## Intersectoral Activity and Not-for-Profit Organizations

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#### Overview

Context(s) of multi/intersectoral activity

project with not-for-profit organizations

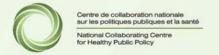
 Three discussions about the integration of health knowledge and partnerships with public health





## Context(s)

- Inter/multi sectoral activity and our mandate
- One year partnership program with five not-for-profit organizations
- Ongoing and potential partnerships between public health actors and not-forprofit organizations





#### Inter/multi sectoral activity

- Levels of government
  - horizonal
  - vertical
- Sectors of society
  - Public sector
  - Private sector
  - "Third" sector





## Policy influencing practices of notfor-profit organizations

- Five n-f-p organizations in Canada
  - Housing
  - Environment
  - Urban revitalisation
  - Community economic development







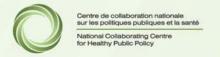


# A (working) understanding of public policy

#### Public policy:

«...to talk about public policy is to refer to action taken by a public authority (alone or in partnership) to deal with a situation perceived as posing a problem (...) public policies are collective actions that participate in the creation of a social and political order, in the direction of society, in the regulation of tensions, in the integration of groups and in the resolution of conflicts.»

(Lascoumes et Galès, 2006, p.5)





#### Today's presentations

- 1. The ways that n-f-ps use health knowledge
- 2. The integration of health knowledge by one n-f-p
- 3. Partnership between a regional health authority and a n-f-p in structural prevention

