Health Services in Canada: National Coordination & Funding Mechanisms

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PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT
HEALTH SERVICES

- Hospital services
- Physician services
- Public health services
  - health inspections
  - childhood vaccinations
  - disease control
  - health promotion
  - public health nursing
  - children’s screening programs
PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT
HEALTH SERVICES

- mental health & addiction services
- specialized rehabilitation services
  - speech & language pathology services
  - physical & occupational therapy services
- home care services
- residential long-term care services
- prescription drug services
- ambulance services
PRINCIPLES OF THE CANADA HEALTH ACT

- Universality
- Comprehensiveness
- Portability
- Accessibility
- Public administration
Processes

- Conferences of national/provincial/territorial health ministers
- Conferences of national/provincial/territorial deputy ministers of health
- National/provincial/territorial standing policy advisory committees
- Periodic meetings of senior national/provincial/territorial program managers
INTERGOVERNMENTAL COORDINATION MECHANISMS

Organizations

- Health Council of Canada
- Canadian Blood Services
- Canadian Institute for Health Information
- Canadian Centre on Health Technology Assessment
- Canadian Institutes of Health Research