

Welcome!

Neighbourhood & Small-Area Community of Practice

Connecting Ontario's Neighbourhood & Small-Area Planning Landscape
October 22, 2026 | Toronto, Ontario

We'll Be Starting Shortly

Thank you for joining us virtually!

Please keep your microphone muted until the discussion begins.

You are welcome to introduce yourself in the chat, including your name and organization.

We look forward to connecting with you!

Small Geographies: Building Blocks for Health System Planning

Community of Practice

Catherine Donnelly – Queen's
Claire Kendall - University of Ottawa, Bruyère Health Research Institute

Hastings Prince Edward Ontario Health Team

Lanark, Leeds & Grenville Ontario Health Team
Working together to improve care in our communities

FLAOHT Frontenac Lennox & Addington Ontario Health Team

ÉSOFLA Équipe Santé Ontario de Frontenac, Lennox et Addington

INSPIRE-PHC

Ottawa Neighbourhood Study / Étude de quartiers d'Ottawa

OCHPP Ontario Community Health Profiles Partnership

uOttawa

Queen's University

Acknowledging the lands







Agenda

12:00-12:45	Welcome and purpose of the day
12:45-1:00	OCHPP: Setting the context for small area mapping in ON
1:30-2:15	Ontario Health: Current approach and future directions
2:15-2:30	Coffee
2:30-3:30.	Geographies in practice
3:30-3:55	Key issues – what next?

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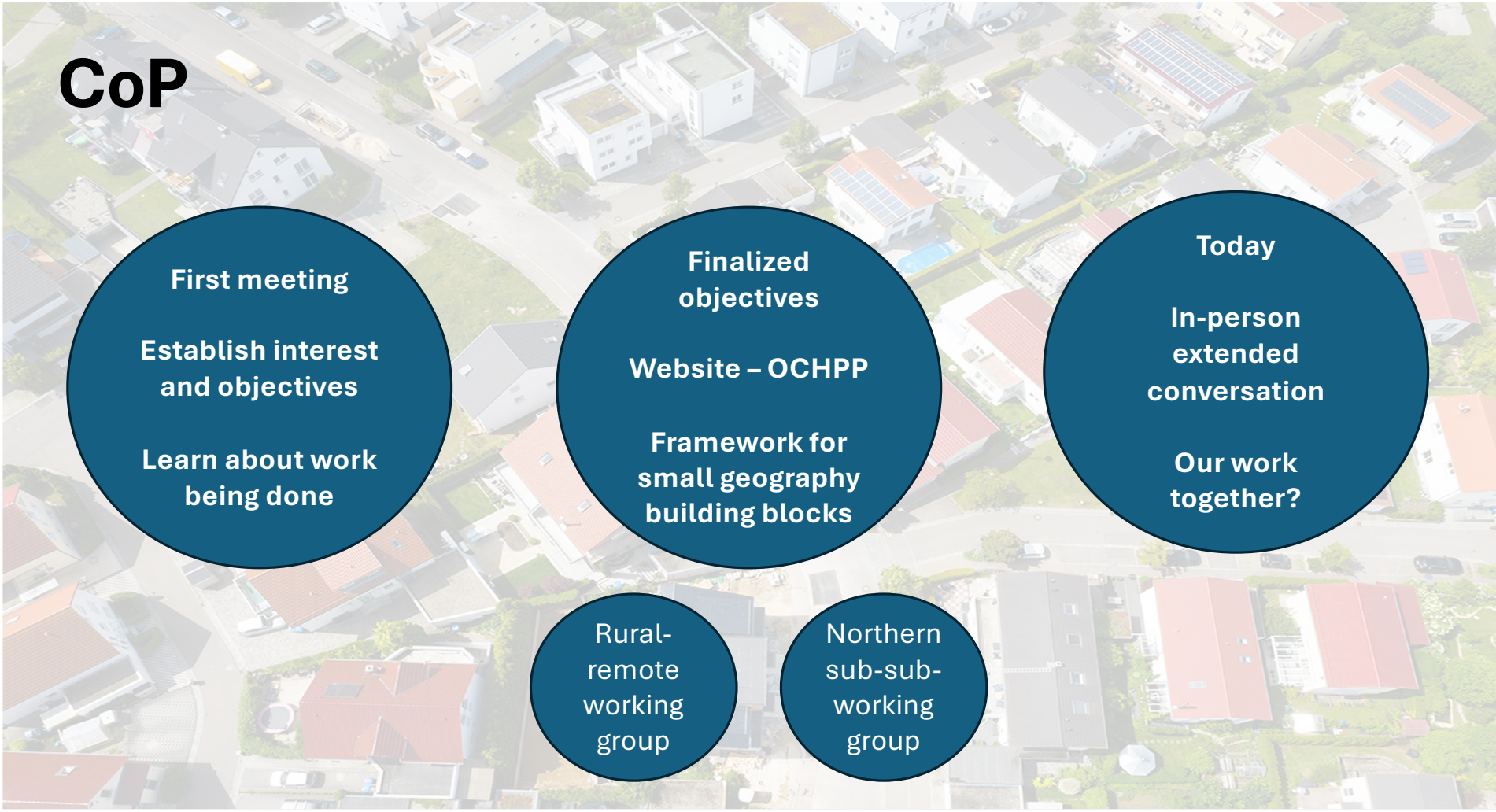
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CoP
First meeting
Establish interest and objectives
Learn about work being done
Finalized objectives
Website – OCHPP
Framework for small geography building blocks
Today
In-person extended conversation
Our work together?
Rural-remote working group
Northern sub-sub-working group



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Setting the Context: Building the Foundation for Small-Area Mapping in Ontario

Anne-Marie Tynan
Research Manager at MAP

OCHPP
Ontario Community Health Profiles Partnership

Leah Czukar
Data & GIS Analyst

Sher Khan
Research Web Developer

Gary Moloney
Spatial Data Analyst

Peter Gozdyra
Research Medical Geographer

Ontario Health: Small Geographies – Current Approach & Future Directions



Karin Hohenadel

Manager, Population Health Data Strategy and Implementation

Primary and Community-Based Care, Ontario Health


Coffee Break

We'll Be Back at 2:30 PM

Up Next: Mini-Symposium-Small Geographies in Practice

Three Flash Presentations

- 10-minute presentation + 5-minute Q&A per speaker
- Followed by a 15-minute open panel discussion and Q&A with all presenters

Moderators: *Catherine Donnelly & Claire Kendall*

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Mapping and OHTs- HSPN: from attribution-based to place-based reporting on OHT geographies

Vijay Kunaratnam

Research Officer, Health System Performance Network (HSPN)



Across-OHT planning – Ottawa: shared geographies across overlapping Ottawa OHTs

Kaden Carr

Research Director, Ottawa Neighbourhood Study | Bruyère Health Research Institute

Neighbourhood data and applied AI for equity in health, housing and food security



Within-OHT planning - FLA OHT: using small geographies to inform health system planning

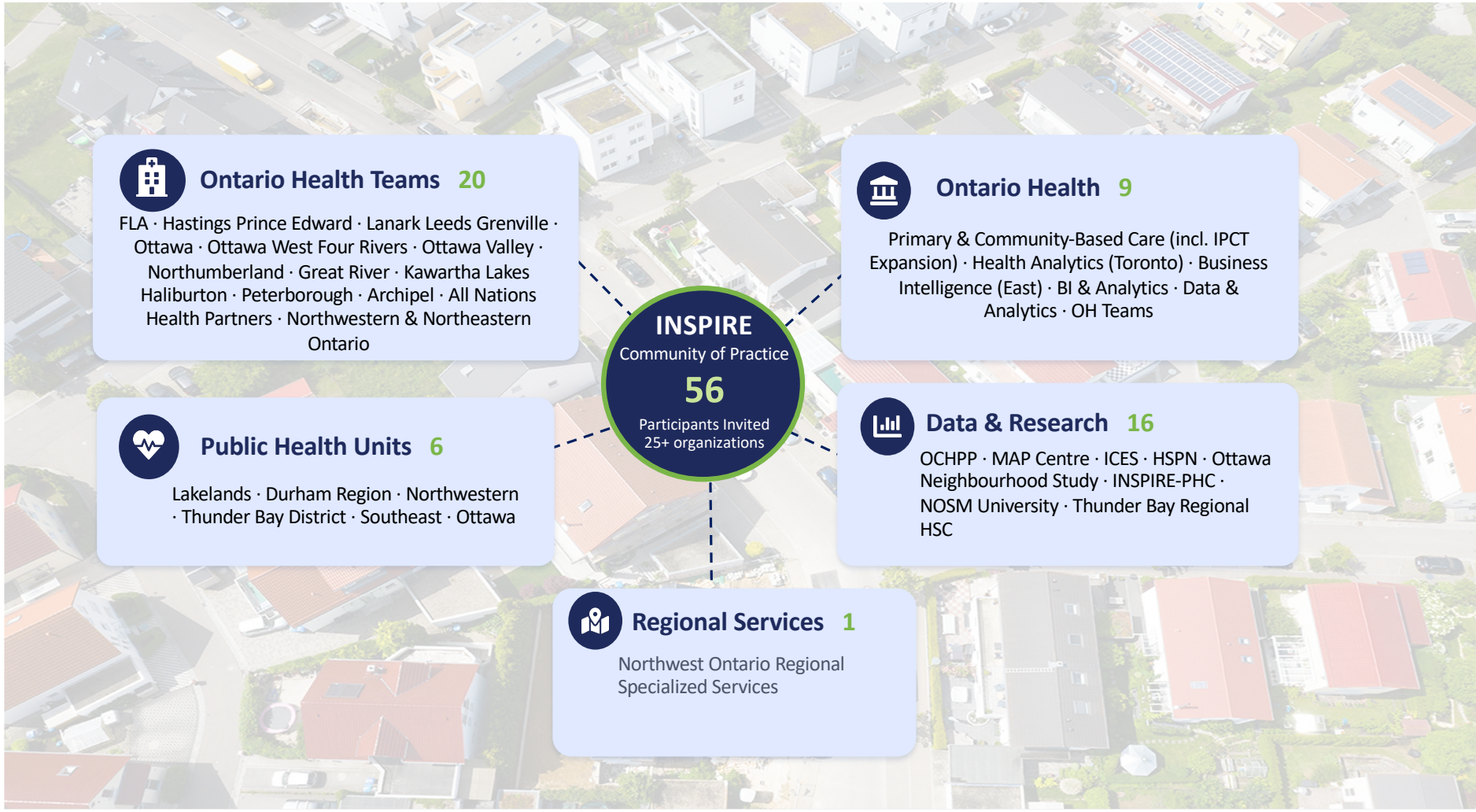
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What Are Key Issues?
Where Do We Go from Here?


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56
Participants Invited
25+ organizations
Ontario Health Teams 20
FLA · Hastings Prince Edward · Lanark Leeds Grenville · Ottawa · Ottawa West Four Rivers · Ottawa Valley · Northumberland · Great River · Kawartha Lakes Haliburton · Peterborough · Archipel · All Nations Health Partners · Northwestern & Northeastern Ontario
Ontario Health 9
Primary & Community-Based Care (incl. IPCT Expansion) · Health Analytics (Toronto) · Business Intelligence (East) · BI & Analytics · Data & Analytics · OH Teams
Public Health Units 6
Lakelands · Durham Region · Northwestern · Thunder Bay District · Southeast · Ottawa
Data & Research 16
OCHPP · MAP Centre · ICES · HSPN · Ottawa Neighbourhood Study · INSPIRE-PHC · NOSM University · Thunder Bay Regional HSC
Regional Services 1
Northwest Ontario Regional Specialized Services



Closing Remarks



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Catherine Donnelly & Claire Kendall

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