

**Appendix 1 (as supplied by the authors):** Supplemental tables

Supplemental Table S1: Distribution of legislation by province and risk factors

	Tobacco Control (n=190)	Physical Activity (n=215)	Healthy Eating (n=101)	Multiple factors (n=100)	Total (n=718)
	n (%)	n (%)	n (%)	n (%)	n (%)
Newfoundland & Labrador	18 (9.5)	11 (5.1)	2 (2.0)	3 (3.0)	39 (5.4)
Prince Edward Island	11 (5.8)	10 (4.7)	1 (1.0)	6 (6.0)	33 (4.6)
Nova Scotia	16 (8.4)	16 (7.4)	5 (4.9)	11 (11.0)	59 (8.2)
New Brunswick	9 (4.7)	10 (4.7)	4 (4.0)	2 (2.0)	34 (4.7)
Quebec	11 (5.8)	13 (6.1)	8 (7.9)	9 (9.0)	50 (7.0)
Ontario	23 (12.1)	52 (24.2)	24 (23.8)	14 (14.0)	122 (17.0)
Manitoba	21 (11.1)	19 (8.8)	13 (12.9)	10 (10.0)	77 (10.7)
Saskatchewan	9 (4.7)	21 (9.8)	9 (8.9)	10 (10.0)	60 (8.4)
Alberta	17 (9.0)	18 (8.4)	10 (9.9)	8 (8.0)	62 (8.6)
British Columbia	12 (6.3)	24 (11.2)	11 (10.9)	7 (7.0)	62 (8.6)
Northwest Territories	13 (6.8)	6 (2.8)	2 (2.0)	3 (3.0)	33 (4.6)
Nunavut	6 (3.2)	5 (2.3)	1 (1.0)	3 (3.0)	20 (2.8)
Yukon	7 (3.7)	4 (1.9)	1 (1.0)	5 (5.0)	22 (3.1)
Canada	17 (9.0)	6 (2.8)	10 (9.9)	9 (9.0)	45 (6.3)

Notes: Multiple factors refers to legislation targeting more than one risk factor (i.e., tobacco control, physical activity, healthy eating). Total includes 'general' legislation (e.g., provincial Public Health Acts).

Supplemental Table S2: Condensed primary purposes of the legislation by risk factors

	Tobacco Control (n=190) n (%)	Physical Activity (n=215) n (%)	Healthy Eating (n=101) n (%)	Multiple (n=100) n (%)	Total (n=718) n (%)
Tobacco control	129 (67.9)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	1 (1.0)	131 (18.3)
Food industry regulation	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	61 (60.4)	13 (13.0)	74 (10.3)
General public health regulation	1 (0.5)	0 (0.0)	2 (2.0)	1 (1.0)	67 (9.3)
Environmental, natural resource & parks regulation	0 (0.0)	46 (21.4)	0 (0.0)	7 (7.0)	54 (7.5)
Financial regulation	26 (13.7)	16 (7.4)	4 (4.0)	5 (5.0)	51 (7.1)
Planning, development & land use	3 (1.6)	36 (16.7)	0 (0.0)	6 (6.0)	46 (6.4)
Food and drug safety	3 (1.6)	0 (0.0)	14 (13.9)	22 (22.0)	45 (6.3)
Municipal empowerment and regulation	0 (0.0)	18 (8.4)	1 (1.0)	0 (0.0)	40 (5.6)
Create, modify & regulate built environment for physical activity	0 (0.0)	30 (14.0)	0 (0.0)	6 (6.0)	36 (5.0)
General health and safety	7 (3.7)	15 (7.0)	3 (3.0)	7 (7.0)	33 (4.6)
Promoting physical activity	0 (0.0)	20 (9.3)	0 (0.0)	8 (8.0)	31 (4.3)
Transportation system regulation	11 (5.8)	14 (6.5)	0 (0.0)	5 (5.0)	30 (4.2)
Child care operation regulation	0 (0.0)	2 (0.9)	6 (5.9)	18 (18.0)	30 (4.2)
Education system oversight	2 (1.1)	13 (6.1)	3 (3.0)	0 (0.0)	24 (3.3)
Long term care facilities operation regulation	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	4 (4.0)	15 (15.0)	20 (2.8)
General government regulation	3 (1.6)	5 (2.3)	1 (1.0)	0 (0.0)	16 (2.2)
Promoting healthy eating	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	7 (6.9)	3 (3.0)	11 (1.5)
Criminal justice	4 (2.1)	1 (0.5)	0 (0.0)	1 (1.0)	6 (0.8)
First Nation & Metis agreement enactment and enforcement	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	1 (1.0)	0 (0.0)	5 (0.7)

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