Principles for the protection of patient privacy
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Charter of Shared Values:
A vision for intra-professionalism for physicians

What is it?
The Charter of Shared Values is a set of guiding principles for physicians in Canada that reflects the values, beliefs, and professional responsibilities expected of all physicians. It is a framework for promoting excellence in patient care, ensuring the highest standards of medical practice, and fostering a culture of mutual respect and support among physicians.

Why does it matter?
The Charter of Shared Values is essential for maintaining the integrity of the profession and ensuring the best possible care for patients. It helps to foster a culture of professionalism, leadership, and collaboration among physicians, which is critical for providing high-quality care in today's complex healthcare environment.

Commitments to each other:
A list of important principles:

- Respect: Treating all physicians with dignity and courtesy, and recognizing the unique contributions of each physician.
- Civilty: Maintaining a professional and respectful manner in all interactions with other physicians.
- Integrity: Upholding the highest ethical standards and maintaining the confidentiality of patient information.
- Reciprocity: Supporting the professional growth and development of colleagues and maintaining mutual respect and support within the profession.

Physician health
PHYSICIAN HEALTH

RATIONALE

The well-being of health care providers is an integral component of the health care system. The provision of safe, effective and compassionate care depends on the health, well-being and professionalism of health care providers.

The Canadian Medical Association (CMA) has traditionally been involved in the policy development and implementation of policies and programs that support the health and well-being of health care providers.

This policy provides an overview of the CMA's position on the health and well-being of health care providers.

BACKGROUND TO CMA POLICY

PHYSICIAN HEALTH

RATIONALE

1. The state of medical and physician health

Physicians can become anxious, depressed, burnout, and distracted from their work. Some signs of burnout include irritability, decreased motivation, decreased productivity, and decreased ability to concentrate. These may lead to increased rates of suicide, and decreased ability to provide quality care to patients.

2. The state of medical and physician health

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Documents
Direct-to-consumer genetic testing
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Documents
Medical assistance in dying
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EUTHANASIA AND ASSISTED DEATH (UPDATE 2014)

TOPICS
Ethics and medical professionalism

Documents
Federal Monitoring and Reporting Regime for MAID
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Documents
The future of medicine

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Health systems, system funding and performance
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