Trauma Association of Canada
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Trauma Association of Canada - Onboarding Document for New IP Leads

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The purpose of this guide is to provide suggested training, resources, and tools related to injury prevention work and initiatives in Canada. This guide is not comprehensive and should be supplemented with suggested training and readings from your own employers. For any suggested additions to this list, please contact one of the TAC IP co-chairs listed below.

Readings

A list of core documents on injury-related content or related to injury prevention work and initiatives.

- **Canadian Injury Prevention Resource – An evidence-informed guide to injury prevention in Canada.** Textbook to accompany the Canadian Injury Prevention Curriculum, developed by Canadian Collaborating Centres for Injury Prevention (CCCIP). Released in 2015.
- **Potential Lost, Potential for Change: The Cost of Injury in Canada 2021.** Report from Parachute, Public Health Agency of Canada, and BC Injury Research and Prevention Unit showcasing the cost of injury in Canada. Report is online only, featuring interactive data visualizations.
- **Injury Data 101 Series, BC Injury Prevention Unit:** A series of facts sheets on injury data created by the BC Injury Research and Prevention Unit (BCIRPU).
    - **Injury Data 101: What is an injury? How are injury data captured?**
    - **Injury Data 101: Where do we get injury data?**
    - **Injury Data 101: How do we describe the burden of an injury?**
    - **Injury Data 101: How do we monitor injury?**
    - **Injury Data 101: How do we present the burden of injury?**
- Public Health Agency of Canada. **Key Health Inequalities in Canada: A National Portrait.** Ottawa: Public Health Agency of Canada; 2018.
    - **American College of Surgeons, Best Practice Guidelines: Screening and Intervention for Mental Health Disorders and Substance Use and Misuse in the Acute Trauma Patient**
- Ontario Public Health**, Injury Prevention Guideline (2018).**
- Sunnybrook Centre for Injury Prevention, **Injury is NOT Equal (Podcast Series)**
- **Hospital-based Injury and Violence Prevention Programs: The Trauma Center Guide for all Healthcare Professionals | SpringerLink** American textbook. Released in 2023

Useful Links and Bookmarks

- **Parachute Canada.** Canada's national leader in injury prevention.
- **ACS: Trauma Programs Advocacy and Injury Prevention,** American College of Surgeons
- **BC Injury Research and Prevention Unit**

- **Active and Safe Central.** Evidence summaries on common injuries and prevention tips for more than 50 sports and recreational activities
- **SAVIR. Society for Advancement of Violence and Injury Research. (US)**
- **Vision Zero Canada**
- **IWK Child Safety Link** - Pediatric safety repository
- **AboutKidsHealth Injury Prevention Learning Hub** - Pediatric injury prevention repository
- **SafetyLit** - Regular newsletter with injury prevention-related research.
- **Canadian Collaborating Centres for Injury Prevention (CCCIP)** – find your local injury prevention/public health partner.
- **American Trauma Society – Injury Prevention**

Journals

- BMJ – Injury Prevention. **Current Issue | Injury Prevention (bmj.com)**
- Journal of Trauma Nursing. **Current Issue**
- Canadian Journal of Emergency Medicine **Volumes and issues | Canadian Journal of Emergency Medicine (springer.com)**
- International Journal of Injury Control and Safety Promotion **International Journal of Injury Control and Safety Promotion: Vol 31, No 3 (Current issue) (tandfonline.com)**
- Injury **Current Issue Table of Contents: Injury (injuryjournal.com)**
- Injury Epidemiology **Home page | Injury Epidemiology (biomedcentral.com)**
- Journal of Trauma and Acute Care Surgery **Current Issue : Journal of Trauma and Acute Care Surgery (lww.com)**

Courses

- **American Trauma Society – ATS Injury Prevention Professionals Course**
  - ***Description:*** a comprehensive overview of the essential components of a hospital-based injury and violence prevention (HIVP) program. The 2-day virtual course, geared for individuals with 0-3 years of experience as Injury Prevention Professionals (IPP), is designed as an introduction to the role of the IPP and the development of HIVP programs.
  - ***Cost:*** $475 (USD) for ATS Members, $575 for non members

- ***Coming Soon* Parachute Canada - Introduction to Injury Prevention Principles and Practice**
  - *Description:* This course is aimed at newcomers to the field of injury prevention, with the goal being to provide a high-level overview of the Public Health Approach to injury prevention and basic injury prevention concepts.
  - *Cost:* TBD

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