

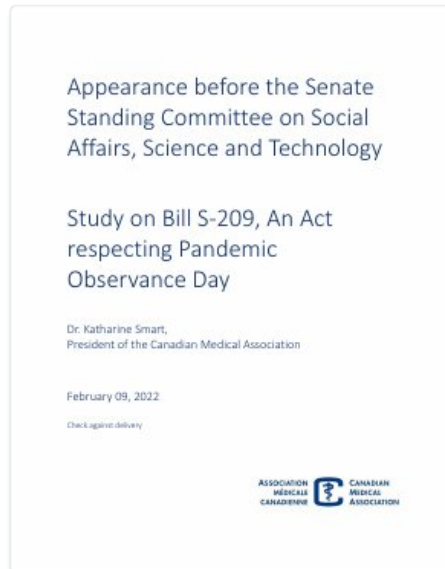
# Study on Bill S-209, An Act respecting Pandemic Observance Day

<https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14467>

POLICY TYPE	Parliamentary submission
DATE	2022-02-09
TOPICS	Health care and patient safety Ethics and medical professionalism

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# CMA Submission to the Standing Committee on Human Resources, Skills and Social Development and the Status of Persons with Disabilities' study of Bill C-3, An Act to amend the Criminal Code and the Canada Labour Code

<https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14464>

POLICY TYPE Parliamentary submission  
DATE 2021-12-15  
TOPICS Health care and patient safety  
Ethics and medical professionalism

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# Disclosure of COVID-19 Vaccination Status by Physicians

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POLICY TYPE	Policy document
DATE	2021-10-22
TOPICS	Physician practice, compensation, forms

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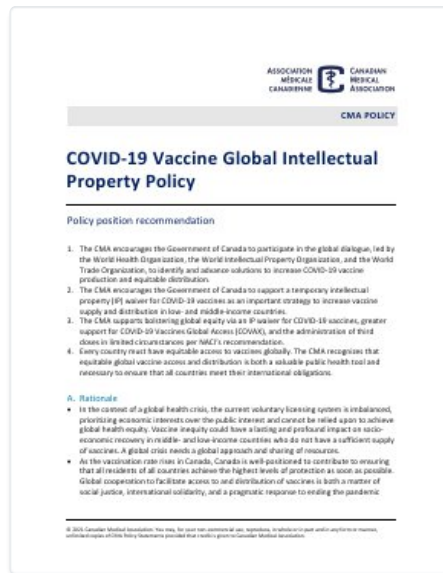
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# COVID-19 Vaccine Global Intellectual Property Policy

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TOPICS	Physician practice, compensation, forms

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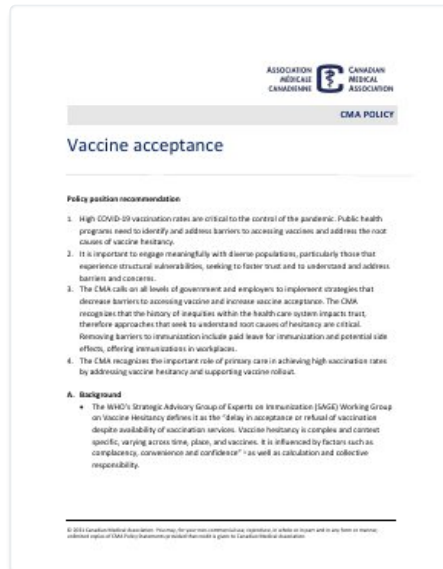


# Vaccine acceptance

<https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14450>

POLICY TYPE	Policy document
DATE	2021-08-21
TOPICS	Health care and patient safety Population health, health equity, public health

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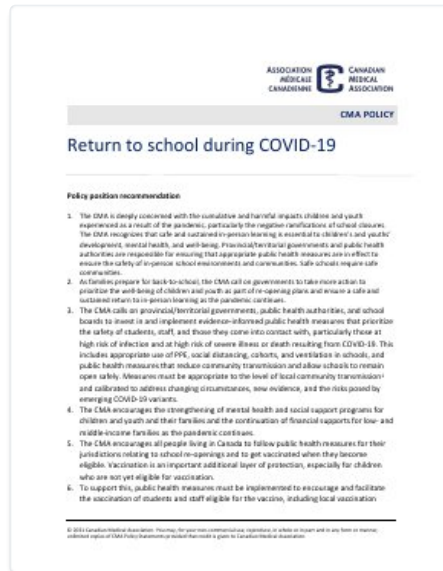


# Return to school during COVID-19

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

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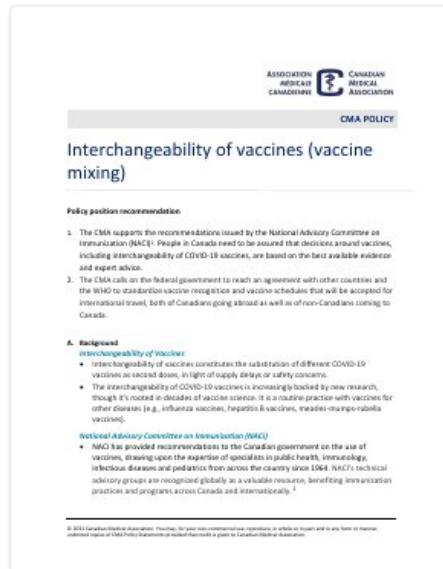


# Interchangeability of vaccines (vaccine mixing)

<https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14453>

POLICY TYPE	Policy document
DATE	2021-08-21
TOPICS	Health care and patient safety Population health, health equity, public health

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# Firearms Control (Update 2021)

<https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14401>

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DATE	2021-07-15
REPLACES	Firearms control (Update 2001)
TOPICS	Population health, health equity, public health Health care and patient safety

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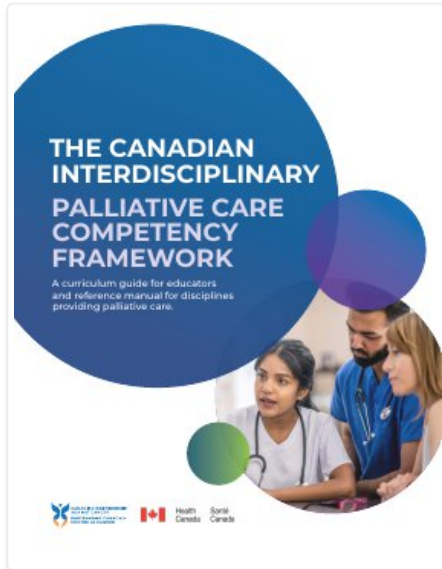
# The Canadian Interdisciplinary Palliative Care Competency Framework

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POLICY TYPE	Policy endorsement
DATE	2020-12-05
TOPICS	Health care and patient safety Population health, health equity, public health

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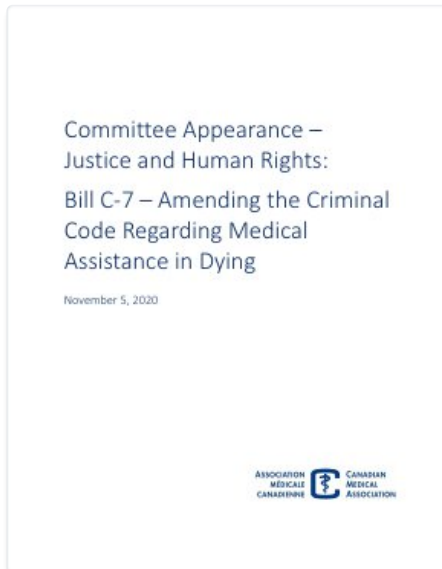
# Committee Appearance – Justice and Human Rights: Bill C-7 – Amending the Criminal Code Regarding Medical Assistance in Dying

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POLICY TYPE	Parliamentary submission
DATE	2020-11-05
TOPICS	Health care and patient safety

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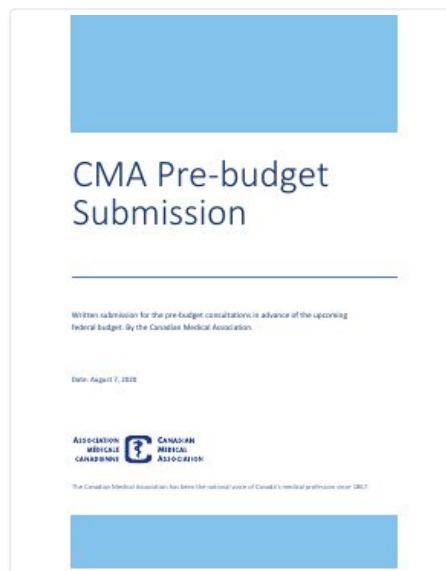


# CMA Pre-budget Submission

<https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14259>

POLICY TYPE	Parliamentary submission
DATE	2020-08-07
TOPICS	Physician practice, compensation, forms Health information and e-health Health care and patient safety Health systems, system funding and performance

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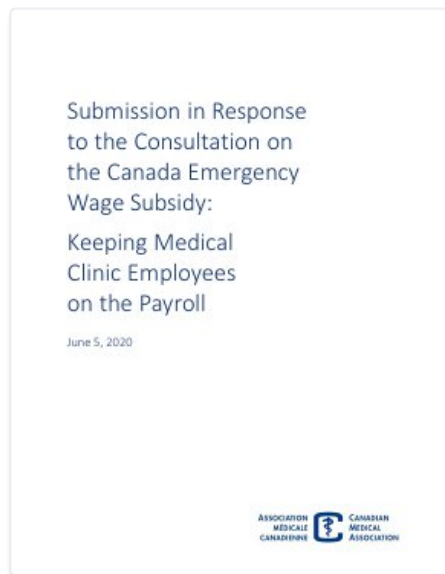
# Submission in Response to the Consultation on the Canada Emergency Wage Subsidy: Keeping Medical Clinic Employees on the Payroll

<https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14258>

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DATE	2020-06-05
TOPICS	Physician practice, compensation, forms Health systems, system funding and performance

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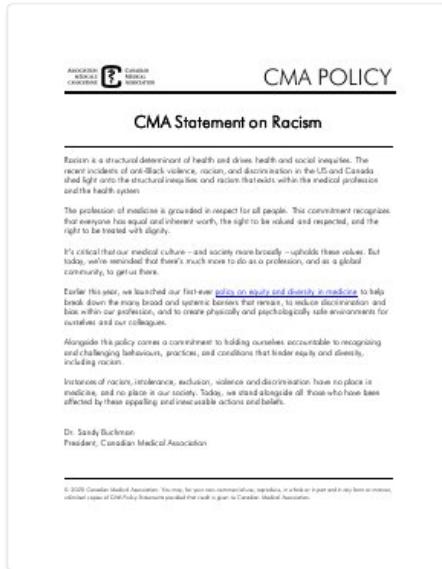
# CMA Statement on Racism

<https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14245>

POLICY TYPE	Policy document
DATE	2020-06-02
TOPICS	Ethics and medical professionalism Health care and patient safety

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# Federal measures to recognize the significant contributions of Canada's front-line health care workers during the COVID-19 pandemic

<https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14247>

POLICY TYPE Parliamentary submission  
DATE 2020-06-02  
TOPICS Physician practice, compensation, forms

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June 2, 2020

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**Re: Federal measures to recognize the significant contributions of Canada's front-line health care workers during the COVID-19 pandemic.**

Dear Ministers Morneau and Haddo:

On behalf of the Canadian Medical Association (CMA) and HEAL's member organizations, representing 450,000 health care workers in Canada, we are writing to you with recommendations for new federal measures to support the financial hardship and risks posed to front-line health care workers (FLHCW) during the COVID-19 pandemic.

To begin, we strongly support the measures the federal government has taken to date to mitigate the health and economic impacts of COVID-19. However, given the unique circumstances that FLHCWs face, additional measures are required to acknowledge their role, the risks being posed to themselves and their families, and the financial burden they have taken on through it. All FLHCWs face numerous challenges trying to carry out their life-saving work during these incredibly difficult times and they deserve to be recognized for their significant contributions.

In such, we are recommending that the federal government implement the following new measures for all FLHCWs:

- An income tax deduction for FLHCWs put at risk during the COVID-19 pandemic, in recognition of their heroic efforts.** All FLHCWs providing in-person patient care during the pandemic would be eligible for this new designated amount against their income earned. This would be included as the deduction provided to members of the Canadian Armed Forces serving in warlike and high-risk regions.
- A new legislation to support the families of FLHCWs who die in the course of responding to the COVID-19 pandemic or who die as a result of an occupational illness or psychological impairment related to the work.** The grant would also apply to cases in which the death of a FLHCW's family member is attributable to the FLHCW's work in responding to the pandemic. We are recommending that access to the Bereavement Grant program, via similar means, be granted to FLHCWs and their family members.
- A temporary emergency accommodation for deduction for FLHCWs who incur additional accommodation costs as well as a home renovation credit in recognition of the need for FLHCWs to adhere to social distancing to prevent the spread of COVID-19 to their family members.** We are recommending that FLHCWs receiving income while working in a health care facility or public health unit or in a capacity related thereto (e.g. paramedic or personal care) be eligible for the deduction and credit.

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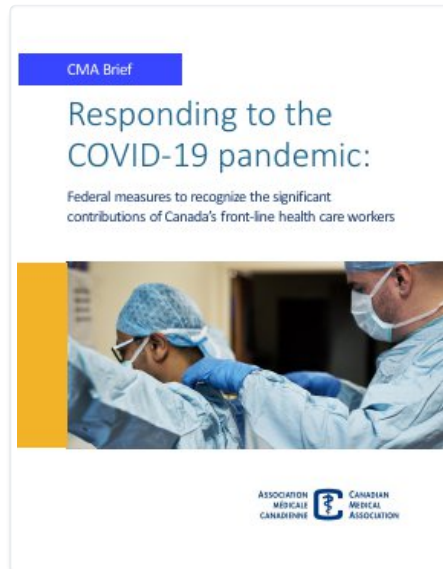
# Responding to the COVID-19 pandemic: Federal measures to recognize the significant contributions of Canada's front-line health care workers

<https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14211>

POLICY TYPE	Parliamentary submission
DATE	2020-05-28
TOPICS	Health care and patient safety

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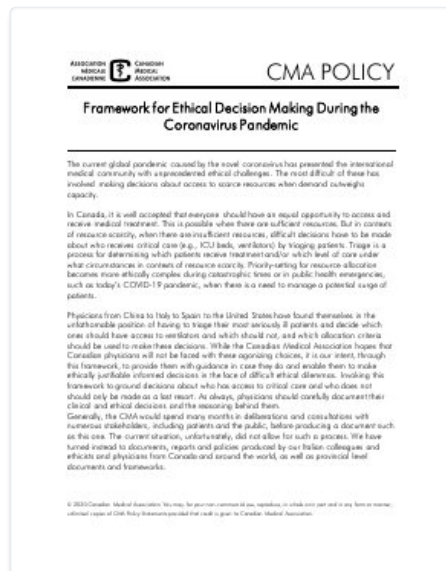


# Framework for Ethical Decision Making During the Coronavirus Pandemic

<https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14133>

POLICY TYPE	Policy document
DATE	2020-04-01
TOPICS	Ethics and medical professionalism Health care and patient safety

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# Protecting and supporting Canada's health-care providers during COVID-19

<https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14260>

POLICY TYPE Parliamentary submission  
DATE 2020-03-23  
TOPICS Physician practice, compensation, forms  
Health systems, system funding and performance  
Health human resources

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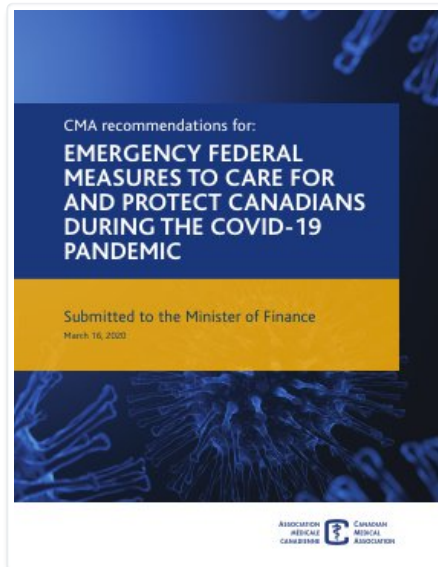


# Emergency federal measures to care for and protect Canadians during the COVID-19 pandemic

<https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy14132>

POLICY TYPE Parliamentary submission  
DATE 2020-03-16  
TOPICS Health care and patient safety

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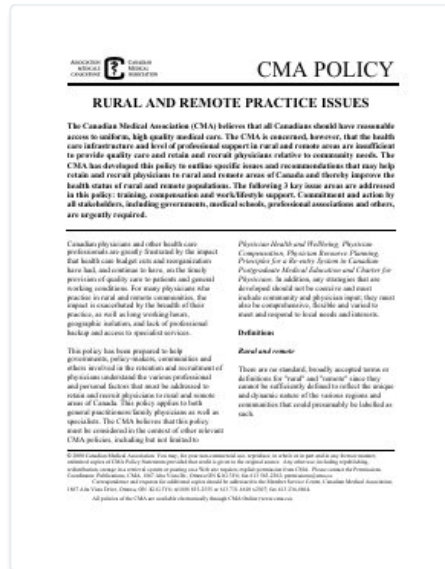


# Rural and remote practice issues

<https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy211>

POLICY TYPE	Policy document
LAST REVIEWED	2020-02-29
DATE	2000-05-09
REPLACES	Promoting medicine as a career for rural high school students (Resolution BD88-03-78)
TOPICS	Physician practice, compensation, forms

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# The treating physician's role in helping patients return to work after an illness or injury (Update 2013)

<https://policybase.cma.ca/link/policy10754>

POLICY TYPE	Policy document
LAST REVIEWED	2020-02-29
DATE	2013-05-25
REPLACES	The physician's role in helping patients return to work after an illness or injury (Update 2010)
TOPICS	Physician practice, compensation, forms

## Documents

