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BACKGROUND TO CMA POLICY

As the primary health-care provider, a physician is in a unique position to set the standards of ethical behavior for the health-care system. Physicians have an obligation to practice within the boundaries of professional ethics and the medical specialty they practice. They must maintain the highest level of competence in their medical knowledge and skills. Physicians are expected to be role models for ethical behavior in the workplace and in the community. They must also be aware of their own health and well-being, and must practice self-care to prevent burnout and other health problems. Physicians have a duty to their patients, their colleagues, and the public to maintain their health and well-being.

1. The role of the physician in maintaining health: Physicians have a responsibility to maintain their own health in order to provide the best possible care for their patients. This involves understanding the impact of stress and burnout on their health and well-being, and taking steps to prevent these conditions. Physicians must also be aware of the potential for substance misuse and addiction, and must seek help if they are struggling with these issues.

2. The role of the physician in promoting health: Physicians have a role in promoting health and well-being in the community. This includes advocating for policies that support healthy living and preventing illness, and working to reduce health disparities among vulnerable populations.
Standing Committee on Health’s study on violence faced by healthcare workers

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