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## National Fact Sheet

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## Canada: A World Leader in High School CPR and Defibrillator Training

### **National Snapshot – CPR Program**

- **3.6 million** youth trained to date through high school program;
- **1,755** high schools across Canada have established the program;
- **339,000** students trained by their high school teachers every year;
- **55,000+** durable mannequins donated to schools by ACT and partners;
- **6,500+** teachers trained as CPR instructors for their students.

### **ACT is now enhancing the CPR program with defibrillator training!**

- **800,000** students now trained in both CPR & AED (**185,000** more each year);
- **970** high schools now have the CPR program with AED enhancement;
- **3,100+** teachers trained as CPR & AED instructors for students.



### **About the ACT Foundation**

The ACT Foundation is the national charitable organization establishing **FREE** CPR and defibrillator training programs in Canadian high schools. The program is built on ACT's award-winning community-based model of partnerships and support—ACT raises funds to donate program start-up resources (e.g. mannequins, AED training units, teacher training, and defibrillators) to schools, and guides schools in program set-up to ensure long-term sustainability. ACT's health partners who are committed to bringing the program to high schools across Canada are AstraZeneca Canada, Sanofi Canada, and Amgen Canada.