

Creating Healthy Built Environments in New Brunswick: *CLASP* 2013-2014



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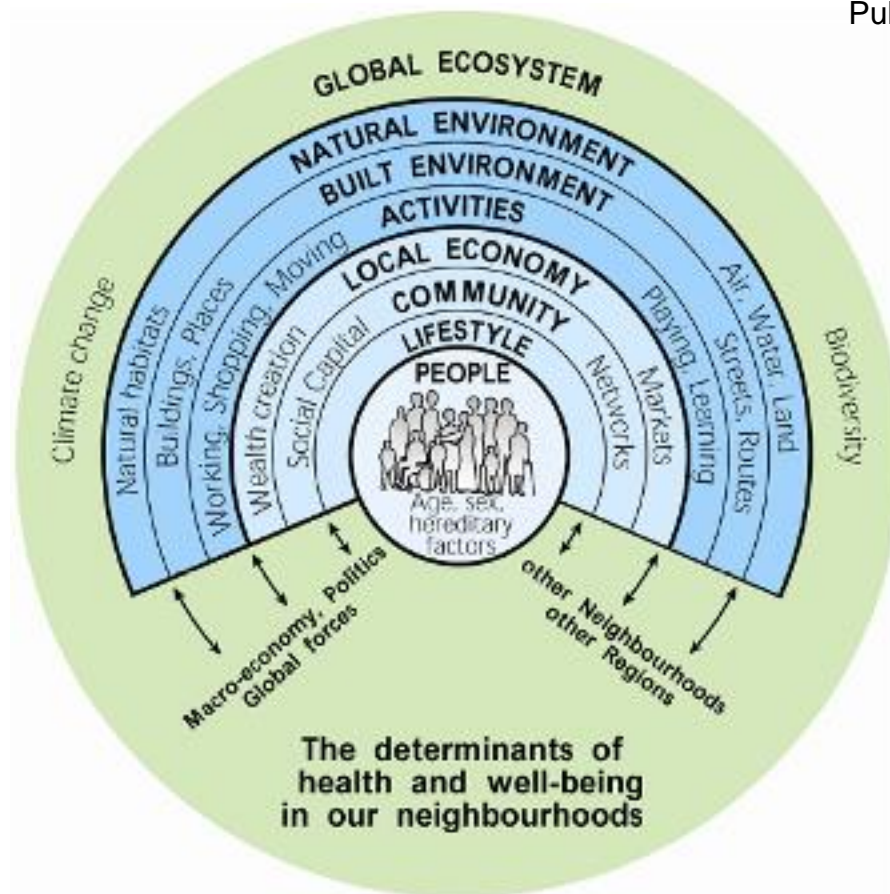


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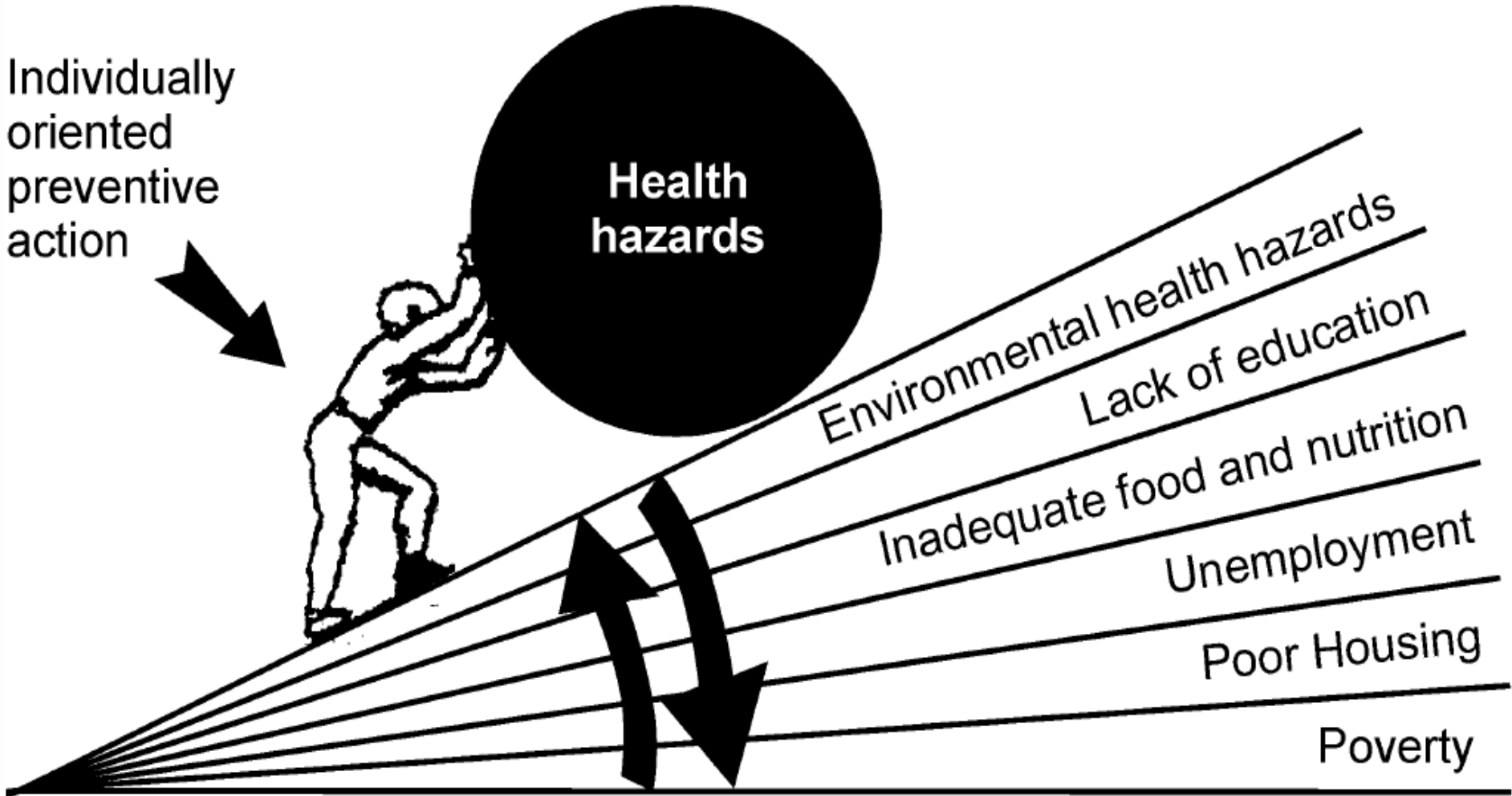
- Public health and planning – together again
- NB – from big city urban to small city rural
- NB CLASP objectives
- NB CLASP projects
- Lessons learned

Public Health and the Built Environment - there and back again

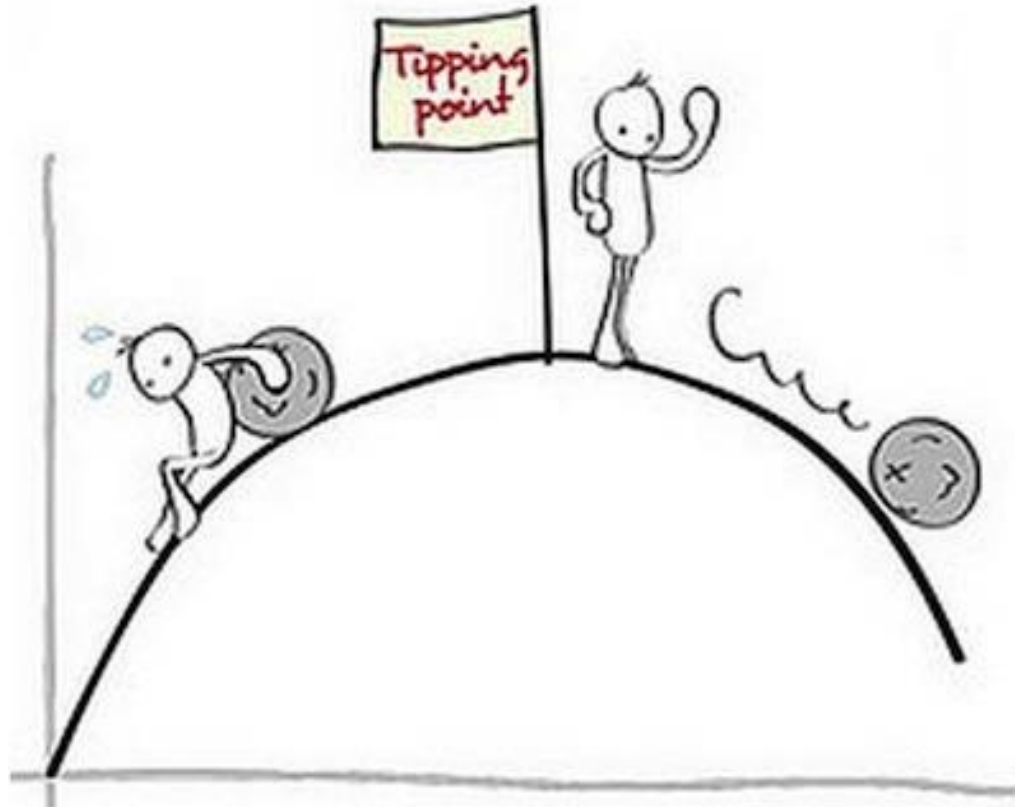
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Individual action can reduce the impact of health hazards but structural /social factors count!



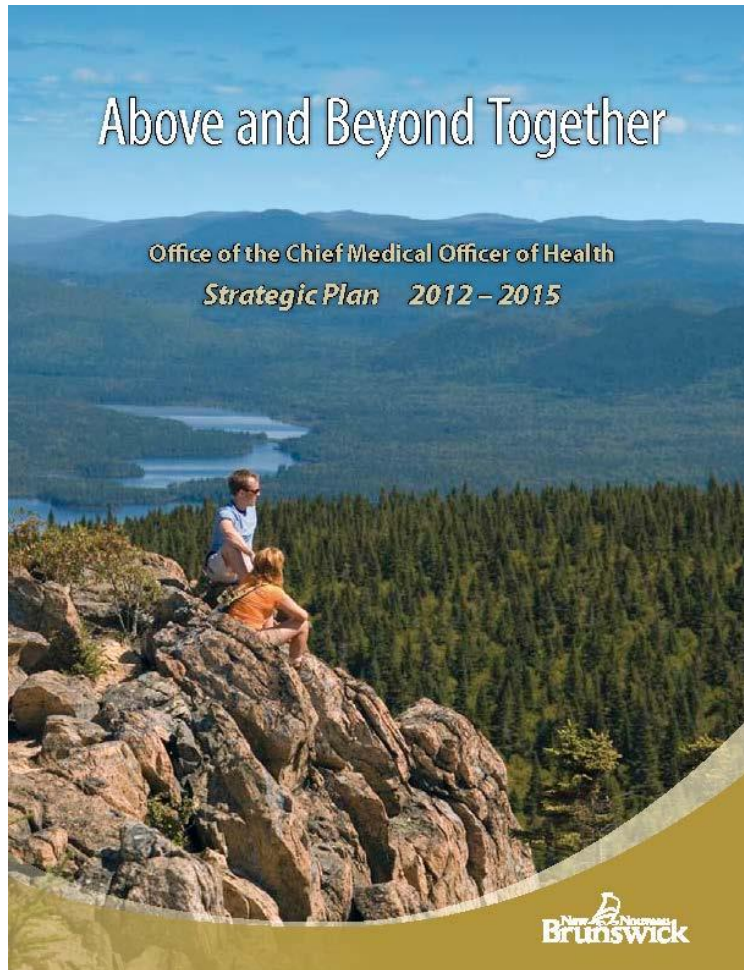
What was New Brunswick's tipping point?



NB CLASP Objectives – short term



NB CLASP Objectives – long term



Provincial Acts Review

- Community Planning Act / Municipalities Act
 - Legislation dating back to 1970s
 - Gathered input from key public health partners
 - Written submission to DELG
 - Presentations to senior management re direct connection between provincial planning legislation and population health outcomes
- Draft Local Governance and Planning Framework

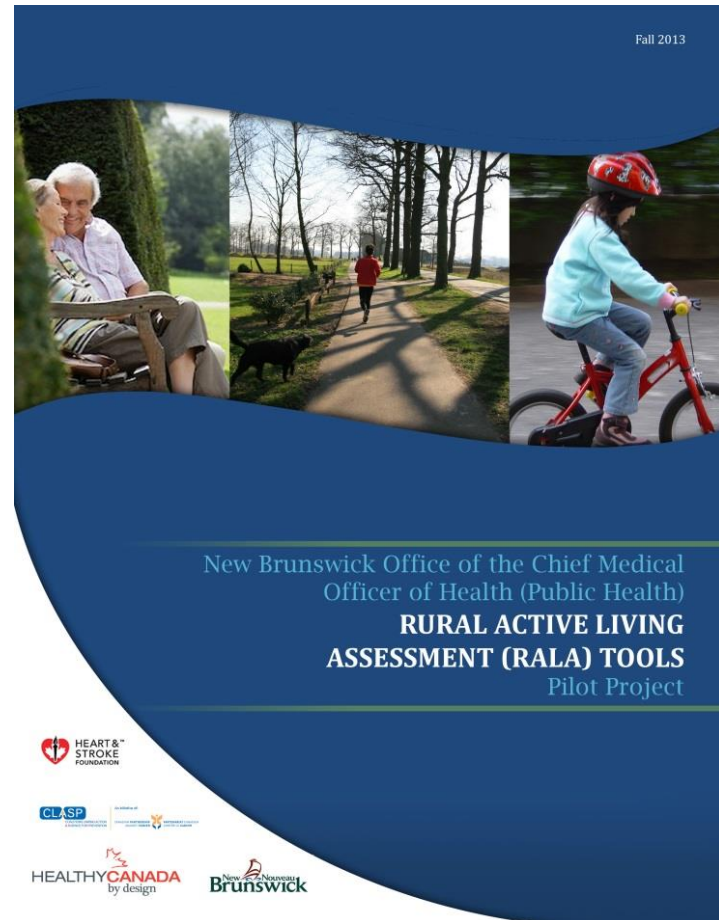
Forging Municipal Relationships

- City of Fredericton
- Learning planning processes, language, areas of intersection
- Finding the best level of engagement and influence
- Capacity



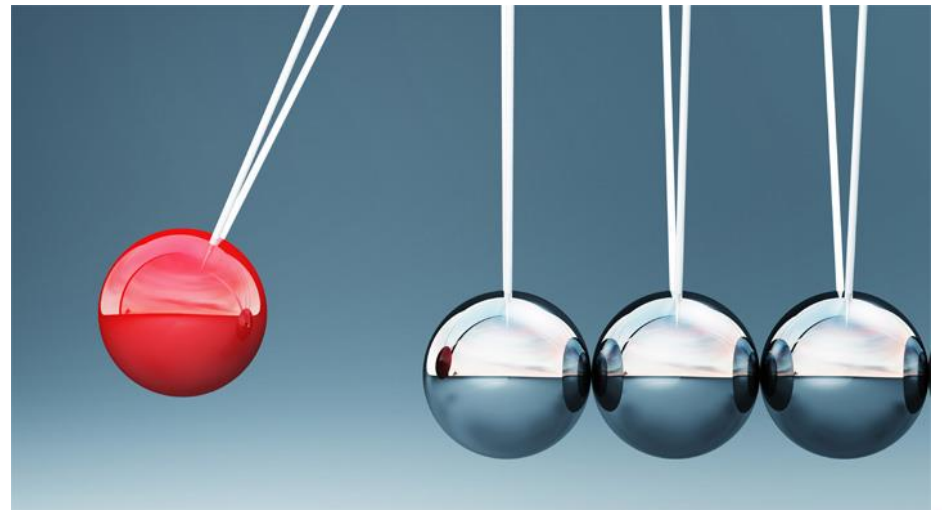
RALA – Rural Municipalities

- Toolkit developed in the US (session XX)
- Community, program and policy, street segment
- 5 pilot communities population 1000-4000
- Awareness among and relationships with rural communities



“Built Environment Coalition”

- Multiple and diverse stakeholders
- Provincial , regional and local levels
- Government and non government
- HEPAC



Lessons learned/next steps

- Engaging a larger team to do the work
- Measures and indicators
- Building the business case
- Evaluation



Questions?

