Appearance before the House of Commons Standing Committee on Health

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Ethics and medical professionalism

Documents

Appearance before the House of Commons Standing Committee on Health

Dr. Katherine Smart
President of the Canadian Medical Association

May 9, 2022

Thank you for inviting me here today.
Health Human Resource Policy Recommendations: Summary. Briefing to the
House of Commons Standing Committee on Health
https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14473

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Ethics and medical professionalism

Documents
Appearance before the Standing Committee on Human Resources, Skills and Social Development and the Status of Persons with Disabilities
https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14472

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TOPICS: Health human resources
        Health systems, system funding and performance

Documents

Appearance before the
Standing Committee on Human
Resources, Skills and Social
Development and the Status of
Persons with Disabilities

Dr. Kathleen Sturk
President of the Canadian Medical Association
March 28, 2022

Canadian Medical Association
Federal Policy Options to Advance Pan-Canadian Licensure
https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14471

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TOPICS
- Health systems, system funding and performance
- Health human resources
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Improving health care by reducing interprovincial and interterritorial barriers
February 22, 2022

(CMA submission)

Federal Policy Options to Advance Pan-Canadian Licensure
Study on Canada’s Health Workforce
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Health systems, system funding and performance
Health human resources
Ethics and medical professionalism

Documents

Appearance before the House
of Commons Standing
Committee on Health:

Study on Canada’s Health
Workforce

Dr. Timothy J. Shovin
President of the Canadian Medical Association

February 15, 2022

CMA Policybase - Canadian Medical Association
Recommendations for federal action to address Canada’s health care crisis
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Health systems, system funding and performance
Health human resources
Ethics and medical professionalism

Documents
Study on Bill S-209, An Act respecting Pandemic Observance Day
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TOPICS  Health care and patient safety
Ethics and medical professionalism

Documents

Appearance before the Senate Standing Committee on Social Affairs, Science and Technology

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

Dr. J. F. [Name]
President of the Canadian Medical Association

February 09, 2022

[Signature]
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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Health care and patient safety
Ethics and medical professionalism
Vaccine acceptance
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Policy document

2021-08-21

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

Documents
Return to school during COVID-19
https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14452

POLICY TYPE
Policy document

DATE
2021-08-21

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

Documents
Interchangeability of vaccines (vaccine mixing)

https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14453

POLICY TYPE
Policy document

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2021-08-21

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

Documents

Interchangeability of vaccines (vaccine mixing)

Policy position/Recommendation:
1. The CMA supports the recommendations issued by the World Health Organization on interchangeability of SARS-CoV-2 vaccines in order to maximize the number of people protected against COVID-19 in Canada.
2. The CMA supports the Canadian government in reviewing an agreement with other countries and the WHO to share records of doses and batch numbers of COVID-19 vaccines that would facilitate the efficient and effective distribution of vaccines, while maintaining the integrity of the safety and efficacy data.

Interchangeability of vaccines:
- For vaccine manufacturers, this means making sure vaccines are made in the same way, using the same ingredients and following the same manufacturing process.
- For public health, this means being able to use different vaccines interchangeably, depending on what is available.

Interchangeability and individual health care needs:
- Patients with specific health conditions may require a specific vaccine.
-health care providers should be informed of the interchangeability of vaccines.

Interchangeability and supply chain:
- The Canadian government should ensure a robust supply chain for COVID-19 vaccines.

Interchangeability and batch numbers:
- Both vaccine manufacturers and public health agencies should ensure that batch numbers are tracked and traceable.

Interchangeability and population health:
- The CMA supports the use of interchangeability to maximize the number of people protected against COVID-19 in Canada.

Interchangeability and data sharing:
- The CMA supports the sharing of data between countries to ensure that the same vaccine can be used interchangeably.

Interchangeability and patient consent:
- Patients should be informed of the interchangeability of vaccines and given the option to choose.

Interchangeability and quality control:
- The CMA supports the use of interchangeability to ensure the quality and safety of vaccines.

Interchangeability and regulatory approval:
- The CMA supports the use of interchangeability to ensure that all vaccines meet the same regulatory standards.

Interchangeability and ethical considerations:
- The CMA supports the use of interchangeability to maximize the number of people protected against COVID-19 in Canada.

Interchangeability and accountability:
- The CMA supports the use of interchangeability to ensure accountability and transparency in the use of vaccines.

Interchangeability and public health:
- The CMA supports the use of interchangeability to maximize the number of people protected against COVID-19 in Canada.
CMA 2022 Pre-Budget Submission
https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14445

POLICY TYPE
Parliamentary submission

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TOPICS
Health systems, system funding and performance

Documents

CMA submission

CMA 2022 Pre-Budget Submission

Submission to the House of Commons Standing Committee on Finance

August 5, 2021

The Canadian Medical Association advocates for individuals, communities, and populations to live healthy lives.
Firearms Control (Update 2021)
https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14401

POLICY TYPE Policy document
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REPLACES Firearms control (Update 2001)
TOPICS Population health, health equity, public health
Health care and patient safety

Documents
CMA Letter – Bill C-30 Implementation

https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14442

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TOPICS	Health systems, system funding and performance

Documents
National Approach to Licensure
https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14438

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Parliamentary submission

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2021-05-26

TOPICS
Health systems, system funding and performance

Documents
Consensus statement on networks for high-quality rural anesthesia, surgery, and obstetric care in Canada
https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14477

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2021-05-17

TOPICS  
Health systems, system funding and performance
Health human resources
Learning from the pandemic – Transforming and improving Quebec’s health care system
https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14388

POLICY TYPE          Parliamentary submission
DATE                2021-01-21
TOPICS              Health systems, system funding and performance

Documents
Closing the Gaps: Advancing Emergency Preparedness, Response and Recovery for Older Adults
https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14384

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2020-12-15

TOPICS  
Population health, health equity, public health
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Documents
National Standards for Long-Term Care: The art of the possible?
https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14383

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

Documents
The Canadian Interdisciplinary Palliative Care Competency Framework
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TOPICS  Health care and patient safety
         Population health, health equity, public health

Documents

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