

A Trusted Partner

Strengthening medication safety through timely learning, sharing, and acting to improve health care.

ISMP Canada is a national, independent, not-for-profit organization that purposefully partners with organizations, practitioners, consumers, and caregivers to advance medication safety in all healthcare settings.



ZERO Preventable Harm From Medications
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The Next Five Years 2022 - 2026



Purposeful Partnerships

Coordinate and take meaningful action on medication safety priorities.

- Collaborate and effect change with strategic partners, including establishing a joint partner action table.
- Establish and grow an information-sharing network with consumers, providers, and others.
- Implement targeted and innovative collaborative strategies for sustainable and successful growth.

Focus & Impact

Leveraging our strengths to drive improvement in health care in priority areas.

- Inform and spread medication safety improvements in the Long-Term Care sector.
- Continue to collaborate with First Nations, Inuit, and Métis communities to advance medication safety.
- Grow medication safety supports for those receiving care in the community, including at transitions in care.

Data Driven

Expanding our ability to turn data into actionable insights.

- Review and update our reporting and learning databases for incident reporting.
- Modernize our approach to data extraction and analysis.
- Grow and expand the National Incident Data Repository for Community Pharmacies (NIDR), a component of the Canadian Medication Incident Reporting and Prevention System (CMIRPS).

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