**Motion to Adopt a Position Paper Statement on Mental Health and Suicide in Indigenous Communities in Canada**

**WHEREAS** the CFMS supports Indigenous peoples and their health;

**WHEREAS** Indigenous peoples suffer from disproportionately high rates of mental health disorders and suicide;

**WHEREAS** as future health professionals, medical students have an obligation to advocate for the health of their Indigenous patients;

**BE IT RESOLVED THAT** the CFMS adopt the position paper "Suicide in Indigenous Communities in Canada" and in doing so make public their opinion and defending the position when the opportunity arises.

**Anticipated Financial Cost:** none

**Level of Effort**: 0

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