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Health human resources
Population health, health equity, public health

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CMA Recommendations on Vaccine Equity and Intellectual Property

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Pharmaceuticals, prescribing, cannabis, drugs
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Documents
Appearance before the Standing Committee on Human Resources, Skills and Social Development and the Status of Persons with Disabilities

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Health human resources
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Dr. Katherine Smart
President of the Canadian Medical Association
March 28, 2022

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Improving health care by reducing interprovincial and interterritorial barriers
February 22, 2022
Study on Canada’s Health Workforce
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Study on Canada’s Health Workforce

Dr. Keith J. Stewart
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Documents
Mandatory COVID-19 vaccination of health care workers

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TOPICS  Health human resources
Population health, health equity, public health

Documents

Policy Brief: CSAM-SMCA in Support of the Decriminalization of Drug Use and
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Policy Brief: CSAM-SMCA in Support of the Decriminalization of Drug Use and Possession for Personal Use
https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14443

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

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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TOPICS  Health systems, system funding and performance
Health human resources
Taking action on drug shortages during Covid-19 – open letter
https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14261

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DATE  2020-08-13
TOPICS  Pharmaceuticals, prescribing, cannabis, drugs

Documents
Protecting and supporting Canada’s health-care providers during COVID-19
https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14260

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TOPICS
Physician practice, compensation, forms
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Documents
Flexibility in Medical Training (Update 2009)

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Flexibility in Medical Training
(Update 2009)

The Canadian Medical Association (CMA) has long been a leader in examining and advocating for medical training in Canada. The purpose of this policy is to ensure that medical education is available in a timely manner, and that medical training programs are developed and maintained to meet the needs of patients, physicians, and society. The CMA recommends that medical training programs be developed with the following considerations:

1. Flexibility: Medical training programs should be flexible and allow for varying levels of training based on the needs of the individual and the community. Medical training programs should be designed to meet the needs of a diverse range of students, including those from underrepresented groups.

2. Accessibility: Medical training programs should be accessible to all qualified applicants, and efforts should be made to increase the participation of underrepresented groups.

3. Quality: Medical training programs should be of the highest quality and be based on the latest research and best practices in medical education.

4. Accountability: Medical training programs should be accountable to the public, and reports on program outcomes should be made available.

In conclusion, the CMA supports the development and implementation of flexible and accessible medical training programs that meet the needs of patients, physicians, and society.

Definitions
- Flexibility: The ability of a medical training program to adapt to the needs of individual students and the community.
- Accessibility: The ease with which a medical training program is available to all qualified applicants.
- Quality: The level of excellence and innovation in a medical training program.
- Accountability: The responsibility of a medical training program to report on its outcomes and performance.

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Authorizing Cannabis for Medical Purposes

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Documents
Health Canada consultation on reducing youth access and appeal of vaping products
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Population health, health equity, public health

Documents
Standing Committee on Health’s study on violence faced by healthcare workers
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Health care and patient safety
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Documents
Scopes of practice
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