

# **Canadian Medical Association Code of Ethics 2004**

## **Relevant Clauses**

38. Ensure that any research in which you participate is evaluated both scientifically and ethically and is approved by a research ethics board that meets current standards of practice.

40. Before proceeding with the study, obtain the informed consent of the subject, or proxy, and advise prospective subjects that they have the right to decline or withdraw from the study at any time, without prejudice to their ongoing care.

Source: Canadian Medical Association (2004). Code of Ethics. Available from [http://www.cma.ca/index.cfm/ci\\_id/53556/la\\_id/1.htm](http://www.cma.ca/index.cfm/ci_id/53556/la_id/1.htm)

# **Canadian Nursing Association Code of Ethics 2008**

## **Relevant Clauses**

### **Appendix B; Context of the Code**

#### **Challenges within the socio-political context of the health-care system**

Ongoing tensions between preserving scientific integrity and maximizing commercial interests in the research and development of health-care technologies and therapies.

Source: Canadian Nurses Association (2008). Code of Ethics for Registered Nurses. Available from [http://www.cna-aiic.ca/CNA/practice/ethics/code/default\\_e.aspx](http://www.cna-aiic.ca/CNA/practice/ethics/code/default_e.aspx)