

Contact information

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Biographical details	MD Queen's University, Kingston Ontario; MSc in Design, Measurement and Evaluation, McMaster University, Hamilton, Ontario. Academic appointments in the Faculties of Medicine at University of Western Ontario (1986-1991), University of Ottawa (1991-2000) and University of Toronto (2000-present). Director of the Clinical Epidemiology Unit, The Ottawa Hospital (1991-2000). President and CEO of the Institute for Clinical Evaluative Sciences, Toronto (2000-2006). Executive Director, Li Ka Shing Knowledge Institute of St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto (2006-2018).

Declaration of competing interests

All questions relate to the past 3 years (inclusive):

- Have you accepted any of the following from an organization that has (or might have) a relationship with *CMAJ* now or in the future and that might gain or lose financially because of the relationship?
 - Reimbursement for attending a symposium** Yes No
Details if yes:
 - Speaker fees** Yes No
Details if yes:
 - Fees for educational event** Yes No
Details if yes:
 - Research funds** Yes No
Details if yes:
 - Funds for a member of your staff** Yes No
Details if yes:
 - Consulting fees** Yes No
Details if yes:
I have served on a Data safety Monitoring Board for a new drug developed by Novartis Pharma
- Do you hold stocks or shares in an organization that might benefit or lose from an existing relationship with *CMAJ*? Yes No
Details if yes:
- Do you have competing financial interest? Yes No
Details if yes:
Until March 2019 I received an honorarium from the government of Ontario to serve as Board Chair of Health Quality Ontario. The Board was disbanded in June 2019.
- I have the following other competing interests (*details*):
See my appointments at the University of Toronto, Li Ka Shing Knowledge Institute and Institute for Clinical Evaluative Sciences described above.

Signature	Andreas Laupacis
Date	September 8, 2019