



**Clean Indoor
Air Toronto**

Toronto Board of Health Meeting 34

**HL34.4 Public Health Role in Indoor
Air Quality**

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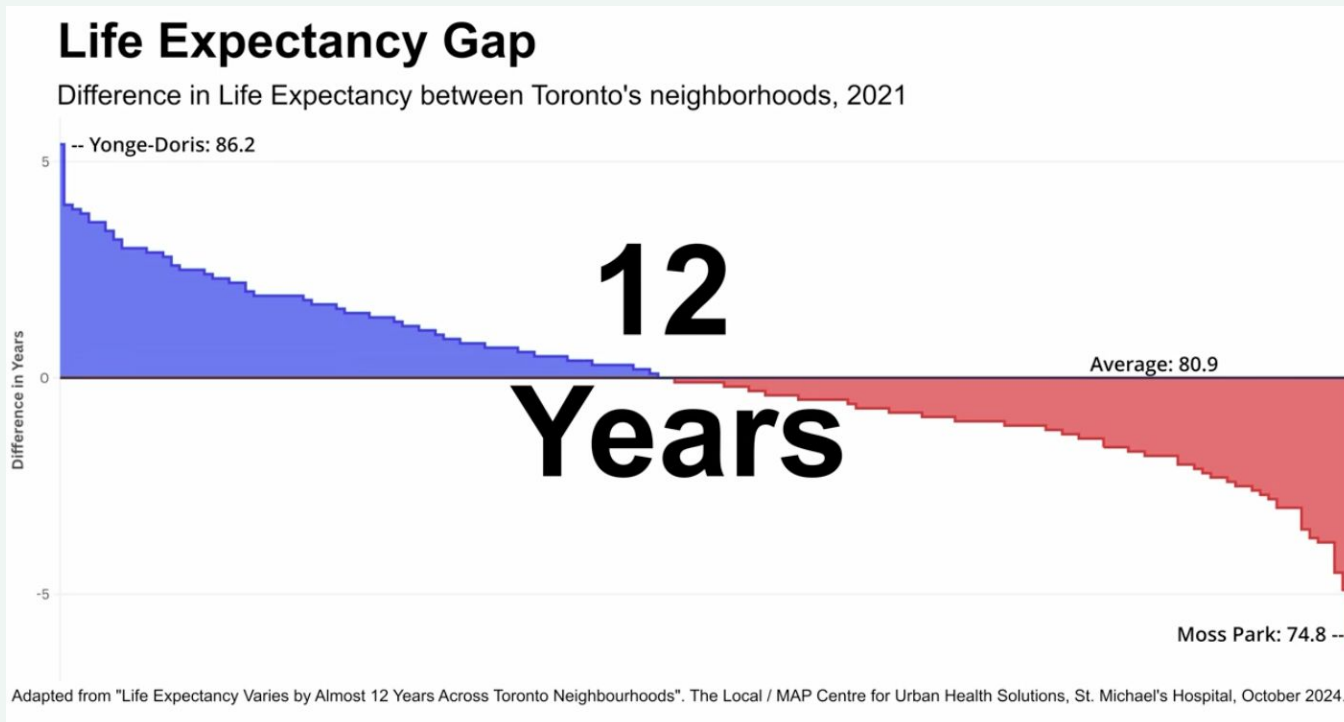
- 1. Strengthen health protection, disease prevention and emergency preparedness***
- 2. Promote health and well-being across the lifespan***
3. Promote the conditions to support positive mental health and reduce the harms of substance use
- 4. Advocate to advance health equity***
- 5. Nurture a positive workplace culture***

** Requires universal access to safe indoor air*

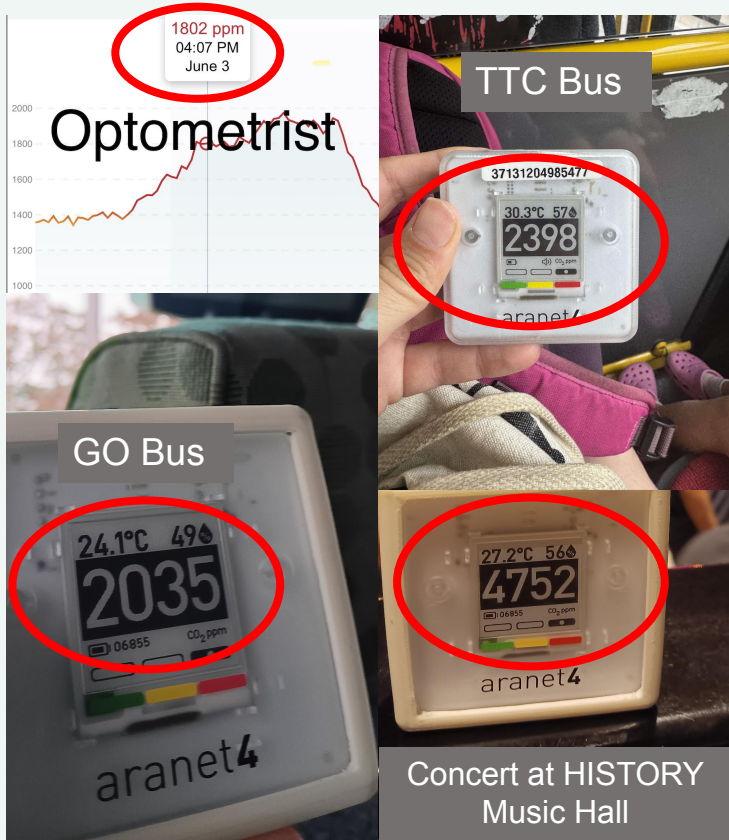
Inequity in Access to Safe Air

~12 year gap in life expectancy across Toronto

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Invisible bubbles of protection



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Additions requested to the Report:

1. Include IAQ guidance with measurable standards for air quality
 - e.g., CO₂<800 ppm is prudent in most settings
2. Include a recommendation to the Province of Ontario to update the Ontario Building Code and enact a Clean Air Act
3. Include a clearly defined plan for public health communications regarding IAQ and airborne hazards
 - Schools, community, vulnerable populations