

# The field of educational achievement as a poverty prevention mechanism: for a strategic analyses of ideas and coalitions of actors

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# National Collaborating Centre for Healthy Public Policy (NCCHPP)

## Our mandate

- Support public health actors in their efforts to promote healthy public policies

## Our areas of expertise

- The effects of public policies on health
- Generating and using knowledge about policies
- Intersectoral actors and mechanisms
- Strategies to influence policy making



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# Goal

Help you approach the political field of poverty prevention through educational achievement through the eyes of policy analysts



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# Outline

Presentation: 25-30 minutes

Group discussions: 60 minutes



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# The concept of public policy

A statement

Public action  
(Statements, built  
environment, practices...)

# Analyzing a public policy field: Several scientific approaches

Stages model

Three i's framework (ideologies, interests, institutions)

Rationalism, limited rationalism, incrementalism...

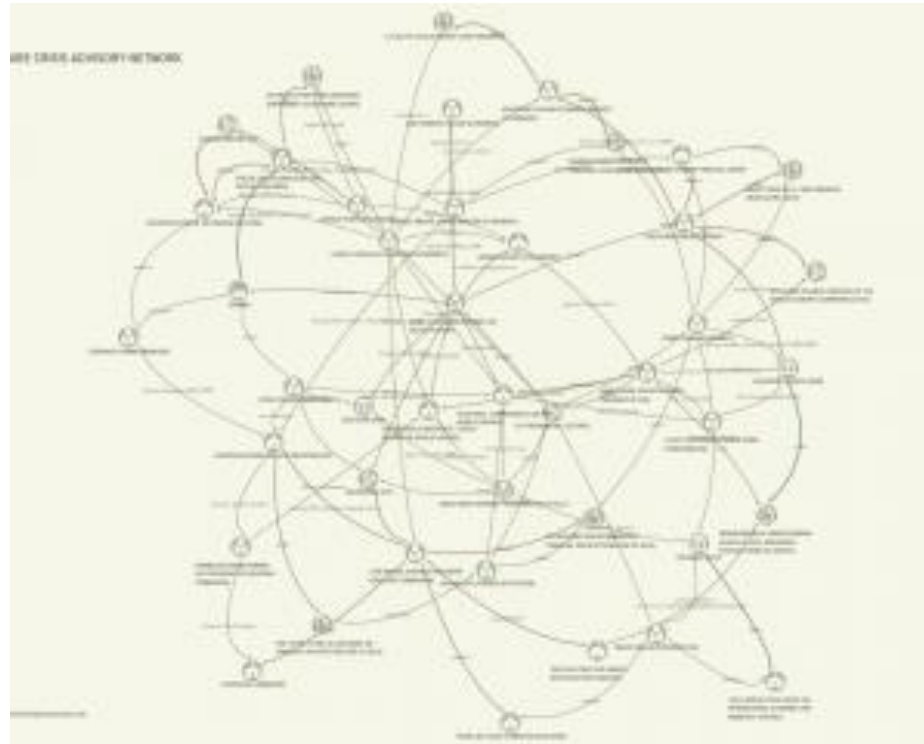
Actors' coalitions (Advocacy coalitions)

Sociology of translation

Governmentality

# Key ideas

Regimes in evolution



Ideologies/  
interests

Actors in  
coalition



# Key ideas

Article: the drug  
problem in Switzerland

Drugs, a problem of use:  
abstinence through enforcement,  
treatment, and prevention of use  
(1920-)

HIV/AIDS, a problem linked to  
drug injection: harm reduction  
(1980 - )

Drug use: an urban quality of life  
problem (1990-)

# Key ideas

The transportation  
problem in Montreal

Transportation, a car/truck fluidity problem  
(speed, congestion) (1940- )

Automobile transportation, an urban  
quality of life problem (2000- )

# Discussion: ideologies

What are the causes and solutions to poverty predominantly identified in Québec? Is educational achievement part of these?

In the field of educational achievement, is poverty an action principle? If so, is it primary or secondary?

# Discussion: actors

Who are the significant actors in this field?

Federal, provincial, municipal,  
borough, para-public

Private, for-profit

Private, not-for-profit

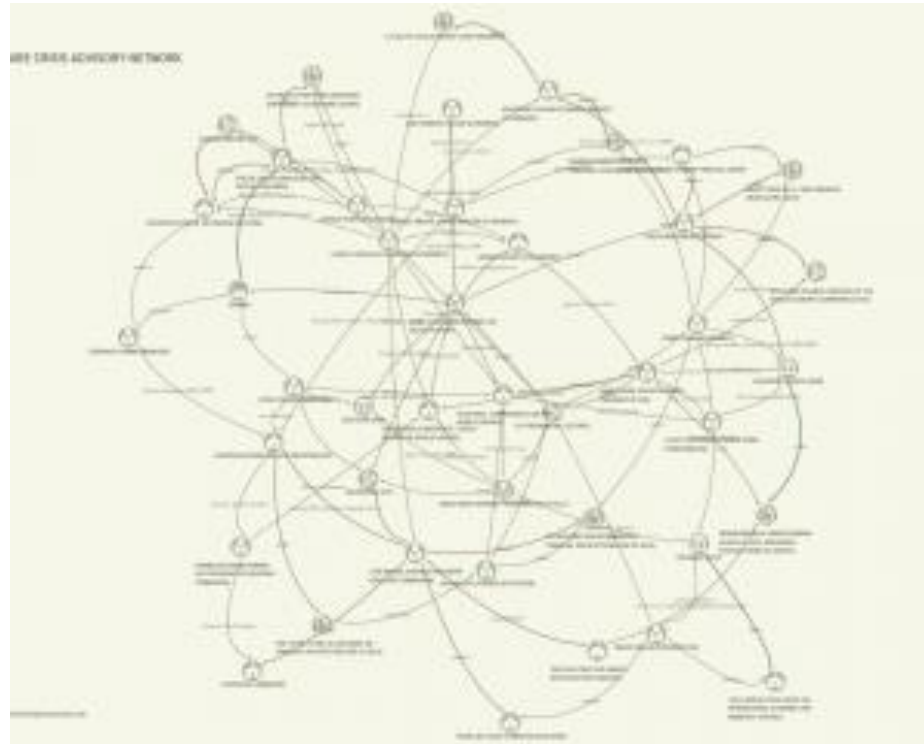
Civil society representatives

# Discussion: actors

Actors	Ideology/interests	Links with other actors
Medical cannabis producers	Market growth. Respect choices of authorities regarding models.	Producers' association.. Opposition to dispensaries. Want better pesticide regulation by Health Canada... but not too much?
Biological agricultural producers	Revenue supplement	

# Conclusion: recall

Regimes in evolution



Ideologies/  
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Actors  
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Thanks... and good luck!

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