

Project Fact Sheet

University Park and The Wellness District: Optimizing the Public Realm for Wellbeing

LOCATION: Toronto, Ontario, Canada.

PROJECT TEAM: Public Work, Evergreen, Michael Young Family Foundation.

STAKEHOLDERS: Urban Strategies, KPMB, Stantec, SickKids Redevelopment Leadership, University Hospital Network (UHN) Redevelopment Leadership, Mount Sinai Hospital Redevelopment Leadership.

METHOLOGICA'S INVOLVEMENT:

Workshop Development, Facilitation Guide, and Stakeholder Workshop Facilitation for the University Park and, specifically, the Wellness District.

Defining Wellness in the Context of University Park.

Concept Mapping and integration of design intentions and concepts related to connection and wellbeing at the individual (patient, staff, family, visitor), community, organizational and city level.

Integration of design intentions and concepts related to connection and wellbeing for the University Park proposal in relation to the SickKids Project Horizon, University Health Network, and Mount Sinai hospital redevelopment.

Contributing to design development as relevant to optimizing the public realm for wellbeing.

Engagement of Master of Architecture students in the Department of Architectural Science at X (Ryerson) University in early site observations, conceptualizing wellness, early ideation and development of potential design interventions in the public realm for the University Park Proposal or specific locations within the Wellness District.

TIMELINE: 2021 - ongoing.

UNIVERSITY PARK PROPOSAL WEBSITE: <https://universitypark.evergreen.ca/>

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