

# Stella's Circle

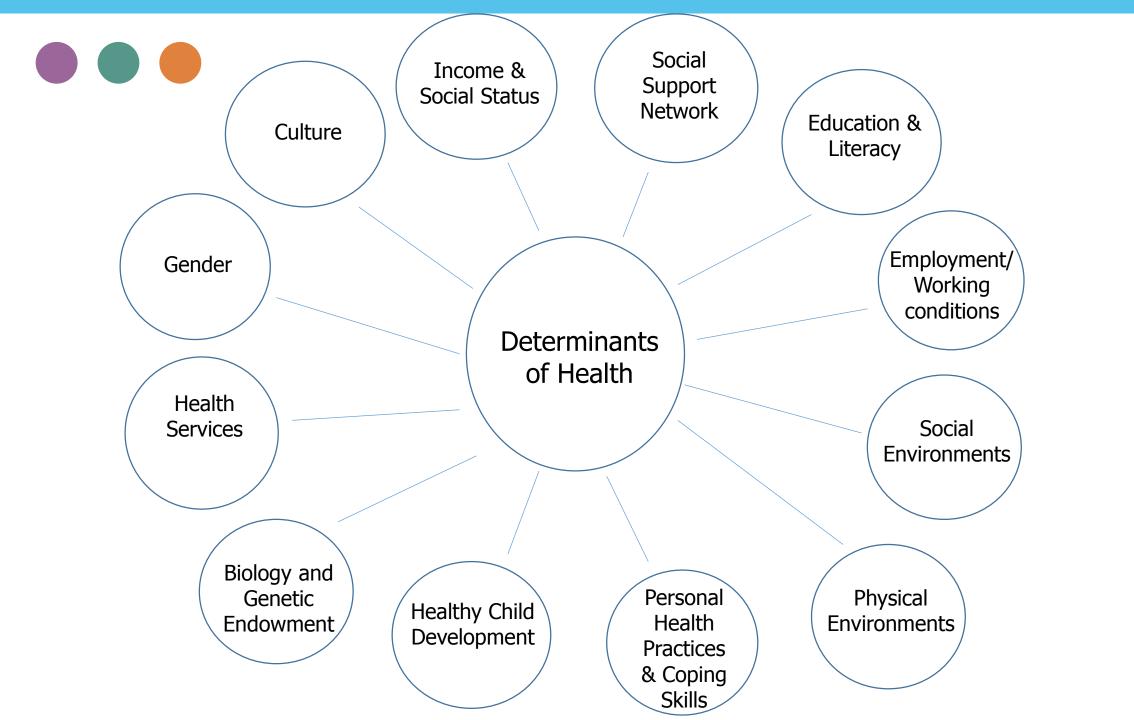
Hope Lives Here

Transforming Lives through Real Homes, Real Help & Real Work









#### Who We Serve



#### Stella's Circle

**Brian Martin Housing** 

**Resource Centre** 

**Naomi Centre Front Step Rapid Re-housing**  **Community Support Program Just Us Women's Centre** 

**Emmanuel House** 

**Intake Assessments & Individual Counselling Employment Counselling & Transition Groups ABE Level 1 Work Experience** 

## Real Homes — Housing Services

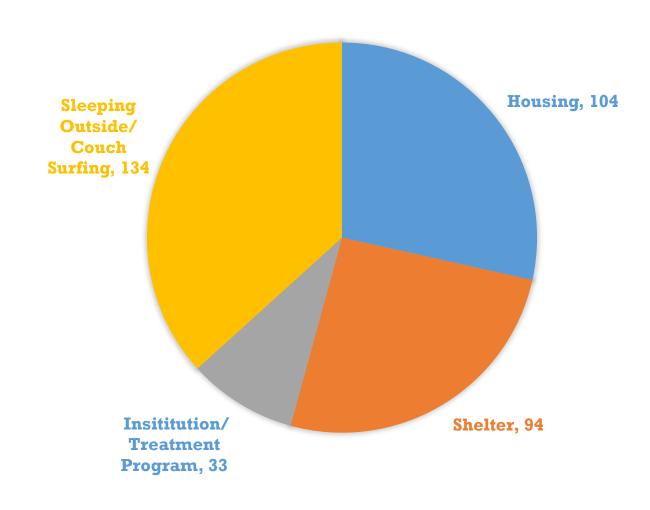


### Real Homes — Front Step

#### LIVING ENVIRONMENT PRIOR TO FRONT STEP (DAYS)

• Age range 18-75

- Addictions 88.3%
- Mental Illness 83%
- Legal History 79.8%

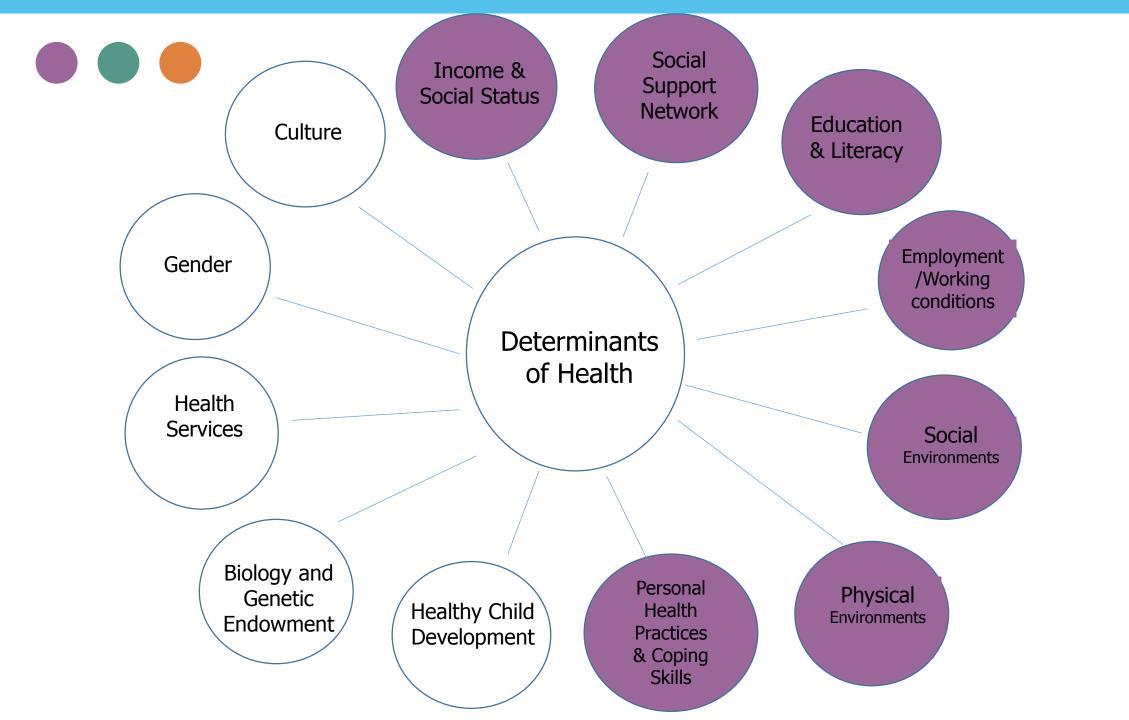


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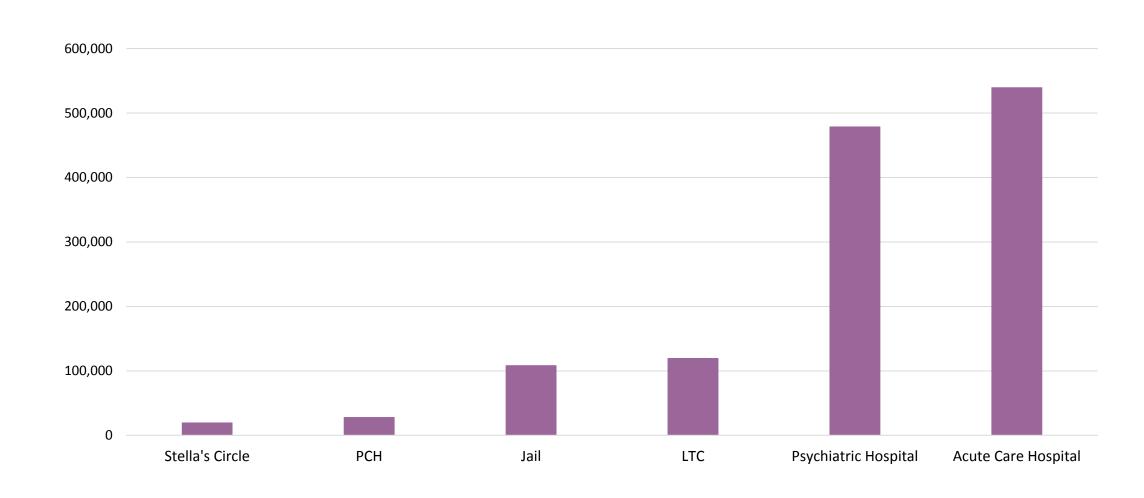
#### Lloyd

- 365 days of homelessness: 329 days in emergency shelters; 36 days in institutional setting
- Moved into a one-bedroom apartment
- Initially struggled but engaged with supports
- Goal: find employment
- Started work with Clean Start: recognized for his determination and work ethic





### Real Homes — Housing Services



### Real Work — Social Enterprise







#### Real Work — Social Enterprise

- 436 participants received services from Employment Services
- 81 participants secured employment or returned to school
- 19,000 hours worked at Clean Start, CanDo, Hungry Heart
- 3,500 workplace-based training hours at Hungry Heart



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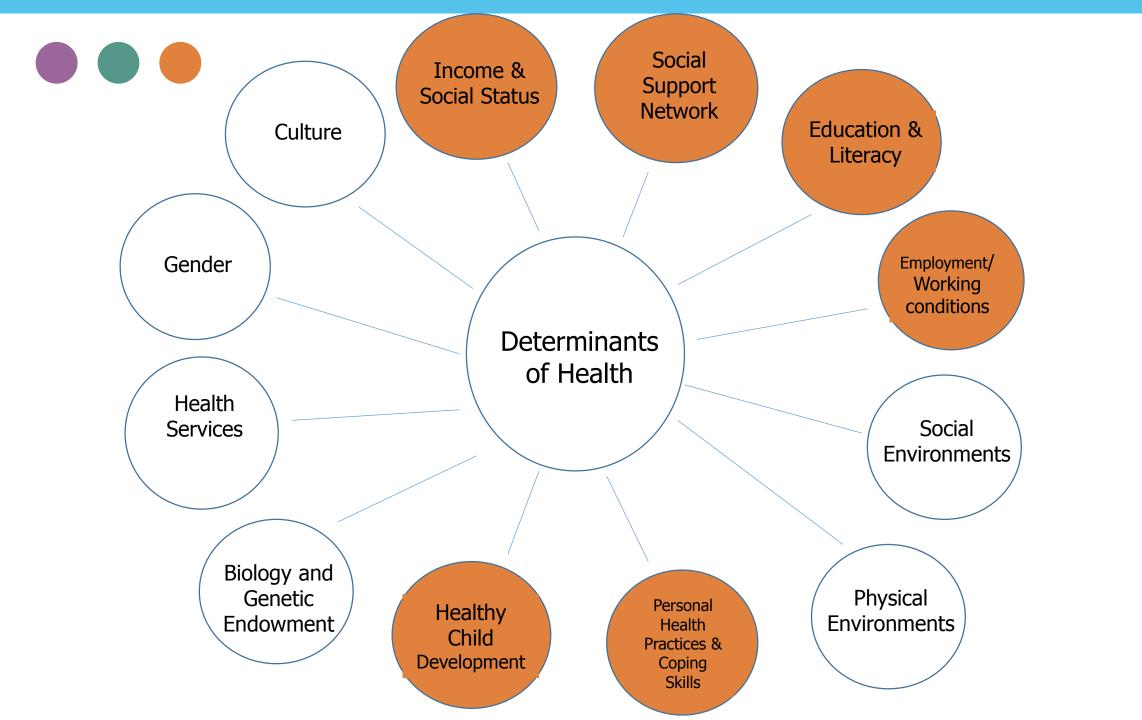
#### • John

- Participated in pre-employment groups and work placements
- Worked alongside our staff
- Barriers to her success ability to deal with change, anxiety, financial unpredictability re labour market transitions

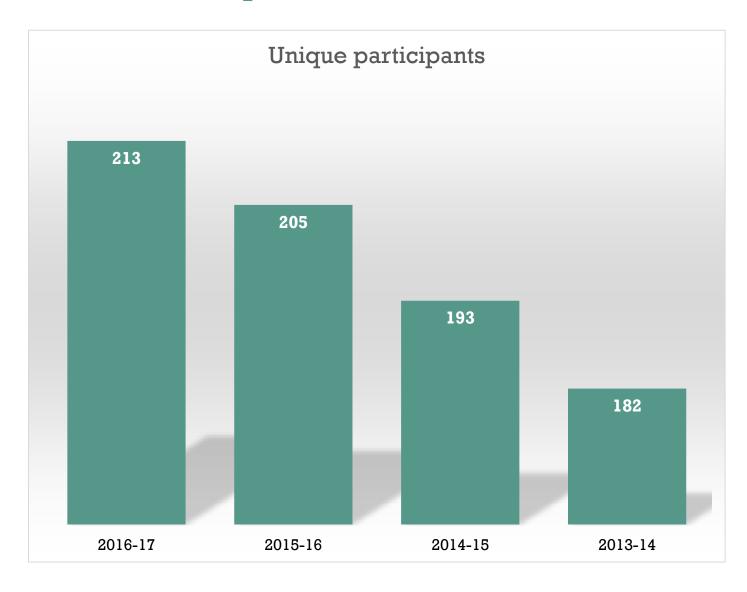
Went from working a couple of hours a week with SC staff to working

independently





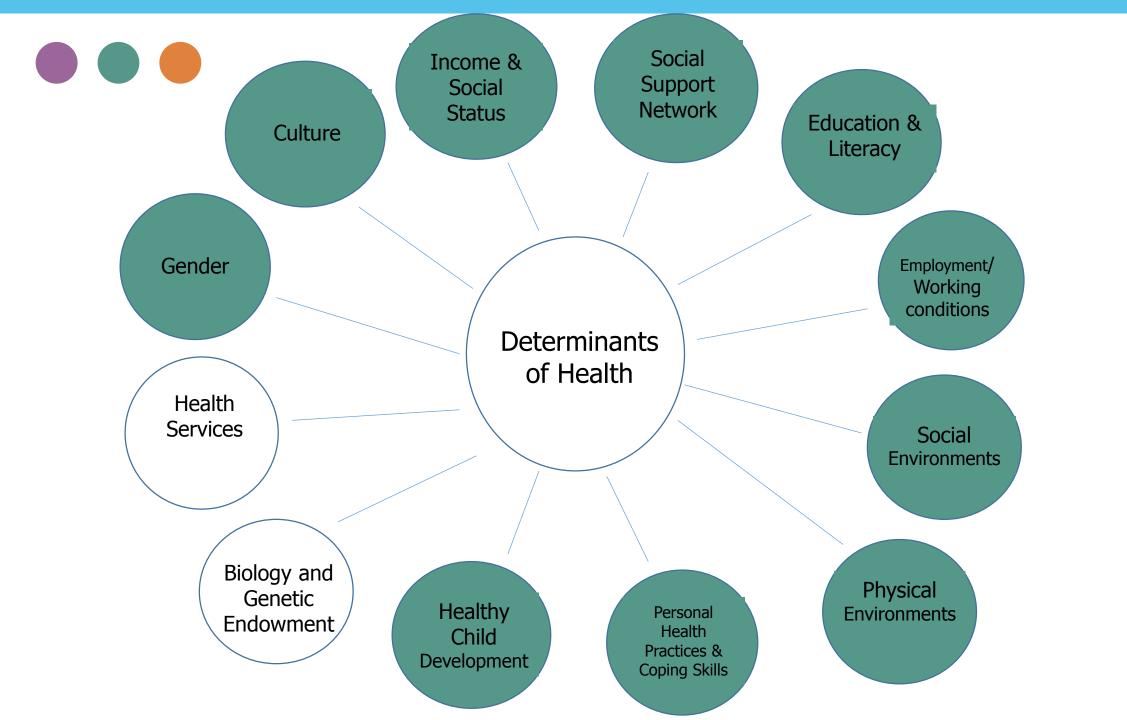
#### Real Help – Just Us



- Average age 36
- Aboriginal 11%

# Real Help – Just Us







- Determinants all interact and must be considered together
- Some determinants have greater impact than others
- True integration of response is critical

Importance of strong community and community organizations

