

Globe and Mail, CBC, Global News cite CHPI research on cross-border re-sale risks to Canada's drug supply

Description

Readers,

I want to bring to your attention a recent example of the power of evidence based research to influence public policy thinking in Canada. CHPI was recently recognized as a leading source of evidence and advocacy on the issue of Canada's drug supply by prominent media including Global News, CBC, and the Globe and Mail. The institute published two important empirical econometric studies on this topic in September 2019 (shown below). Both warned of the risks to Canada's drug supply from cross-border re-sales to US customers of medicines meant for use by Canadian patients, and both predicted that the most likely response from Canadian provincial and federal governments would be to ban the export of drugs experiencing shortages. Recent events described in the news items pasted below vindicate our analyses. Thank you for subscribing to *Canadian Health Policy* journal. With the resources raised from these sales we are able to conduct and publish research that informs the discussion of health policy in Canada!

Brett Skinner, Editor

Articles published in CHPJ:

[New pathways for U.S. importation threaten Canadian prescription drug supply.](#)

Marv Shepherd, PhD | University of Texas at Austin | SEP 2019

[Potential impact of U.S. demand on the Canadian supply of 46 prescription drugs.](#)

Brett Skinner PhD | Canadian Health Policy Institute | SEP 2019

CHPI in the news:

[U.S. eats into Canada's Ozempic dose supply. Here why it's an issue | Globalnews.ca](#)

Global News

Organizations such as the Canadian Pharmacists Association and the **Canadian Health Policy Institute** have been sounding the alarm about possible ...

[Ozempic shipments to U.S. leave Canadian pharmacists fearing impact on drug supply](#)

CBC

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[Globe editorial: The rush by Americans to buy a weight loss drug from Canadian pharmacies ...](#)

The Globe and Mail

... such as the **Canadian Health Policy Institute** have warned for years that Canada needs effective

regulation to avoid critical drug shortages.

[Rush for diabetes and weight-loss drug Ozempic puts cross-border sales in spotlight](#)

The Globe and Mail

Founder, CEO of the **Canadian Health Policy Institute** says B.C.'s bid to restrict cross-border sales of Ozempic was right move.