CMA Recommendations on Canada’s First National Adaptation Strategy: Addressing the health impacts of climate change
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Population health, health equity, public health
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Documents
CMA Recommendations on Vaccine Equity and Intellectual Property

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Ethics and medical professionalism
Pharmaceuticals, prescribing, cannabis, drugs
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Documents
Appearance before the Standing Committee on Indigenous and Northern Affairs (INAN): Administration and accessibility of Indigenous Peoples to the Non-Insured Benefits Program

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Canadian Medical Association input in advance of the World Health Assembly Special Session
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Ethics and medical professionalism

Documents

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New Criminal Code offence to protect health workers from threats and violence, including online
https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14463

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TOPICS
Population health, health equity, public health
Ethics and medical professionalism

Documents
São Paulo Declaration on Planetary Health

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Documents
Vaccine certificates
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TOPICS
Population health, health equity, public health
Ethics and medical professionalism

Documents
Mandatory COVID-19 vaccination of health care workers

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Mandatory COVID-19 vaccination of health care workers

Policy document

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Health human resources
Population health, health equity, public health

Mandatory COVID-19 vaccination of health care workers

Policy position recommendation:

1. All health care workers should be fully vaccinated for COVID-19 in accordance with their mandates and responsibilities. Their families, communities, and health care settings are more protected when everyone is vaccinated.

2. Health care workers in long-term care (LTC) settings and acute care settings should be fully vaccinated, except in jurisdictions where regional or provincial leadership has determined that regional or provincial mandates apply. This is in accordance with the principles of population health, health equity, public health, and protecting the most vulnerable communities. LTC and acute care health care workers are the closest and most intimate contacts with patients and are at higher risk for exposure to COVID-19.

3. The policy note is in line with the recommendations of the Institute of Medicine and the World Health Organization (WHO), which states that all health care workers should be fully vaccinated for COVID-19. This is in accordance with the principles of population health, health equity, public health, and protecting the most vulnerable communities.

4. The policy is consistent with the recommendations of the Canadian Medical Association (CMA) and other professional organizations, which state that all health care workers should be fully vaccinated for COVID-19. This is in accordance with the principles of population health, health equity, public health, and protecting the most vulnerable communities.

5. The policy is in line with the recommendations of the Canadian Society for Immunology and Microbiology (CSIM), which states that all health care workers should be fully vaccinated for COVID-19. This is in accordance with the principles of population health, health equity, public health, and protecting the most vulnerable communities.
Vaccine acceptance

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

Documents
Global vaccine equity

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2021-08-21

TOPICS
Ethics and medical professionalism
Population health, health equity, public health

Global vaccine equity

Policy recommendation:
1. Limited country-by-country equitable access to vaccines.
   The CMA recommends that equitable availability of vaccines should be a public health and ethical priority. International action is necessary to ensure equitable access to vaccines.

2. Global vaccine production capacity and distribution should be increased to meet the needs of both high-income and low-income countries.

Background:
- Limited distribution of vaccines led to significant long-term economic, social, and health consequences.
- Countries with high vaccination rates experienced fewer deaths and economic losses.

In conclusion, equitable access to vaccines is crucial for global health equity.
Return to school during COVID-19

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Policy document

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

Documents
Interchangeability of vaccines (vaccine mixing)

Policy position recommendations

1. The Canadian Medical Association (CMA) recommends that provinces and territories develop and implement policies that ensure the interchangeability of vaccines, including interchangeability of dosing schedules, in order to maximize vaccination coverage and to ensure the most efficient use of vaccine quantities.

2. The CMA recommends that health care providers use interchangeability of vaccines for the purpose of improving vaccination coverage and to ensure the most efficient use of vaccine quantities.

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Firearms Control (Update 2021)
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2021-07-15

REPLACES
Firearms control (Update 2001)

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

Documents
Policy Brief: CSAM-SMCA in Support of the Decriminalization of Drug Use and Possession for Personal Use

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2021-06-24

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

Documents
The Future of Care for Canada's Older Adults

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TOPICS  Population health, health equity, public health

Documents
Appearance before the House of Commons Standing Committee on Finance
Bill C-30: The Budget Implementation Act, 2021
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Parliamentary submission

DATE
2021-05-20

TOPICS
Population health, health equity, public health

Documents
Enhancing equitable access to virtual care in Canada: Principle-based recommendations for equity

https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14447

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2021-04-30

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

Documents
Recommendations for equitable COVID-19 pandemic recovery in Canada

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2021-04-30

TOPICS
Population health, health equity, public health
Appearance before the House of Commons Standing Committee on Health: Study on the Emergency Situation Facing Canadians in Light of the COVID-19 Pandemic

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Documents

Appearance before the House of Commons Standing Committee on Health
Study on the Emergency Situation Facing Canadians in Light of the COVID-19 Pandemic

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