

Survivors of Brain Injury

If you are a **brain injury survivor**, your questions to MPs and federal election candidates should focus on personal impact, access to support, and government accountability. Here are three key questions:

1. Brain injury has already been adopted by the Standing Committee on Health. If elected, what will you do to ensure real action is taken to implement a National Strategy on Brain Injury?

Why this matters: This holds candidates accountable for moving beyond words to action. Survivors need to know what concrete steps they will take.

2. Many brain injury survivors struggle to access rehabilitation, financial support, and essential services. How will you work with both the federal and provincial/territorial government to improve funding and policies to ensure people like me get the help we need?

Why this matters: Survivors often face barriers to care, employment, and disability supports. This question forces candidates to address real-world challenges.

3. Brain injury can happen to anyone, any where, at any time, yet so many people feel invisible. How will you ensure survivors, and their families are heard in policy decisions that affect us?

Why this matters: Many policies are made without survivor input. This question asks candidates to commit to meaningful engagement with those directly impacted.