Motion to Adopt Policy Position "CFMS Task Force for National Seniors' Strategy in

**Medical Education"** 

Whereas educating all future physicians to be competent in providing care to the geriatric

population is essential to meet the growing needs of the Canadian population.

Whereas seniors' populations should be able to access appropriate health care services within

health care facilities, as well as receive adequate support in navigating through these services.

Whereas communication should be improved between physicians and caregivers to improve car,

as well as raise awareness for caregiver burden.

Whereas advocacy should be encouraged for further caregiver support, community-based care,

and creation of age-friendly spaces.

Whereas medical students should be offered adequate opportunity to learn and be assessed in

managing crucial aspects of geriatric medicine.

Be it resolved that the CFMS adopt the position paper "CFMS Task Force for National

Seniors' Strategy in Medical Education" and in doing so, make public their opinion and

defending the position when the opportunity arises.

Financial cost (estimate) \$0

Level of effort of volunteers/staff 0h

Moved by: TBA

Seconded by: TBA