medical Association submission to Health Canada’s Notice of proposed order to amend the schedule to the Tobacco Act

November 10, 2014

Canadian Medical Association
Canadian Medical Association submission to the Standing Senate Committee on Banking, Trade and Commerce: Higher rate now: Why excise tax on tobacco is long overdue for an increase
https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy11129

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TOPICS            Health care and patient safety
Pharmaceuticals, prescribing, cannabis, drugs

Documents
Improving Accountability in Canada's Health Care System: The Canadian Medical Association's Presentation to the Senate Standing Committee on Social Affairs, Science and Technology

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

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