

United Way Community Fund- Northwestern NB



The **Community Fund** is the most powerful way to invest in your community. When you contribute to the Community Fund, you are helping children, youth, families, newcomers, individuals living with disabilities, and seniors in your area receive the services that are so invaluable in their daily lives. The United Way Community Fund directly supports the following essential community services in the Victoria, Madawaska, and Restigouche Counties:



Ability NB helps individuals living with a mobility disability and their families through one-on-one rehabilitation counseling and transition planning. Ability NB strives to help people live independently, improve their quality of life and participate in their community and workplace.



CHIMO helpline offers crisis and suicide support for residents of the Woodstock area. They provide a competent level of crisis intervention, referrals, and vital information in a caring, confidential manner.



CNIB provides support, information, and training for individuals living with vision loss. Children, youth, and families with vision loss are supported so they are better prepared for the transition to post-secondary education and future employment.



Easter Seals NB provides access to assistive technology, expertise, and specialized mobility equipment to individuals living with hearing, learning or physical disabilities.



The Family Support Service helps families of individuals with an intellectual or developmental disability and self-advocates navigate the complex government and community agency systems, to help everyone have equal opportunity, the possibility to fully participate in all aspects of life, and connect with other families to share experiences and learn from one another.



New Brunswick Youth Orchestra immerses children in playing orchestral music together as a potent strategy for change. Children build values like focus, discipline, mutual respect, and teamwork. NB Youth Orchestra engages children who would typically be left out. Priority for recruitment includes children from economically disadvantaged families, immigrant families, and indigenous families.



Neil Squire empowers Canadians with disabilities with the right tools to participate in work education and in everyday activities. United Way is supporting Makers Making Change - a new initiative that connects makers to people with disabilities who need assistive technologies.



Sexual Violence NB provides information, support and counseling to those affected by sexual violence and works towards the eradication of sexual violence through social change. United Way supports their Sexual Assault Counselling Program, Youth Sexual Violence Prevention Program, and Volunteer Crisis Intervention Program.

COVID-19 Emergency Support - Northwestern NB

With the declaration of the pandemic, your United Way has been responding to the needs of people in your community. Below are examples of local efforts to help the most vulnerable during COVID-19. Because of donations from caring donors and federal and provincial governments, United Way of Central NB was able to distribute funds to provide emergency relief to those who needed it the most.

Ability New Brunswick	Wellness checks for individuals living with a mobility disability.
Alzheimer's Society	Wellness checks and service navigation.
Atelier R.A.D.O. Inc.	Distribution of meals to low-income children and seniors.
Capital Region Mental Health & Addictions Association	Online support groups and Suicide Intervention Training.
Carleton Victoria Community Vocational Board Inc.	Retrofit of activity area for clients with intellectual disabilities.
Centre D'Apprentissage Dexter Learning Center-	Technology support for individuals living with disabilities
Centre de ressources pour parents du Restigouche	Preparation of emergency measures kits.
Centre Horizon	Services and equipment for clients living with mental illness.
Chimo Helpline	Increase crisis helpline capacity.
Eel River Bar Ground First Nation	Providing healthy food delivery to high-risk first nation families,
L'Escale MadaVic	Essential services for women who are victims of violence.
Food For All NB	Mobilization and alignment of emergency food response efforts.
Fresh for Less Perth-Andover	Food bag program.
The Kidney Foundation of Canada	Provision of at-home support, medical aids, and equipment.
Literacy Coalition of New Brunswick Ltd.	Distribution of literacy booklets to vulnerable families.
Making a Difference Food Bank	Access to food.
Maison Notre-Dame House Inc.	Emergency shelter and basic needs to victims of family violence.
Neil Squire Society	Provision of assistive technology, tools, and resources.
Neqotkuk Health Center	Food bag program.
Restigouche Multicultural Association	Access to food to newcomers.
Service de Bienfaisance	Access to basic needs.
Services a la Famille Restigouche	Equipment to help support the emotional wellbeing of children.
Sexual Violence New Brunswick	Expansion of text and chat-based support services.
Upper Valley Autism Resource Centre	Mentoring program for at-risk youth with Autism
Volunteer Family Services Inc./Valley Food Bank	Shelter for clients to safely wait in during inclement weather.
World Pond Hockey Championship Inc.	Food bag program.
Youth in Action Centre	Establishment of LGBTQ+ Support Group



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-Atelier R.A.D.O.

"The workers at the safehouse are a godsend to all the victims that enter through their doors. They are the only sunshine in this nightmare that I am in and living through"

-L'Escale MadaVic Client



-Youth in Action Centre



2-1-1 SUPPORT IN NEW BRUNSWICK



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When you need
community support.

Dial 2-1-1
or visit 211.ca



HELP STARTS HERE



211 is a free, confidential service that connects people to critical social and community supports. 211 acts as the front door to government and community services, helping people navigate the complex network of programs and services quickly to find what they need for their unique situation. 211 is accessible 24 hours a day, in 170 languages.

On October 15, 211 service was expanded across the country through an investment from the Emergency Community Support Fund by the Government of Canada and United Way Centraide of Canada. Through its network of partners and resources, 211 is now available Canada wide simply by dialing 2-1-1.

211 Service is now available in all three Territories, New Brunswick and Newfoundland and Labrador as well as expanded services in the province of Quebec and the addition of telephone service for the province of Manitoba.



Don't struggle alone.

Call 2-1-1 to connect with mental health supports.



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In 6 months the phenomenal 211 Community Navigators across New Brunswick have answered well over 6000 calls, and connected New Brunswickers to the critical human, social, community and government support they needed, when they needed it most.

Single moms called looking to see how and where they could find help to make sure they and their children would always be ok. Seniors called in for help with their taxes and overcoming loneliness. Fathers picked up the phone for their children struggling with mental health. Community organizations and local agencies dialed 2-1-1 to support their clients and their communities.

211 will continue to support New Brunswickers finding housing support, navigate food access, financial assistance, mental health resources, COVID relief programs, newcomer support, family support and more.

Phones are answered 24/7, 365 days a year, in 170 languages through interpretation services. Anyone can call. Life can be hard, but finding help doesn't need to be.

You can reach 211 in the following ways:

- dial 2-1-1
- dial 1-855-258-4126 (VRS)
- TTY line 1-855-405-7446
- email 211nb@findhelp.ca



Looking for relief on utility bills?

Dial 2-1-1



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SOUTIEN 2-1-1 AU NOUVEAU-BRUNSWICK



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Les navigateurs 211 sont toujours là pour répondre à votre appel.



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211 est un service gratuit et confidentiel qui met les gens en contact avec les services sociaux et communautaires essentiels. Le 211 est la porte d'entrée des services gouvernementaux et communautaires, aidant les gens à naviguer dans le réseau complexe de programmes et de services afin de trouver rapidement ce dont ils ont besoin pour leur situation unique. Le 211 est accessible 24 heures sur 24, dans 170 langues.

Le 15 octobre, le service 211 a été étendu à l'ensemble du pays grâce à un investissement du Fonds d'urgence pour l'appui communautaire par le gouvernement du Canada et Centraide du Canada. Grâce à son réseau de partenaires et de ressources, le service 211 est maintenant accessible partout au Canada en composant simplement le 2-1-1. Le service 211 est maintenant offert dans les trois territoires, au Nouveau-Brunswick et à Terre-Neuve-et-Labrador, ainsi que des services élargis dans la province de Québec et l'ajout d'un service téléphonique pour la province du Manitoba.



Un grand merci à tous nos travailleurs de la santé.



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En six mois, les incroyables navigateurs communautaires 211 du Nouveau-Brunswick ont répondu à plus de 6 000 appels et ont mis les Néo-Brunswickois en contact avec du personnel de soutien humain, social, communautaire et gouvernemental dont ils avaient besoin, au moment où ils en avaient le plus besoin.

Des mères célibataires ont appelé pour savoir comment et où elles pouvaient trouver de l'aide pour s'assurer qu'elles et leurs enfants seraient toujours bien. Des personnes âgées ont appelé pour obtenir de l'aide concernant leurs impôts et pour surmonter la solitude. Des pères ont décroché le téléphone pour leurs enfants aux prises avec des problèmes de santé mentale. Des organisations communautaires et des organismes locaux ont composé le 2-1-1 pour appuyer leurs clients et leurs collectivités.

Le 211 peut vous diriger vers des services de soutien en santé mentale.



Quand la vie change, composez le 2-1-1.



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Gratuit | Confidentiel | 24/7 | Dans plus de 150 langues

Le service 211 continuera d'aider les Néo-Brunswickoises et Néo-Brunswickois à trouver un soutien au logement, et à s'orienter pour avoir accès à de la nourriture, à l'aide financière, aux ressources en santé mentale, aux programmes de secours COVID, au soutien aux nouveaux arrivants, au soutien aux familles et plus encore.

Les téléphones sont pris en charge 24 heures sur 24, 7 jours sur 7, 365 jours par an, dans 170 langues grâce à des services d'interprétation. Tout le monde peut appeler. La vie peut être difficile, mais trouver de l'aide n'a pas à l'être.

Vous pouvez joindre le 211 de la manière suivante :

- composez le 2-1-1
- composez le 1-855-258-4126 (VRS)
- Ligne ATS 1-855-405-7446
- Courriel : 211nb@findhelp.ca