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Aim

To assist the “doers” of economic evaluations (ie, analysts) to produce credible and standardized economic information that is relevant and useful to decision makers in Canada’s publicly funded healthcare system.

Conclusions and results

The guidelines give standards for the conduct and reporting of high-quality economic evaluations that can be reviewed and compared by decision makers. Each section of the economic guidelines addresses a specific topic on the conduct or reporting of economic evaluations. A high-quality economic evaluation should provide decision makers with information that is useful, relevant, and timely. In addition, evaluations should be based on rigorous analytical methods, be balanced and impartial (credible), and be transparent and accessible to the reader.

Recommendations

These guidelines provide recommendations for preparing credible and standardized economic information that is relevant and useful to decision makers in Canada’s publicly funded healthcare system.

Methods

Not applicable.

Further research/reviews required

Not applicable.