

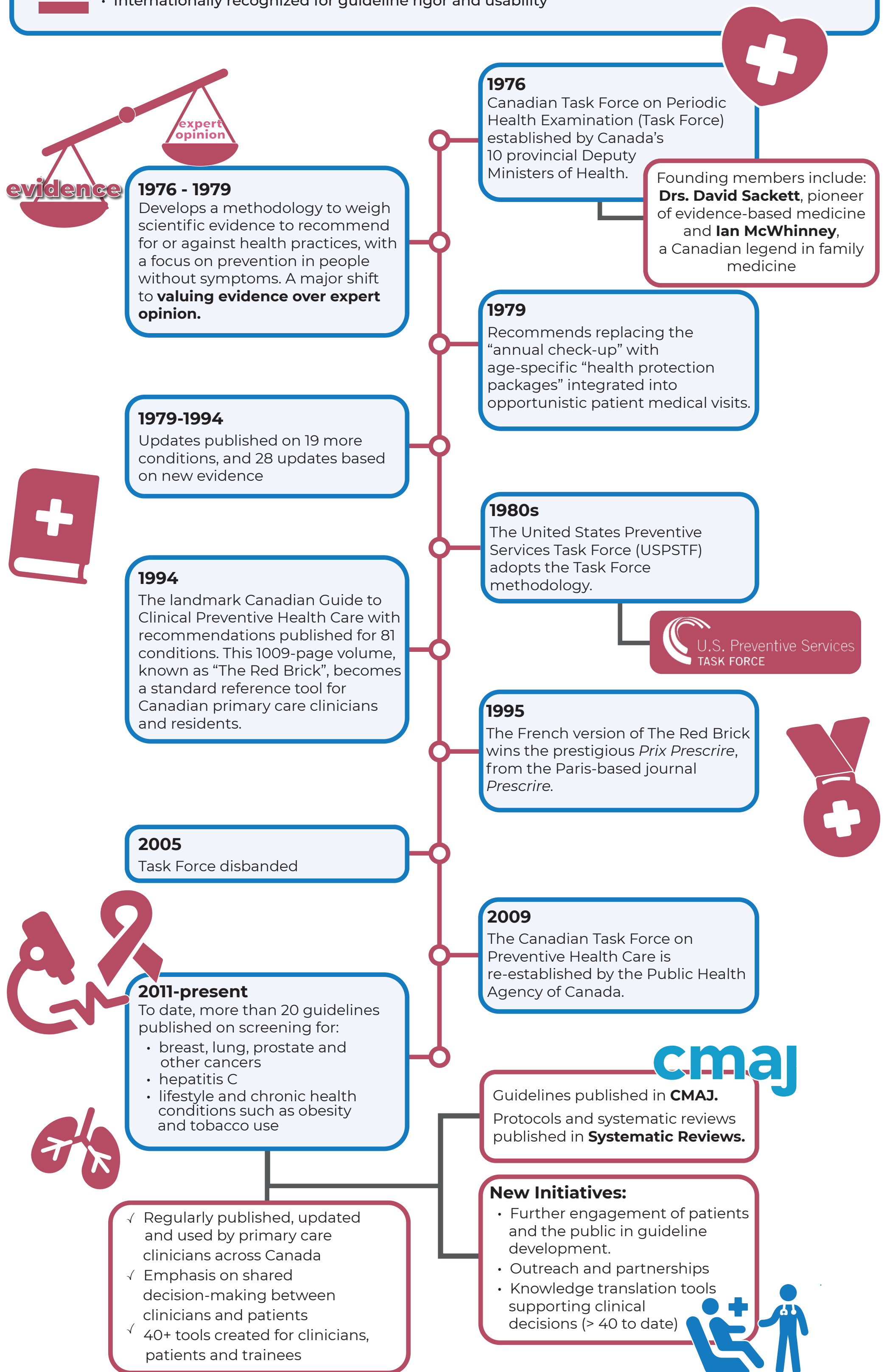


HISTORY OF THE Canadian Task Force on Preventive Health Care

CANADA'S TRUSTED SOURCE FOR
EVIDENCE-BASED CLINICAL PREVENTION GUIDELINES

IMPACT

- Pioneered evidence-based methodology to evaluate preventive health care recommendations for clinical practice
- Transformed approach to valuing objective research evidence over expert opinion
- Focuses on preventive health care
- Created standard 'Go to' reference tool ("The Red Brick") for Canadian primary care clinicians and residents
- Publishes clinical guidelines widely used in primary care on screening for cancer, infectious and chronic diseases
- Creates range of decision tools supporting decision making for clinicians and patients, with 40+ tools to date
- Influenced groups in other countries, such as the US, where its methodology is adopted and in use at the national level
- Internationally recognized for guideline rigor and usability



Members:

- Family doctors
- Mental health professionals
- Experts in evaluating evidence
- Pediatricians
- Specialist physicians
- Public health specialist
- ...and more!

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