CMA Recommendations on Canada’s First National Adaptation Strategy: Addressing the health impacts of climate change
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Documents
Appearance before the Standing Committee on Indigenous and Northern Affairs (INAN): Administration and accessibility of Indigenous Peoples to the Non-Insured Benefits Program
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Population health, health equity, public health
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Documents

Appearance before the Standing Committee on Indigenous and Northern Affairs (INAN): Administration and accessibility of Indigenous Peoples to the Non-Insured Benefits Program

Dr. Alka Lal, J. K.
President, Canadian Medical Association
May 4, 2022
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Canadian Medical Association input in advance of the World Health Assembly Special Session
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Ethics and medical professionalism

Documents
New Criminal Code offence to protect health workers from threats and violence, including online
https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14463

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Population health, health equity, public health
Ethics and medical professionalism

Documents
Appearance before the House of Commons Standing Committee on Finance
Bill C-30: The Budget Implementation Act, 2021
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2021-05-20

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Population health, health equity, public health

Documents
Appearance before the House of Commons Standing Committee on Health:
Study on the Emergency Situation Facing Canadians in Light of the COVID-19 Pandemic

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Documents

Appearance before the House of Commons Standing Committee on Health
Study on the Emergency Situation Facing Canadians in Light of the COVID-19 Pandemic

Dr. L. Ann Gallant
President of the Canadian Medical Association

April 23, 2021

(Check, sign and deliver copy)

CMA Policybase - Canadian Medical Association
CMA support for Health Canada’s proposed nicotine limits in vaping products, response to the consultation on the Concentration of Nicotine in Vaping Products Regulations

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POLICY TYPE  Parliamentary submission
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TOPICS  Population health, health equity, public health

Documents
Recommendations for Canada’s long-term recovery plan - open letter
https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14262

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Parliamentary submission

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2020-08-27

TOPICS
Population health, health equity, public health
Health systems, system funding and performance

Documents
Improving Long-term Care for People in Canada
https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14246

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Parliamentary submission

DATE
2020-06-01

TOPICS
Population health, health equity, public health

Documents
2020 pre-budget submission to the House of Commons Standing Committee on Finance

https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14131

POLICY TYPE: Parliamentary submission
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TOPICS: Population health, health equity, public health

Documents
Climate governance in Quebec: For a better integration of the impact of climate change on health and the health care system
https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14130

POLICY TYPE
Parliamentary submission

DATE
2020-02-05

TOPICS
Population health, health equity, public health

Documents
Senior care and prevention – For a healthier Quebec: Pre-budget submission for the 2020–2021 Quebec government budget

https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14212

POLICY TYPE  Parliamentary submission
DATE  2020-01-15
TOPICS  Population health, health equity, public health

Documents
Acting on today's and tomorrow's health care needs: Prebudget submission to the House of Commons Standing Committee on Finance
https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14123

POLICY TYPE  Parliamentary submission
DATE  2019-08-02
TOPICS  Health systems, system funding and performance
Population health, health equity, public health

Documents
February 13, 2007

Mr. Lucien Héry, MP
Chair, Legislative Committee on Bill C-30
Parliament Buildings
14th Floor, Room A-208
Ottawa, Ontario

Dear Mr. Héry,

The Canadian Medical Association (CMA) is pleased to participate in the review of Bill C-30, "The Clean Air Act (Bill C-30)." The CMA, for the first time, currently recommends federal action to address climate change. Climate change will have a profound impact on public health, as evidenced by the recent report of the Canadian Academy of Health Sciences on the health impacts of climate change in Canada. Climate change will exacerbate existing health inequalities and result in higher levels of morbidity and mortality, especially amongst vulnerable populations.

The Environment and a Key Determinant of Health

The physical environment is the determinant of a population’s health and the medical profession has a duty to act to ensure a healthy environment for all Canadians. A healthy environment is the key to ensuring the health of all Canadians, especially vulnerable populations, and to reducing health inequalities.

A study by the Federal government estimated that 1.23 million deaths occur in Canada each year, 25% of which are due to chronic illnesses linked to the environment. These illnesses include asthma, cancer, cardiovascular disease, and respiratory conditions. The study also estimated that the costs to the Canadian economy of these illnesses was $40 billion per year, which is equivalent to 3.5% of the Canadian gross national product.

The environment and human health are inseparable. The CMA believes that all governments and political parties should commit to urgent and significant action now, to implement key recommendations of the recent report of the Royal Commission on Environmental Pollution on Health and the Environment.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

[Name]
Canadian Medical Association
Meeting the demographic challenge: Investments in seniors care
https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy13924

POLICY TYPE
Parliamentary submission

DATE
2018-08-03

TOPICS
Population health, health equity, public health

Documents
Advancing Inclusion and quality of life for seniors
https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy13729

POLICY TYPE  Parliamentary submission
DATE  2017-10-26
TOPICS  Population health, health equity, public health
Health systems, system funding and performance

Documents
Social equity and increasing productivity

https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy13725

POLICY TYPE
Parliamentary submission

DATE
2017-09-21

TOPICS
Population health, health equity, public health
Health systems, system funding and performance

Documents
CMA’s Support for Bill S-228: An Act to amend the Food and Drugs Act (prohibiting food and beverage marketing directed at children)
https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy13645

POLICY TYPE  Parliamentary submission
DATE  2017-06-14
TOPICS  Population health, health equity, public health

Documents

CMA Submission: CMA’s Support for Bill S-228: An Act to amend the Food and Drugs Act prohibiting food and beverage marketing directed at children

Submission to the Senate Standing Committee on Social Affairs, Science and Technology

June 14, 2017