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Dr. Alaka Lafortune
President-Elect of the Canadian Medical Association
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Dr. Everett Lightburn
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Recommendations for federal action to address Canada’s health care crisis
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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

Dr. Elgie Irwin
President of the Canadian Medical Association

February 04, 2022

The Honourable Senator
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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Preventive Health in the Context of the World Health Assembly Special Session

The Canadian Medical Association (CMA) welcomes the opportunity to submit this policy brief in advance of the 75th World Health Assembly. This session, held on May 16-19, 2022, in Geneva, Switzerland, is an opportunity to discuss global health issues and priorities for action. The CMA is a leader in promoting evidence-based policies that address health and social determinants of health, with a focus on enhancing access to health care for all populations.

The CMA supports the implementation of strategies that address the social determinants of health. This includes advocating for policies that address income inequality, education, employment, and access to quality health care. The CMA also supports the development of strong primary health care systems, which are essential for achieving universal health coverage.

The CMA encourages policymakers to consider the following priorities:

1. Addressing health inequities: Health equity is a fundamental principle of public health. Policymakers should ensure that health care is accessible to all, regardless of socioeconomic status.
2. Promoting healthy lifestyles: Policies that promote healthy lifestyles, such as active living and healthy eating, can improve population health.
3. Strengthening public health infrastructure: Adequate funding for public health infrastructure is essential for addressing health challenges.
4. Addressing climate change: Policies that address climate change are essential for improving health outcomes and reducing health disparities.

The CMA looks forward to continuing to work with policymakers to ensure that the voices of Canadian physicians are heard and that evidence-based policies are developed to improve health outcomes.

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New Criminal Code offence to protect health workers from threats and violence, including online
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Canada’s doctors and nurses urgently calling for federal measures to address Canada’s health workforce crisis
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Global vaccine equity
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Return to school during COVID-19

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