CMA Recommendations on Vaccine Equity and Intellectual Property

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Documents
Study on Bill S-209, An Act respecting Pandemic Observance Day
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Appearance before the Senate
Standing Committee on Social
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Study on Bill S-209, An Act
respecting Pandemic
Observance Day

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CMA Policybase - Canadian Medical Association
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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Vaccine acceptance
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TOPICS
Health care and patient safety
Population health, health equity, public health

Documents

Vaccine acceptance

Federal position recommendation

1. High-risk groups anemic areas or vulnerable communities should be prioritized for vaccination campaigns. Public health programs need robust and effective systems to monitor vaccine and address any gaps in implementation.

2. Employing approaches that align with equity-based strategies for vaccine distribution can enhance vaccine equity, particularly in rural and remote areas. Strategies should consider factors such as accessibility, cultural sensitivity, and the provision of culturally appropriate support.

3. Addressing vaccine hesitancy through community outreach and education campaigns is essential. These initiatives should target communities with lower vaccine acceptance rates to increase awareness and encourage uptake.

4. Regularly assessing vaccine uptake and monitoring coverage rates can help identify areas with lower than expected vaccination rates. This information can be used to tailor outreach efforts and improve overall vaccination rates.
Return to school during COVID-19

https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14452

Policy document

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

Documents

Interchangeability of vaccines (vaccine mixing)

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Interchangeability of vaccines (vaccine mixing)
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TOPICS
Health care and patient safety
Population health, health equity, public health

Documents

Interchangeability of vaccines (vaccine mixing)

Policy position/recommendation

1. The Canadian Academy of Health Sciences recommends
that, based on the best available evidence, systems of healthcare providers
should be prepared for and should plan for the potential interchangeability
of vaccines, including the potential for combinations of COVID-19 vaccines,
and for the potential need to reintroduce vaccines that are no longer
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Firearms Control (Update 2021)
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Health care and patient safety

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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

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              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
DATE  2020-11-05
TOPICS  Health care and patient safety

Documents
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
CMA Pre-budget Submission

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TOPICS
Physician practice, compensation, forms
Health information and e-health
Health care and patient safety
Health systems, system funding and performance

Documents
CMA Statement on Racism

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TOPICS  Ethics and medical professionalism
Health care and patient safety

Documents

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CMA Statement on Racism

The Canadian Medical Association (CMA) is the national, bististical voice of the medical profession in Canada. The CMA represents the interests of physicians and medical students across Canada. The CMA is dedicated to improving the health of Canadians and the Canadian health care system. The CMA is committed to providing high-quality, accessible, and affordable health care to all Canadians.

CMA Statement on Racism

The CMA statements on racism reflect the values and principles of the Canadian Medical Association and its members. The statements outline the CMA's position on the importance of addressing racism in the health care system and society.

To: President
From: [Your Name]
Subject: CMA Statement on Racism

Dear President,

I want to express my support for the CMA Statement on Racism. As a physician, I believe that it is important to address racism in the health care system and society. The CMA Statement on Racism outlines the CMA's commitment to providing high-quality, accessible, and affordable health care to all Canadians.

Sincerely,
[Your Name]
Responding to the COVID-19 pandemic: Federal measures to recognize the significant contributions of Canada’s front-line health care workers

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Framework for Ethical Decision Making During the Coronavirus Pandemic

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

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TOPICS  Ethics and medical professionalism
         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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Authorizing Cannabis for Medical Purposes

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Appropriateness in health care

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TOPICS  Health care and patient safety

Documents
Health Canada consultation on proposed vaping products promotion regulations
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POLICY TYPE: Response to consultation
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TOPICS: Health care and patient safety
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Documents
Organ and tissue donation and transplantation
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Documents