Shaping the Future of Health Care Together in Hastings Prince Edward **Symposium**

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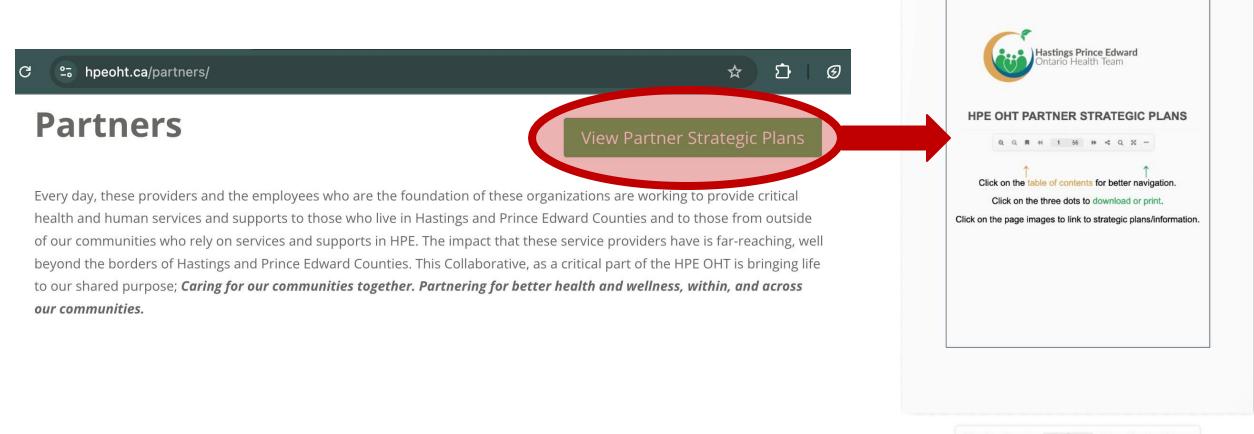
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Strategic Plan Flipbook A new resource to learn about each other



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We are democratizing the change process by working together across organizations, sectors and hierarchies.

We are bringing together front-line staff, management, directors, executive directors / CEOs, and board members in equal partnership with community members to design and pattern anew way to lead together.

- Jodeme Goldhar



Our Experience

We are on a journey to collectively shape our health and social care system so that it works for everyonepatients, caregivers, and the dedicated people that provide care in the community.

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This is the first time staff have come together in this way! There were ~150 participants from 45+ HPE OHT partners committed to working together in new ways to achieve our shared purpose.

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Our Shared Purpose

Caring for our communities together. Partnering for better health and wellness, within and across our communities

We explored what it means to move beyond landacknowledgements

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"We have been invited to contribute to the work and it's a job for all of us, the work that will transform those noble intentions into action."

– Ed Bentley,

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Patient, Client and Partners Council

In reflecting on the values in which we lead: "I'm learning how to integrate Indigenous ways of knowing in our own organisation in the right way. I'm learning to ask –humbly,

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with integrity and humanity " – Sheila Braidek, Co-Chair, HPEOHT Stewardship Group Executive Director, Belleville Quinte West Community Health Centre





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Stacey Daub, *Co-Chair of the Governance Action Table (GAT)* & *CEO*, *Quinte Health* gave an overview of Hasting and Prince Edward Counties' evolving population leading to increased complexity and more demand on health and care:

" Most health systems around the world – including Ontario - are looking at how to build more integrated and connected systems because their current systems are no longer fit for purpose. They were not built for apopulation like ours **that's** growing, ageing, and has a higher burden of chronic **illness**."

How do you need to act, think, and do things differently in this complex environment to be able to do your role, serve your community and be successful? We will see exponential impact when we seed the change at individual level so that it becomes our collective shift.

Thinking about how things are evolving, it is incumbent upon us as individuals, as leaders to think about what do we have control over? and how can we use our agency together to make a difference to the people we serve and to one **another?**"







Our Population ~178,000 people



With an increasing **racialized and newcomer population** and seasonal populations



live in small towns or rural areas

Is relatively older: 1 out of 4 are ages 65+ Has a relatively large segment that is materially and socially disadvantaged

Experiences health differently:



Only half report very good or excellent health



We have higher rates of chronic conditions like diabetes and COPD



People live <u>2.5 years less</u> on average compared to other Ontarians If our goal is health and wellness, we need to think and work differently. We need to shift our operating system (the way we work) to be deeply relational and radically collaborative.

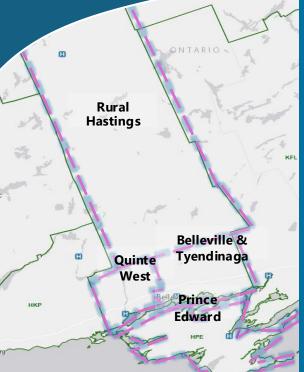
It is our collective responsibility to engage in this movement, to be catalysts for change, seeding connections, and supporting each other to learn, unlearn and grow for collective impact!

- Jodeme Goldhar





We spent time getting to know each other





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our roles, where we are from, what populations we support and our superpowers!



How would you describe being in this room together?



"Hopeful! there is real potential to make significant and lasting change"

"Inspiring to see how many people are interested and willing to help shape the future of healthcare in our communities."

"Extremely exciting and gives me hope for the future of our community. So many unique individuals with different skills who, when united anything can be possible"

"It's nice to see a variety of agencies committed to collaborating and facilitating systematic change."

"Loud, in a good way. A lot of laughter, very welcoming and great meeting others."

What are VOUr hopes for today? Themes





Integration is a worldwide movement

- Health systems around the world are converging on their aims to advance population health.
- In order to achieve health and wellbeing depends on intention and action.

The more we invest in building our interorganizational connection and shared capability, the greater the opportunity impact!



- Jodeme Goldhar

We learnt about Integrated Care and Population Health and how we can start to pattern new ways of working together

We explored how we can shift our mindsets and behaviours in order to pattern a new way of working



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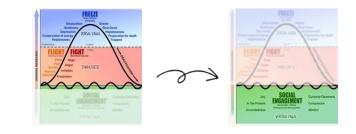






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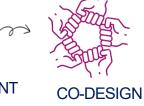




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...and considered what these shifts mean for us as individuals, our organization, your sector, and our communities.

These are the themes that emerged from our conversations

Radical Collaboration

From Shame and Blame to Strengths-Based

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Strategic and Operational Alignment

Creating investors in the Change

Matching Capability to Complexity



Radical Collaboration Connection as the Correction

How might **we...**

- continue to make time to have more meetings in person?
- Make the time to get to know each other?
- shift from competition to collaboration while sharing resources and talent?
- create a trusted, supportive environment that fosters open communication?
- dismantle silos and build trust across different sectors and agencies?
- collaborate on case management and at point of care?
- make radical collaboration our new operating model, both within and across organizations, sectors and communities?







Strategic and Operational Alignment

How might **we...**

- develop common strategic priorities across organizations?
- leverage and highlight individual agencies' strengths and resources to support the collective?

o ex. N95 fit testing, available meeting rooms, etc.

- adopt a "no wrong door" approach where every point of contact leads to service?
- work collaboratively to eliminate perceived duplication of services?
- effectively use the OHT website to store and share information on new projects and available resources?
- be creative so people in our community (patients, clients) experience us as one team?
- look to align operational policies to support a collective change in culture and practices?







Creating Investors in the Change

How might **we**...

- co-design solutions with people with lived experience (patients, clients, care partners)?
- make it a standard practice to consider who needs to be involved in discussions and decisionmaking?
- involve staff at all levels across partner organization in decision-making processes?
- ensure all involved parties feel valued and heard?
- encourage individuals and organizations to step out of their comfort zones?
- move away from reverting to what's "easy" and embrace new approaches?
- effectively gather and incorporate feedback from frontline workers and those affected by change?
- create an environment where vulnerability and honesty are valued and practiced?
- prioritize quality communication with an emphasis on transparency?







Collective Capability to Match Complexity

How might **we...**

- increase our collective knowledge of services and assets in our community?
- establish a system for regularly sharing valuable information among all partners at all relevant levels?
- implement collective continual education initiatives that prioritize in-person interactions? Starting with staff wellbeing as our first collective support goal.
- improve our understanding of how to connect people to appropriate services?
- collectively address and overcome barriers to technology in our organizations and communities?





We need to slow down to speed up.

- Jodeme Goldhar

We continued to build our relational foundation by learningabout what each of us our proud of in our work and one thing that **isn't** in our professional bio





We celebrated Mike Slatter, Deputy Chief of Paramedic Services.

"I've gained a lot more relationships going through this [radically collaborative] process [with over 45 organizations across HPE] and I'm hoping to bring this energy to my new role as Chief in the county of Haliburton. I've been asking about the OHT and the relationship with paramedics there and I am hoping to build on that further. This has been an incredible experience, and I think it helped get me my new position."

Lisa Ali (CEO-CMHA HPE Addictions and Mental Health Services), Barinder Gill (Executive Director, Prince Edward Family Health Team), and Nadia Guerrera (Industry Partnership Officer - Loyalist College) shared their reflections on the experience throughout the series spent across all the 45+ HPE OHT organizations







"...if you're getting any of the grounded feeling today, you're getting a piece of what it felt like to be in that space together over our recent HPE OHT Summitt. Getting to know each other and getting to know a little bit more about what each other does.

You couldn't get away from feeling that <u>we're all in this</u> <u>together</u>, part of a **movement.''** - Nadia Guer<u>rera</u>





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Partnering for better health and wellness, within and across our communities.

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How will boards govern differently and how might they shift to hold senior leaders accountable to the HPE OHT shared purpose? How might we align common strategic priorities across our organizations in order to have collective impact?



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"This time we've spent with one another has really been an opportunity for us to redefine what leadership actually means. New leadership doesn't really rest within any one individual role, but it's a <u>shared responsibility</u>.

> When we talk about system transformation, **it's** not just a senior leadership thing, it's not just a board thing and **it's** something everyone must be a part **of**"

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- Barinder Gill

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"At the end of the summit we were asked to make a personal commitment: how are we going to show up differently in this work and how are we going to take that back to our organisation? The commitment that Imade was to say yes.

Our Commitments

Partnership

I think of the state of emergency around addictions and mental health and how it challenged our teams tothink, act and work in a different ways. We now have these incredible partnerships, like CMHA and paramedics on the ground at The Bridge every single day preventing people from going to the ED and making sure people get the care they need when they need it. Not because we asked people to do that orwe had money to do that or we had extra people to do that. It's because peoplesaid ves. Only then were weable to take something that was really, really challenging and turn it into something that's really making difference in our community.

- Lisa Ali

Fundamental Shift: WE ARE THE OHT There was collective agreement that:



The OHT shifts from being an initiative to being our work. Work to which have collective responsibility and accountability



We shift from transactional to relational ways of holding space and working together.

We shift from scarcity mindset to one of abundance



The OHT is not separate from us. It anchors us around our shared purpose, principles and priorities.



We are all caring for our communities together. Partnering for better health and wellness, within and across our communities.





"The OHT is an entity, it's not a physical being. It's our shared partnership.

We all have to take a leadership role to make this [come to life]!" – Mike Slatter, Hastings-Quinte Paramedic Services HPE OHT Summit (November 2024)





We started to think about how we can start to span boundaries in the way we work together - within and across our organizations and communities in order to address health inequities and have a positive collective impact for health creation.

- Jodeme Goldhar





We determined that if our shared purpose is:

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...how might we imagine the difference we could make if we focus on these four areas together?

Prevention to advance population health and wellbeing Creating integrated care teams for those who need it most

A new collective culture for sustained impact: building our capabilities for working together

Using data and information sharing effectively





We worked through "What would need to be true to bring this to life?"

How would we work differently together?

- Within and across organisations and sectors
- Within and across communities
- What do these mean for: my role, my organization, my sector?
- What needs to be true to support people/ patients/ clients/ families better?
- What do we need to do to learn from each other?
- What areas of focus / skills / topics do we need to learn together?







What would need to be true to bring this to life?



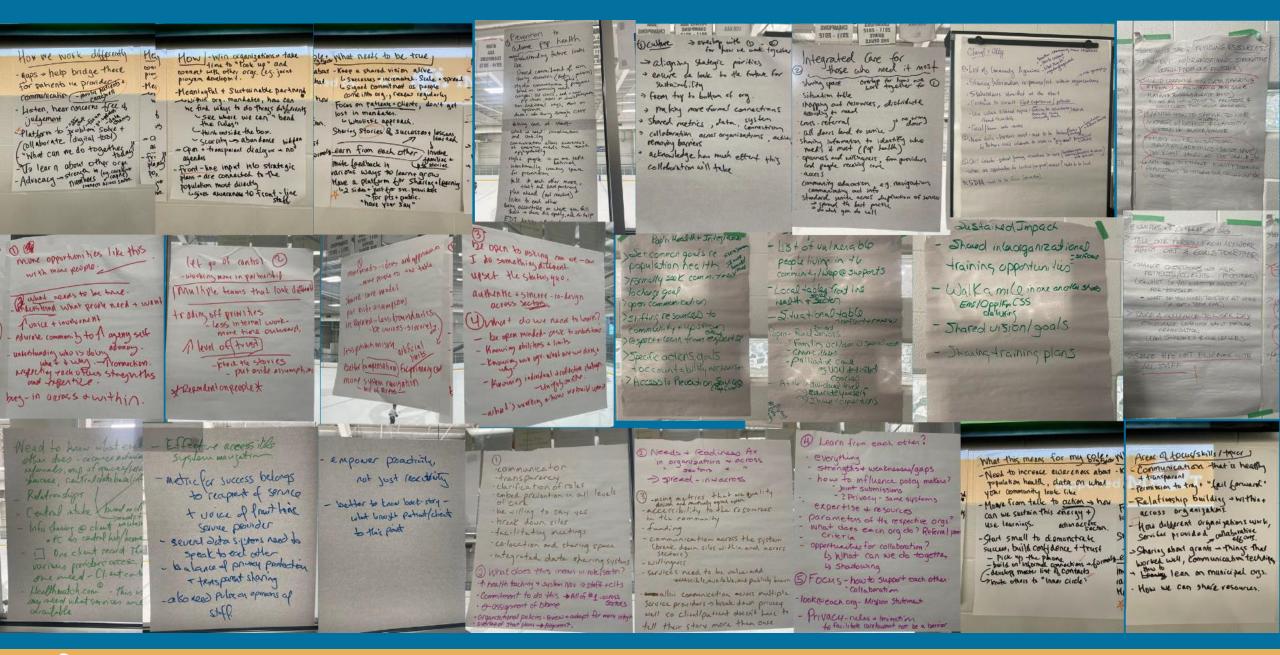




- Organize ongoing and regular inter-organizational gatherings to foster relationships, facilitate learning, and support collective problem-solving.
- Align strategic directions with common goals across all OHT partners, ensuring shared accountability.
- Align quality improvement initiatives towards common strategic priorities and shared purpose.
- Develop and implement shared training opportunities, including clinical skills, new ways of working and how to support staff wellbeing across all 45+ organizations.
- Promote an abundance mindset by enabling resource sharing (e.g., staff, meeting spaces, training) to support the shared purpose and working upstream.
- Identify opportunities where resource sharing can enhance outcomes aligned with the quintuple aim.
- Establish a comprehensive data-sharing framework with clear privacy and security protocols.
- Formalize informal connections to create sustainable and structured collaborations.
- Create mechanisms to enable effective resource sharing between organizations.
- Establish channels for frontline staff to share ideas and contribute innovative solutions.
- Implement shared digital platforms to facilitate communication and collaboration among organizations and providers.
- Formalize a list of vulnerable people living in the community that need/would benefit from wrap around supports.











Whether we have an OHT policy or not, we know we need to shift from transactional to relational ways of working.

We commit to working together differently to achieve health and wellness within and across our communities.





Commitments

Themes from responses to What are 1-3 things I will do differently starting tomorrow to support our new way of working?



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One Word to Describe My Experience Today









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