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Health information and e-health

Documents
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2021-06-25

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Health information and e-health

Documents
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Population health, health equity, public health
Health information and e-health

Documents
CMA Pre-budget Submission
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2020-08-07

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

Documents
Guiding principles for the optimal use of data analytics by physicians at the point of care
https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy11812

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Health information and e-health

Documents
Report of the Virtual Care Task Force
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Health information and e-health

Documents
Listening to our Patient’s Concerns: Comments on Bill C-54 (Personal Information Protection and Electronic Document Act): Submission to the House of Commons Standing Committee on Industry

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Health care and patient safety
Health information and e-health
Ethics and medical professionalism

Documents

“Listening to our Patient’s Concerns”

Comments on Bill C-54
(Personal Information Protection and Electronic Document Act)

Submission to the House of Commons
Standing Committee on Industry

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Dr. John M. O’Hearn
Chairman, Standing Committee on Industry

Canadian Medical Association

The Canadian Medical Association (CMA) advocates on behalf of physicians and their patients for the highest standards of medical care, ethical medical practice, and the health of Canadians. The CMA is a voluntary association of physicians that serves as the national voice of the profession. The CMA promotes the health of Canadians and serves as a national leader in the development and implementation of health policy. The CMA is committed to ensuring that health care is accessible, affordable, and of high quality for all Canadians.

The CMA strongly supports the principles of the Personal Information Protection and Electronic Documents Act (PIPEDA) and the associated Privacy Act. The CMA is concerned about the potential impact of the legislation on the privacy of health information, and the ability of health care providers to access and use such information in their clinical practice.

The CMA believes that the legislation should be reviewed to ensure that it does not interfere with the ability of health care providers to access and use health information in a manner consistent with the principles of confidentiality and patient autonomy. The CMA also supports the development of appropriate safeguards to protect the privacy of health information.

The CMA recommends that the legislation be reviewed to ensure that it does not interfere with the ability of health care providers to access and use health information in a manner consistent with the principles of confidentiality and patient autonomy. The CMA also supports the development of appropriate safeguards to protect the privacy of health information.

The CMA encourages the government to work with the medical profession to develop and implement the necessary safeguards to protect the privacy of health information, while ensuring that health care providers have the ability to access and use such information in their clinical practice.
Review of the Personal Information Protection and Electronic Documents Act (PIPEDA) : CMA’s Presentation to the House of Commons Standing Committee on Access to Information, Privacy and Ethics – December 13, 2006
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Health care and patient safety
Health information and e-health
Ethics and medical professionalism

Documents
Guiding Principles for Physician Electronic Medical Records (EMR) Adoption in Ambulatory Clinical Practice
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Health information and e-health

Documents
Vision for e-Prescribing: a joint statement by the Canadian Medical Association and the Canadian Pharmacists Association

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Health information and e-health
Pharmaceuticals, prescribing, cannabis, drugs

Documents
Best practices for smartphone and smart-device clinical photo taking and sharing
https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy13860

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2018-03-03

TOPICS
Health information and e-health
Ethics and medical professionalism

Documents
Principles for the protection of patient privacy

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PD11-03 Principles for the Protection of Patients' Personal Health Information

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Health information and e-health
Ethics and medical professionalism
Guiding principles for physicians recommending mobile health applications to patients
https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy11521

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2015-05-30

TOPICS
Health information and e-health
Physician practice, compensation, forms

Documents
Amendments to PIPEDA, Bill S-4
https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy11194

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2014-06-09

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Health information and e-health
Ethics and medical professionalism

Documents