Study on Bill S-209, An Act respecting Pandemic Observance Day
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Appearance before the Senate Standing Committee on Social Affairs, Science and Technology

Study on Bill S-209, An Act respecting Pandemic Observance Day

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Canadian Medical Association
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: Bill C-7 – Amending the Criminal Code Regarding Medical Assistance in Dying
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CMA Pre-budget Submission
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2020-08-07

TOPICS
Physician practice, compensation, forms
Health information and e-health
Health care and patient safety
Health systems, system funding and performance

Documents
Responding to the COVID-19 pandemic: Federal measures to recognize the significant contributions of Canada’s front-line health care workers

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

CMA recommendations for EMERGENCY FEDERAL MEASURES TO CARE FOR AND PROTECT CANADIANS DURING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC

Submitted to the Minister of Finance
March 16, 2020

5c Emergency federal measures to care for and protect Canadians during the COVID-19 pandemic

We, the Standing Committee on Health, recommend the following: Emergency federal measures to care for and protect Canadians during the COVID-19 pandemic:

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   b. Enhance research and development efforts to produce effective vaccines and treatments for COVID-19.
   c. Provide financial support to help health care providers and organizations adapt to new safety protocols and equipment needs.

2. To support the health care system, the federal government should:
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   b. Provide resources to strengthen emergency preparedness and response capacity.

3. To protect the health and safety of Canadians, the federal government should:
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      i. mandating the use of masks in public spaces
      ii. increasing access to testing

4. To ensure the safety and well-being of Canadians, the federal government should:
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   b. Ensure adequate funding for mental health services and support programs.

5. To address the economic impact of COVID-19, the federal government should:
   a. Implement targeted support measures for small businesses and industries affected by the pandemic.
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CMA Policybase - Canadian Medical Association
Standing Committee on Health’s study on violence faced by healthcare workers

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TOPICS
Health care and patient safety
Ethics and medical professionalism
Health human resources
Physician practice, compensation, forms

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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Health information and e-health

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

Nov. 22, 1999

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“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

[Official Transcript]

For the House of Commons, Parliament of Canada,

A. Introduction

The Canadian Medical Association (CMA) is pleased to present its comments on Bill C-54, the Personal Information Protection and Electronic Document Act. The CMA believes that this legislation is a significant step forward in protecting the privacy of health information and ensuring the safe and effective use of electronic health records.

The CMA supports the principles of the Bill and believes that it is necessary to protect the personal information of patients and to ensure that electronic health records are used in a manner that respects the privacy of patients.

B. Key Issues

1. Scope of the Bill

The CMA believes that the Bill should include a clear definition of the scope of the Bill, including the types of personal information that are protected and the types of transactions that are covered.

2. Consent

The CMA believes that the Bill should include provisions that ensure that patients are informed and give their consent before their personal information is used for purposes other than the provision of health care.

3. Security

The CMA believes that the Bill should include provisions that ensure the security of electronic health records and that protect against unauthorized access, use, or disclosure of personal information.

4. Access

The CMA believes that the Bill should include provisions that allow patients to access their personal information and to request corrections or updates to their information.

C. Conclusion

The CMA believes that Bill C-54 is a significant step forward in protecting the privacy of health information and ensuring the safe and effective use of electronic health records. The CMA recommends that the Bill be passed as soon as possible.

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Statement to the Canadian panel on violence against women Ottawa – September, 1992

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                      Ethics and medical professionalism

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Ottawa – September, 1992
Joint Submission to the Subcommittee on Sport-Related Concussions in Canada House of Commons Standing Committee on Health

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2019-01-29

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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Pharmaceuticals, prescribing, cannabis, drugs
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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2017-04-07

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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
Canadian Medical Association Submission to the House of Commons Study on E-Cigarettes

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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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POLICY TYPE: Parliamentary submission
DATE: 2014-11-10
TOPICS: Health care and patient safety, Population health, health equity, public health

Documents

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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

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2014-05-15

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

https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy10230

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2011-10-19

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

Documents