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ABSTRACT FORM

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Presentation topic	Development of a walking map		
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Time Required	0-10 mins <input type="checkbox"/>	10-20 mins <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	20-30 mins <input type="checkbox"/>
Presentation	<p>Factors in encouraging people to walk include finding out what the barriers are that stop them walking, and providing them with information about what the walking possibilities are. The Newtown & Berhampore Walking Map project, sponsored by the Health Sponsorship Council and carried out by Living Streets Aotearoa, was designed to explore both these as a pilot project to produce a community walking map, and to develop a Walking Map Toolbox for communities to use. At the same time, a similar exercise was being carried out for school walking maps by Educating NZ, who produced both the community and the school Tool Boxes. The map was designed by the Geo-graphics Unit of the School of Geography and Environmental Science at the University of Auckland, and was launched officially on 30 October.</p>		

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