

## Toxics use reduction (TUR) activities in Canada -- People and organisations

### 3.6 Provincial/Territorial focus - Newfoundland & Labrador

Organisation	Contact person(s)	Address	Phone	Website and/or e-mail	Description	Purpose	TUR/cancer prevention activity/ies	Members	Work(ed) with/Member of (examples)	Keywords
Food Security Network of Newfoundland and Labrador		204 Water St. St, John's, Newfoundland and Labrador A1C 1A9	709-754-4122 F: 709-754-4102	<a href="http://www.foodsecuritynews.com">http://www.foodsecuritynews.com</a> E-mail: info(at)foodsecuritynews.com	Provincial, membership-based, non-profit organization. Helped found national group. Wide range of members include individuals and organizations involved in activities including government, farming and environmental protection.	Actively promote comprehensive, community-based solutions to ensure access to adequate and healthy food for all. Raise public awareness about food security issues in province and bring them to decision-makers' attention.	Public outreach to raise awareness of food security. <a href="#">Food Security – It's Everybody's Business!</a> project.	See <a href="#">list</a> on website.	Food Secure Canada	Agriculture Chemicals Environment Food Health Network Occupation Training/ workshops
Memorial University of Newfoundland	Toby Rowe, Sustainability Coordinator, Department of Facilities Management	A1004, Arts and Administration Building St. John's, Newfoundland A1C 5S7	709-737-2637	<a href="http://www.mun.ca/sustain/sustainability_office/">http://www.mun.ca/sustain/sustainability_office/</a> E-mail: toby(r)mun.ca	Works with Advisory Committee on Sustainability (representatives from all parts of the university -- e.g. students, faculty, unions, building services). Determine priorities for sustainability; develop, promote and implement them.		Developing procurement policies about green cleaning products and systems. Scent-free campaign. Considering adoption of <a href="#">Talloires Declaration</a> about sustainable higher education.			Academic Chemicals Cleaners Environment Green purchasing Health Occupation Schools Training/ workshops Workplaces
Memorial University of Newfoundland	Francesca Kerton, Assistant Professor Christ Kozak, Assistant Professor	Green Chemistry and Catalysis Group St. John's, Newfoundland A1B 3X7	Kerton: 709-737-8089 Kozak: 709-737-8082	<a href="http://www.chem.mun.ca/zfac/fmk.php">http://www.chem.mun.ca/zfac/fmk.php</a> E-mail: fkerton(at)mun.ca; ckozak(at)mun.ca	Run green chemistry research group.		Solvent replacement and reduction, especially using water. <a href="#">Green chemistry blog.</a>		Canadian Green Chemistry Network	Academic Chemicals Environment Green chemistry Health Research Training/ workshops

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Newfoundland and Labrador Environment Network	Krista Koch, Executive Director	172 Military Rd. P.O.Box 5125, Stn.C St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador A1C 5V5	709-753-7898 F: 709-726-2764	<a href="http://www.nlen.ca">http://www.nlen.ca</a> E-mail: nlen.ed(at)gmail.com	Non-advocacy member-based organization serving 40-plus member groups in province.	Facilitate communication between non-government environmental organizations and assist with initiatives using non-advocacy methods.	Linking groups.	See <a href="#">list</a> on website.	Provincial Wellness Coalition	Air quality Chemicals Environment Health Network Pesticides and alternatives Training/ workshops Water quality
Newfoundland and Labrador Lung Association	Greg Noel, Director of Environmental Initiatives	2nd Floor, 15 Pippy Pl. St. John's  Mail: P.O. Box 13457, Stn. A St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador A1B 4B8	709-726-4664 888-566-5864 (in Newfoundland and Labrador) F: 709-726-2550	<a href="http://www.nf.lung.ca/">http://www.nf.lung.ca/</a> Email: info(at)nf.lung.ca	Not-for-profit organization, part of national Lung Association.	Achieving healthy breathing for people of Newfoundland & Labrador through programs in education, research and advocacy, sustained by formalized activities of fund-raising, volunteerism, and organizational development.	Air quality programmes. Cosmetic pesticide bans. Scent-free workplaces. Smoking cessation.		Newfoundland and Labrador Environmental Network	Air quality Chemicals Environment Health Indoor air quality NGO Pesticides and alternatives Smoking Training/ workshops
Parents Against Everyday Poisons	Stephanie Stoneleigh	St. John's, Newfoundland	709-895-0939	E-mail: parentsagainsteverydaypoisons(at)live.ca	Grassroots effort to produce newsletter plus fact sheets and small posters about house-hold products containing toxins, including scents. For different audiences (e.g., pregnant and nursing women, churches, etc. Also interested in schools.	Research, educate public, especially parents and grandparents, about serious nature of toxins used in homes.	Fact sheets and posters about toxins in household products.			Chemicals Children Environment Environmental illness Health Household products Schools