CMA Recommendations on Vaccine Equity and Intellectual Property
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Ethics and medical professionalism
Pharmaceuticals, prescribing, cannabis, drugs
Population health, health equity, public health

Documents
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
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Documents
Vaccine acceptance
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TOPICS
Health care and patient safety
Population health, health equity, public health

Documents
Return to school during COVID-19

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

Documents

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Interchangeability of vaccines (vaccine mixing)
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Interchangeability of vaccines (vaccine mixing)

Policy position recommendation

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2. The CMA encourages the government to support research and development of vaccines to improve the interchangeability of vaccines, including the mixing of different vaccines and different manufacturers' vaccines.

3. The CMA recommends that the government support vaccination programs that allow for the interchangeability of vaccines, including the mixing of different vaccines and different manufacturers' vaccines.

4. The CMA encourages the government to support the development of vaccines that can be mixed and matched to better meet the needs of the population.

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Policy endorsement

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TOPICS
Pharmaceuticals, prescribing, cannabis, drugs
Population health, health equity, public health

Documents
The Canadian Interdisciplinary Palliative Care Competency Framework
https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14439

POLICY TYPE  Policy endorsement
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TOPICS  Health care and patient safety
         Population health, health equity, public health

Documents
Committee Appearance – Justice and Human Rights: Bill C-7 – Amending the Criminal Code Regarding Medical Assistance in Dying
https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14374

POLICY TYPE: Parliamentary submission
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TOPICS: Health care and patient safety

Documents

Committee Appearance – Justice and Human Rights: Bill C-7 – Amending the Criminal Code Regarding Medical Assistance in Dying
November 5, 2020
Taking action on drug shortages during Covid-19 – open letter
https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14261

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TOPICS        Pharmaceuticals, prescribing, cannabis, drugs

Documents
Responding to the COVID-19 pandemic: Federal measures to recognize the

CMA Policybase - Canadian Medical Association
Responding to the COVID-19 pandemic: Federal measures to recognize the significant contributions of Canada’s front-line health care workers

https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14211

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TOPICS
Health care and patient safety

Documents

Responding to the COVID-19 pandemic:
Federal measures to recognize the significant contributions of Canada’s front-line health care workers
Framework for Ethical Decision Making During the Coronavirus Pandemic

https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14133

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Health care and patient safety

Documents
Emergency federal measures to care for and protect Canadians during the COVID-19 pandemic
https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14132

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Documents
Authorizing Cannabis for Medical Purposes

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Authorizing Cannabis for Medical Purposes

The legalization of cannabis for recreational purposes occurs in the context of the evidence base. The Canadian Medical Association (CMA) and the Canadian Academy of Family Physicians (CAFP) have been working together on the development of a policy on cannabis. The CMA recently published a position paper on the relationship between cannabis and health care. The CMA and the CAFP have developed a position statement on the use of cannabis for medical purposes.

The position paper describes the evidence base on the use of cannabis for medical purposes. It highlights the potential benefits of cannabis use for pain relief, nausea, and other conditions. It also acknowledges the challenges associated with the use of cannabis for medical purposes, such as the risk of dependence and the potential for misuse.

The position paper recommends that health care providers consider the evidence base when making decisions about the use of cannabis for medical purposes. It also recommends that health care providers offer education and support to patients who use cannabis for medical purposes.

The position paper concludes that the evidence base on the use of cannabis for medical purposes is evolving. It highlights the importance of ongoing research and the need for continued monitoring of the impact of cannabis use for medical purposes.
Appropriateness in health care

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Documents
Health Canada consultation on proposed vaping products promotion regulations
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**Documents**
Organ and tissue donation and transplantation

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ORGAN AND TISSUE DONATION AND TRANSPLANTATION

For the 2019-12-07 edition, see below for changes and updates.

BACKGROUND TO CMA POLICY

See the 2019-12-07 edition for changes and updates.