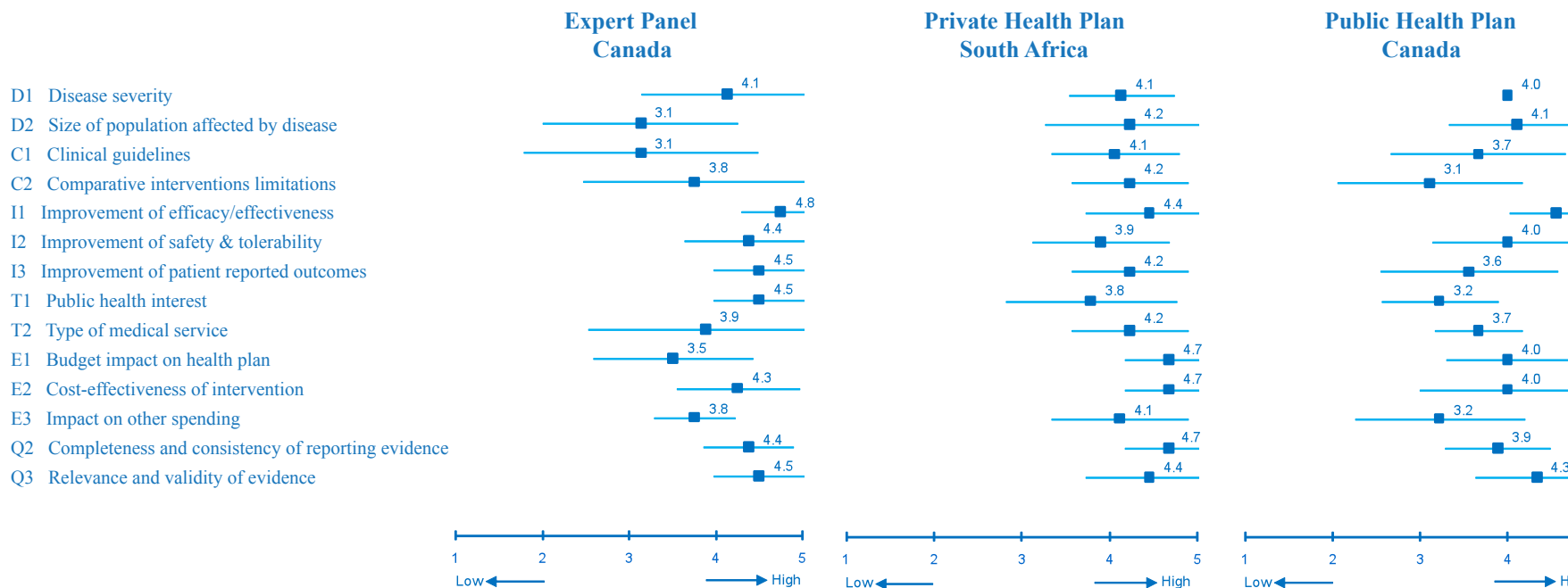


Figure 1: Mean relative weights (SD) assigned to scientific criteria by decisionmakers



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Appraisal of intervention: Scoring scientific decision criteria (MCDA matrix)

- Mean scores were considered to be a good representation of the perceived performance of the intervention.
- In all settings, greatest inter-rater agreement on scores (smaller SDs) was observed for “Improvement of efficacy/effectiveness”, “Impact on other spending” and “Completeness and consistency of reporting evidence”.
- Greatest inter-rater variability of scores (greater SDs) was observed for “Clinical guidelines”, “Improvement of safety & tolerability” and “Comparative interventions limitations”.

Figure 2: Mean scores (SD) assigned to scientific criteria by decisionmakers

