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Policy Recommendations

1. The CMA encourages the endorsement and implementation of the World Health Organization’s guidance on interchangeability of SARS-CoV-2 vaccines, based on the best available evidence and recommendations.

2. The CMA welcomes the dismantling of barriers to ensure equal access to COVID-19 vaccines among members of vulnerable populations.

3. The CMA endorses the convocation of a national leadership forum to address the ongoing pandemic and to ensure a coordinated and national approach to vaccine deployment.

Introductory Committee on Immunization (ACCI)

1. The Committee on Immunization (ACI) endorses the World Health Organization’s guidance on the interchangeability of SARS-CoV-2 vaccines.

2. The Committee on Immunization (ACI) recommends the implementation of a national vaccine registry to track the distribution and administration of COVID-19 vaccines.

3. The Committee on Immunization (ACI) emphasizes the importance of public education and awareness campaigns to address misinformation and vaccine hesitancy.

4. The Committee on Immunization (ACI) encourages the prioritization of vulnerable populations, including the elderly and those with underlying health conditions, in the vaccine distribution strategy.

5. The Committee on Immunization (ACI) recommends the establishment of a national task force to address the ongoing pandemic and to ensure a coordinated and national approach to vaccine deployment.

6. The Committee on Immunization (ACI) endorses the convocation of a national leadership forum to address the ongoing pandemic and to ensure a coordinated and national approach to vaccine deployment.

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