



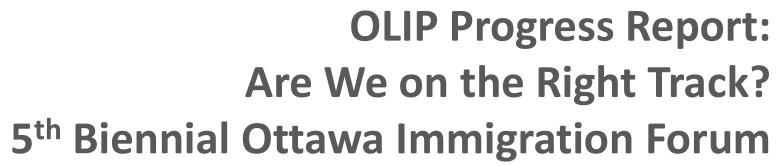
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Our Partnership's Progress Report

Are we on the right track?

- ✓ Mandate & partners
- ✓ Stronger & deeper connections
- Community-based, collaborative and nuanced strategic planning
- ✓ Clearer pathways to progress & impact
- ✓ Discoveries & belonging

And, what are we envisioning going forward?

What is OLIP?

A multi-sectoral partnership of 60 organizations, with the mandate to serve as a catalyst for:

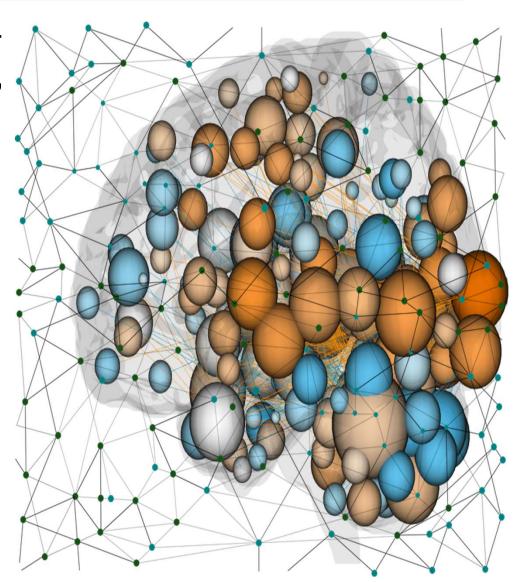
- ✓ building a local partnership of key organizations in support of successful integration of newcomers
- ✓ developing shared understanding and strengthening partners' awareness of challenges, contexts, & opportunities
- ✓ enlarging partners' capacities through common agenda, collective planning, & synergistic collaborations
- ✓ Developing & machinery for sustained engagement and actions & maintaining stewardship over progress

OLIP Partners Represent the Community

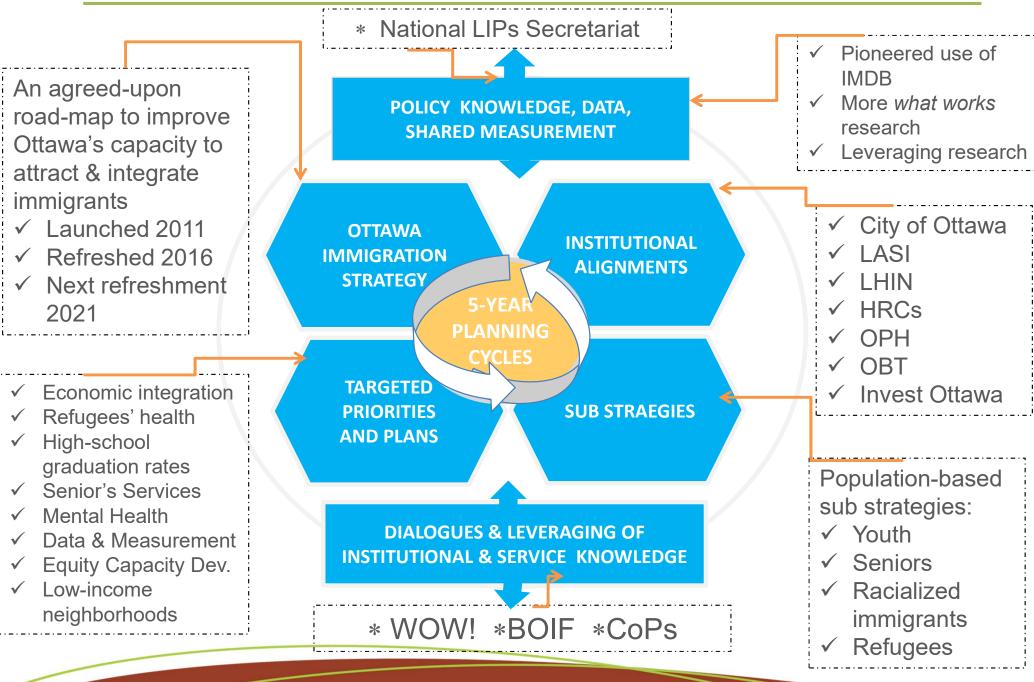
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Improved Connections

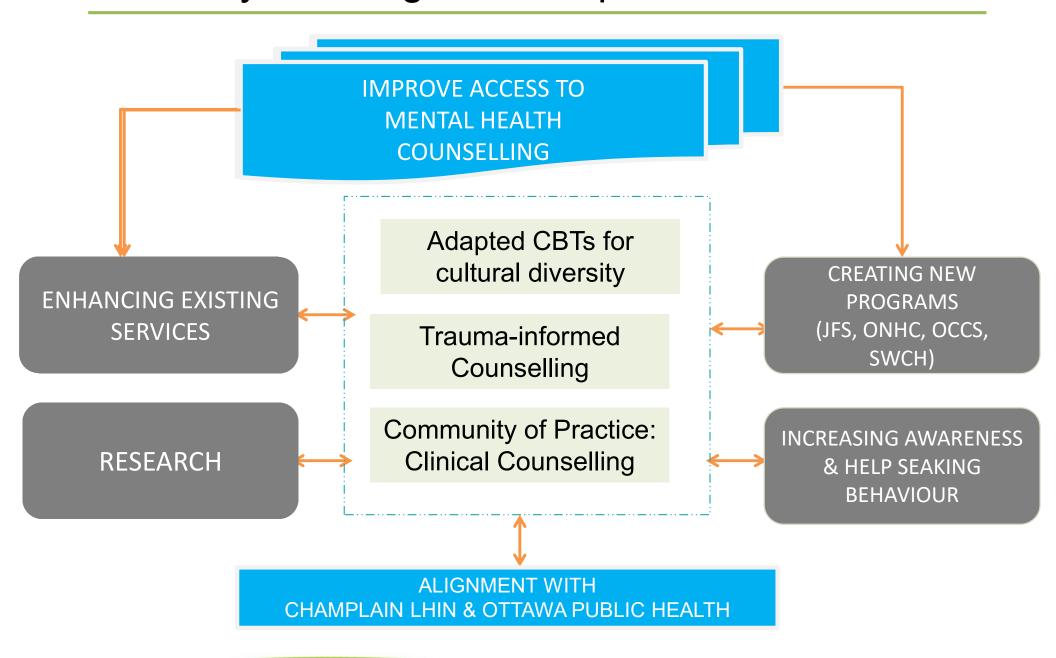
- ✓ Sustained engagement of 60+ organizations, 120 individuals, 10 tables
- ✓ Multi-level governance:
 - Championship (OLG)
 - City council liaison
 - regular cross-sectoral connections of partners
 - > Task-level connections
 - Communities of practice
 - Connection with grass roots associations
- ✓ Improved connection with LIPs across the country



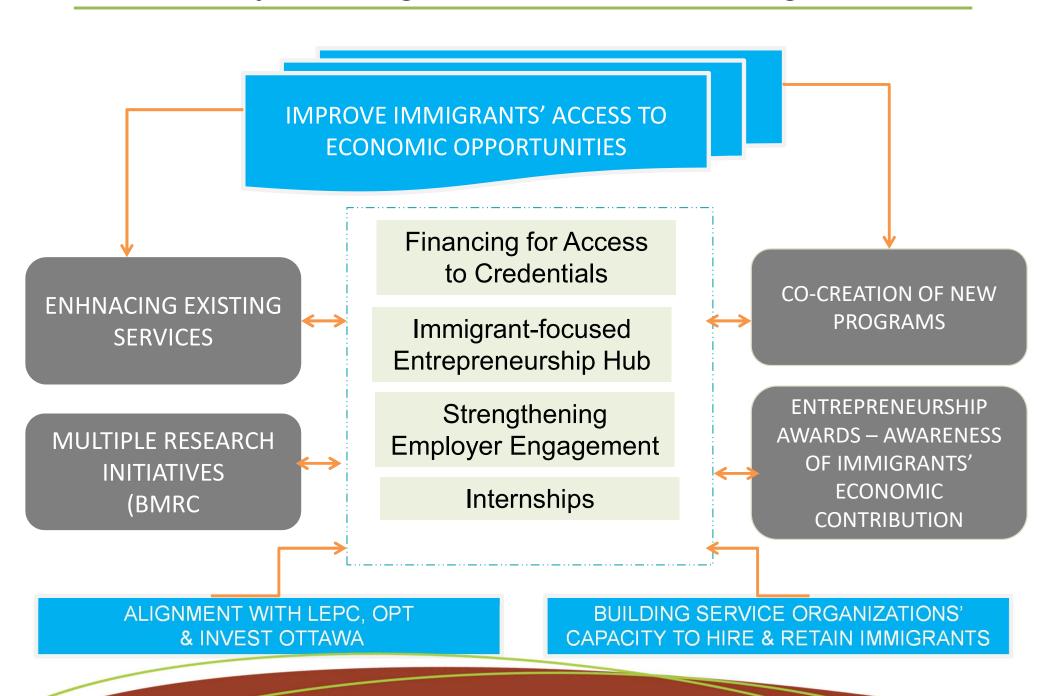
Stronger, More Nuanced Strategic Planning



Pathways to Progress & Impact: Mental Health



Pathway to Progress: Economic Integration



Selected Accomplishments in 2017-19

- ✓ Alignment with Champlain LHIN
- ✓ Expansion of ONHC
- ✓ Community Equity Action Plan
- ✓ New research: The Economic Impact of Immigration in Ottawa-Gatineau CMA
- ✓ New research: The Policy Drivers Behind Ottawa's Immigration Levels
- ✓ 3 Pilot initiatives to test neighborhood based supports to increase the graduation rates of youth in low-income neighborhoods
- ✓ Alignment with LASI & closer collaboration with IRCC
- ✓ WOW19: 106 Events | 12 Awards | Expansion of IHWTs



Integration is a long term, transformative journey affecting both the newcomers and the host community.

WOW is a platform for connections, discoveries, dialogues, and celebration of Ottawa's rich tapestry of culture and creativity



WELCOMING OTTAWA WEEK

Moving Forward

Mainstreaming the integration of immigrants. We need to turn the corner from "special issue" to mainstreamed "community issue" by

- 1. Persuading & supporting key institutions to incorporate newcomer integration in institutions' strategic plans
 - not as an inspirational prelude, but as clear goals supported by action plans, resources, and accountabilities
- 2. Converting successful projects into mainstream programs and scaling them to meet known needs
 - Welcoming Ottawa Week, ONHC, Equity Ottawa, Mental health counselling, and others
- 3. Championing equitable outcomes via the cultivation of equitable & inclusive organizations
 - regulatory, HR, and service practice are configured for changing demographic & cultural landscape
- 4. Building capacity for shared measurement

Thank you!

