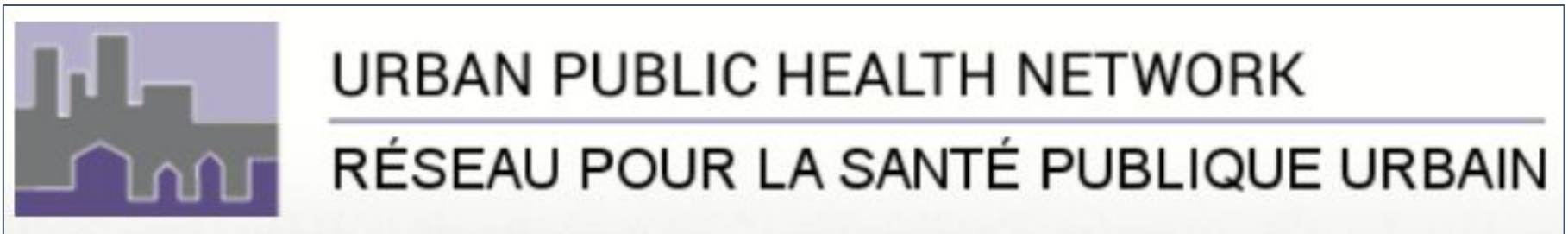


# “Triple Win” examples from the Canadian Urban Public Health Network

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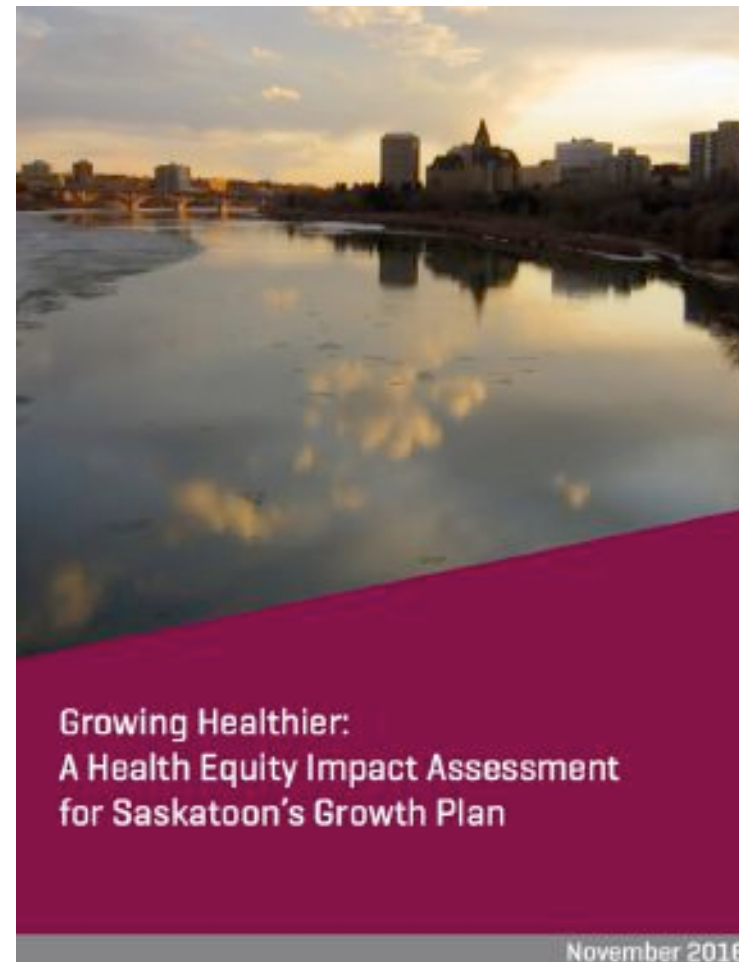
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# Health, Environment and Equity: UPHN member reports

- Health Equity Impact Assessment of Saskatoon's Growth Plan
- Healthy Canada by Design – compilation of results from healthy built environment projects in 17 communities by public health and urban planners
- Gaps in Health report (2008) and Measuring Trends in Health Inequalities report 2019
- Multisectoral Urban Systems for Health & Equity (MUSE) projects



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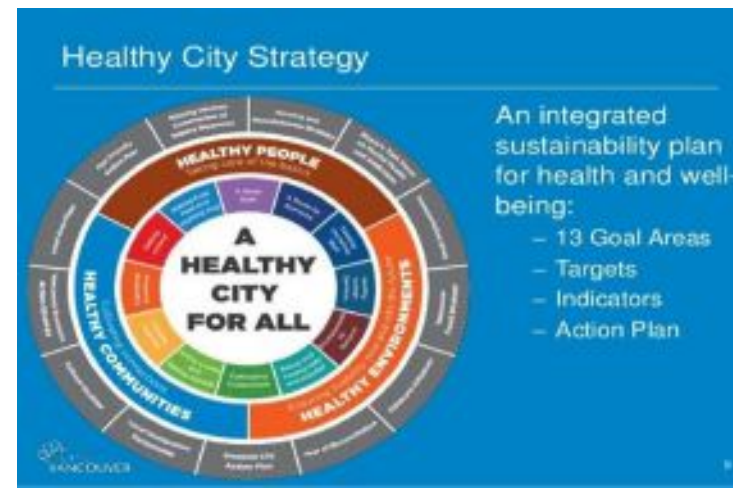
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# Lessons learned

- Working across sectors with partners that have different mandates and ways of speaking about these issues can be challenging
- Creating and Leading Multisectoral Partnerships helps build trust and common purpose
  - Saskatoon Junction Improvement Strategy
  - Vancouver Healthy City Strategy
  - Montréal Métropole en Santé

## The Junction Improvement Strategy



# Networks as enablers of spread and scale

- Creation of UPHN; the network provides twice yearly opportunities to the medical officers of health of Canada's largest cities for :
  - sharing of best practices in delivery and evaluation of public health programs and initiatives in urban centers
  - raising awareness of urban public health issues
  - fostering collaborative action on issues of mutual interest
  - advancing policy change by developing a collective voice for urban public health issues
  - facilitating research in public health.

