

2010 DIRECTORY OF MEMBER AGENCIES



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United Way
of Peterborough & District 



2010 United Way Member Agencies

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Preface

This directory provides detailed information about the programs and services funded by United Way of Peterborough & District. The individual, business and workplace donations we receive from our annual campaign allow United Way of Peterborough & District to directly support 154 programs and services in the County and City of Peterborough.

All United Way member agencies are provincially incorporated and federally registered charities. They are required to undergo regular financial, governance, and program reviews by United Way's volunteer Funding Review Team. Funding Review Team volunteers review the agency's operations, verify their compliance with government and United Way regulations, and consider the need and merit of their requests for funding.

The 2010-2011 United Way funding amounts listed for each agency in this directory **do not** include funds that were specifically designated to the agency.

In most cases, United Way is only one of the funders that the agencies access. Many receive funding from various governmental agencies such as the Ministry of Health and Long Term Care.

Our agencies welcome enquiries about their programs and services. Please contact them directly or visit their websites. You can also learn more about each agency through United Way's website www.uwpeterborough.ca or through Community Information Services at www.fourinfo.com.

UNITED WAY OF PETERBOROUGH & DISTRICT

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Peterborough's Umbrella Funding Agency Since 1941

Agency Description: A local volunteer-driven, incorporated registered charity that is a member in good standing of United Way-Centraide Canada. Through annual fundraising campaigns, provides funding to many initiatives that build our community and improve the quality of life within the City and County. Funding priorities aimed at the root cause of social issues are:

- Enhancing access to services with an emphasis on local delivery;
- Supporting the reduction of poverty;
- Promoting wellness and prevention strategies through education and information sharing;
- Encouraging partnerships and collaboration to improve service delivery; and
- Increasing community capacity.

UNITED WAY COMMUNITY PROGRAMS:

Organizational & Community Development (OCD) provides training, consultation and guidance to local non-profit organizations; creates leadership opportunities for youth; mobilizes donations of school supplies to youth and children that require assistance; catalogues and disseminates community services information to the public in person, by phone, and through the www.fourinfo.com website; recruits and deploys community response volunteers in the event of a disaster or human care emergency.

Labour Community Services (LCS) trains Union Counsellors or Peer Counsellors to help co-workers find effective solutions to personal problems through guidance, referrals and information. This national program created by the Canadian Labour Congress is implemented in Peterborough as part of a partnership with the Peterborough & District Labour Council.

Number of Volunteers Involved Annually: Over 2,000

Number of Staff: 9 full-time, 1 part-time

Big Brothers & Big Sisters Association of Peterborough Inc.

Darlene Evans, Executive Director

Address: 483 George Street South
Peterborough, ON K9J 3E6
Phone: (705) 743-6100
Fax: (705) 743-1045
Email: peterborobbbs@aol.com
Website: www.bigbrothersandsistersoftbo.com

Member Since: Big Brothers – 1966; Big Sisters – 1972

2010-2011 United Way Funding: \$109,638

Agency Description: Promotes the growth and development of at-risk children by providing the opportunity for one-to-one friendships with positive adult role models as well as the In-School Mentoring program; Big Bunch program; Occasional Big program; Kids n' Kops camp.

United Way Funded Programs: Core Funding

Number Who Benefit Annually: 473 active matches across all programs. 82 children waiting for traditional matches. 69 children waiting for In-School Mentoring program, currently active in 29 elementary schools in Peterborough City and County. More than 60 children participate in the Big Bunch program yearly.

Number of Volunteers Annually: 564

Number of Staff: 5 Full-Time

Canadian Mental Health Association, Peterborough Branch

Mark Graham, Executive Director

Address: 466 George Street North
Peterborough, ON K9H 3R7
Phone: (705) 748-6711
Fax: (705) 748-2577
Email: info@peterborough.cmha.on.ca
Website: www.peterborough.cmha.on.ca

Member Since: 1955

2010-2011 United Way Funding: \$80,000

Agency Description: Offers Peterborough and area a broad range of mental health services and programs for those living with serious mental illness. Operates a Crisis Line and additional programs which serve a larger geographic area. Promotes health & education through workshops and presentations on topics related to mental health and mental wellness.

United Way Funded Programs: Health Promotion & Education program

Number of Volunteers Annually: 150

Number of Staff: 130

Canadian Red Cross, Peterborough, Haliburton and District

Tim Branch, Interim Front Line Manager

Address: Harstone House, 565 Water Street
Peterborough, ON K9H 3M7

Phone: (705) 745-8222

Fax: (705) 745-6234

Email: peterborough-haliburton@redcross.ca

Website: www.redcross.ca

Member Since: 1941

2010-2011 United Way Funding: \$53,000

Agency Description: Volunteer-based humanitarian organization with the mission to improve the lives of the vulnerable.

United Way Funded Programs: Disaster Management; Health Equipment Loan Plan (HELP); Respect ED (abuse prevention); Youth Program.

Number Who Benefit Annually: 9,300

Number of Volunteers Annually: 90

Number of Staff: 5

Community Care Peterborough

Danielle Belair, Executive Director

Address: Queen Alexandra Community Centre
180 Barnardo Avenue
Peterborough, ON K9H 5V3

Phone: (705) 742-7067 TTY 742-2075

Fax: (705) 745-6011

Email: centofc@commcareptbo.org

Website: www.commcareptbo.org

Member Since: 1976

2010-2011 United Way Funding: \$61,000

Agency Description: To provide services that support independence and promote peace of mind for seniors, their families and for adults with physical challenges who live in the City and County of Peterborough including Meals on Wheels, Foot Clinic, Transportation, Friendly Visiting, Reassurance Checks, Diners' Club, Home Making, Home Maintenance, Blood Pressure Clinics, Personal Distress Alarms, Loan Cupboards/Equipment

Registry, Training, information and education, referrals, walking programs; intergenerational programs.

United Way Funded Programs: Core Funding

Number Who Benefit Annually: 9,312 information calls and/or visits; 109,180 units of service; more than 4,075 people.

Number of Volunteers Annually: 892

Number of Staff: 14 full-time, 12 part-time, 7 casual

Community Counselling and Resource Centre

Sue Stinson, Interim Executive Director

Address: 540 George Street North
Peterborough, ON K9H 3S2

Phone: (705) 743-2272

Fax: (705) 742-3015

Email: ccrc@ccrc-ptbo.com

Website: www.ccrc-ptbo.com

Member Since: 1958

2010-2011 United Way Funding: \$185,392

Agency Description: Assists people to strengthen their lives. Promotes community well-being through services that offer counselling, support, and resources to assist with personal well-being; credit and financial management; access to housing; connection to community. Services include: Counselling for individuals, families, couples and groups; Credit Counselling; Community Service Orders; Housing Resource Centre; Public Education and Employee Assistance Plan (EAP). Services are available at various county locations.

United Way Funded Programs: Core Funding

Number Who Benefit Annually: 15,300

Number of Volunteers Annually: 27

Number of Staff: 20 full-time, 9 part-time

Community Living Peterborough

Jack Gillan, Chief Executive Officer

Address: 223 Aylmer Street North
Peterborough, ON K9J 3K3

Phone: (705) 743-2411

Fax: (705) 743-3722

Email: reception@communitylivingpeterborough.ca

Website: www.communitylivingpeterborough.ca

Member Since: 1971

2010-2011 United Way Funding: \$40,000

Agency Description: A not-for-profit organization that brings people with intellectual disabilities and their communities together. Their mission is "to inspire respect and equality for people with intellectual disabilities by promoting community knowledge, organizational excellence, and individual quality of life". Services and supports include: family support, supported housing, employment options, community day options, volunteer services, and community development.

United Way Funded Programs: Volunteer Services Program

Number Who Benefit Annually: 400

Number of Volunteers Annually: 200 - 250

Number of Staff: 70 full-time, 70 part-time

COIN - Community Opportunity Innovation Network Peterborough Inc.

Linda Slavin, General Manager

Address: 251 Charlotte Street
Peterborough, ON K9J 2V2

Phone: (705) 743-0238

Fax: (705) 741-6070

Email: info@coin-ced.org

Website: www.coin-ced.org

Member Since: 2009

2010-2011 United Way Funding: \$44,924

Agency Description: Promotes equality, wellness and empowerment through innovative community economic development and social enterprise initiatives in rural and urban areas with a wide spectrum of clients and community partners. Administers TEKdesk, reBOOT, Natural Blends Cafe, World 2 Go Foods and The Learning Source to provide training for people with barriers to employment; gives guidance to youth, immigrants, women and others interested in starting their own businesses. Administrator for the Community Access Program (CAP) for Peterborough County. In partnership with local agencies, manages the Women Learning, Women Leading, Women Working (W4L2) Project to give training and peer support to vulnerable women.

United Way Funded Programs: Core Funding

Number Who Benefit Annually: 72 trainees, (plus 24,275 general public as customers/CAP users)

Number of Volunteers Annually: 44

Number of Staff: 20

Down Syndrome Association of Peterborough

Deb Reid, Executive Director

Address: 291 Charlotte Street, Unit 3
Peterborough, ON K9J 2V6
Phone: (705) 749-6695
Fax: (705) 749-5864
Email: info@downsyndromepeterborough.ca
Website: www.downsyndromepeterborough.ca

Member Since: 2001

2010-2011 United Way Funding: \$29,500

Agency Description: Provides encouragement and support for people with Down syndrome to participate in all aspects of community life. Advocates for acceptance and opportunities for people with Down syndrome in the community. Provides support to parents and families of Down syndrome children. Promotes awareness to educators, medical professionals and community.

United Way Funded Programs: Core Funding

Number Who Benefit Annually: 80

Number of Volunteers Annually: 40

Number of Staff: 5 (1 Full Time, 4 Part Time)

Elizabeth Fry Society of Peterborough

Joan Corrigan, Executive Director

Address: 223 Aylmer Street North, Unit C
Peterborough, ON K9J 3K3
Phone: (705) 749-6809
Fax: (705) 749-6818
Email: info@efryptbo.org
Website: www.efryptbo.org

Member Since: 1992

2010-2011 United Way Funding: \$74,472

Agency Description: Provides programs and services for criminalized women and those at risk of being in conflict with the law. Advocates for change within the criminal justice system as it impacts directly upon women and children. Programs include; Anger Solutions; Stop Shoplifting; Self-esteem; In Her Own Voice; one-on-one supportive counselling; food cupboard; court support; community education and development.

United Way Funded Programs: Core Funding

Number Who Benefit Annually: 360

Number of Volunteers Annually: 20

Number of Staff: 4

John Howard Society of Peterborough

Kathy Neill, Executive Director

Address: 305 Stewart Street
Peterborough, ON K9J 3N2
Phone: (705) 743-8331
Fax: (705) 743-8340
Email: jhsptbo@jhsptbo.com
Website: www.jhsptbo.com

Member Since: 1957

2010-2011 United Way Funding: \$86,609

Agency Description: Works toward making Peterborough a safer community through prevention, education, and treatment programs assisting those at risk or in conflict with the law.

Operates programs supporting men, women and youth on anger management and family violence. Healing from Within supports men who were victims of sexual abuse as children.

United Way Funded Programs: Youth Outreach, Client Support and Anger Management; Adult Outreach, Client Support and Anger Management; Healing from Within

Number Who Benefit Annually: 1,000

Number of Volunteers Annually: 20

Number of Staff: 10

Kairos Non-Profit Housing of Peterborough Inc.

Janine McDonald, Manager

Address: 185 Romaine Street
Peterborough, ON K9J 2C3
Phone: (705) 741-2483
Fax: (705) 741-1655
Email: kairos@nexicom.net
Website: www.kairoshomes.com/

Member Since: 2000

2010-2011 United Way Funding: \$12,475

Agency Description: Provides safe, affordable housing for women and children who are leaving situations of domestic violence.

United Way Funded Programs: Core Funding

Number Who Benefit Annually: 12-20 families, 12-40 children.

Number of Volunteers Annually: 20-25

Number of Staff: 2

Kawartha Child Care Services

Sheila Olan-MacLean, Executive Director

Address: 550 Braidwood Ave
PO Box 1750
Peterborough, ON K9J 7X6
Phone: (705) 749-3488
Fax: (705) 749-9788
Email: info@kawarthachildcare.com
Website: www.kawarthachildcare.com

Member Since: 1988

2010-2011 United Way Funding: \$39,613

Agency Description: A dynamic non-profit organization dedicated to excellence in early learning and care for children through centre-based programs, home child care programs, before and after school programs and summer camps. Locations throughout the City of Peterborough, Millbrook and Ennismore.

United Way Funded Programs: Infant and Early Learning Care

Number Who Benefit Annually: 700

Number of Volunteers Annually: 20

Number of Staff: 120

Kawartha Food Share

Chris Kawalec, Office Manager

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PO Box 1413
Peterborough, ON K9J 7H6
Phone: (705) 745-5377
Fax: (705) 745-9708
Email: info@kawarthafoodshare.com
Website: www.kawarthafoodshare.com

Member Since: 2001

2010-2011 United Way Funding: \$50,000

Agency Description: Warehouse and distribution centre for emergency food in the City and County of Peterborough providing food to over 40 local agencies operating food banks, food cupboards, and meal programs. Supports 45 school breakfast clubs and meal programs. Works to heighten public awareness of local hunger issues.

United Way Funded Programs: Core Funding

Number Who Benefit Annually: Monthly, over 7,900 people with 32% being youth and children; Daily 5,500 children through school meal programs.

Number of Volunteers Annually: 200

Number of Staff: 4.5

Kawartha Sexual Assault Centre

Brenda Scott, Executive Director

Address: 102 - 411 Water Street
Peterborough, ON K9H 3L9
Phone: (705) 748-5901
Fax: (705) 741-0405
Email: ksac@nexicom.net
Website: www.kawarthasexualassaultcentre.com

Member Since: 2001

2010-2011 United Way Funding: \$41,350

Agency Description: Provides services to victims/survivors of recent and historical sexual assault through professional, well-developed, and responsive services including public education as a preventative measure. All services are immediate, free, and confidential. Services are also available throughout Peterborough County.

United Way Funded Programs: Core Funding

Number Who Benefit Annually: 1,763 individual counselling appointments; 1,563 crisis line calls; 109 advocacy and accompaniment appointments; 508 group counselling clients; 136 public education presentations.

Number of Volunteers Annually: 77

Number of Staff: 5

Kinark Child & Family Services

Alan Vallillee, Area Program Director

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Peterborough, ON K9H 7L7
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Fax: (705) 743-4144
Email: alan.vallillee@kinark.on.ca
Website: www.kinark.on.ca

Member Since: 2000

2010-2011 United Way Funding: \$30,000

Agency Description: Provides a full range of free and confidential children's mental health services to children and youth with mental health issues, as well as support to their families and caregivers. Programs include; Individual/Family Counselling; Home-Based Family Preservation Services; In-School Programs; Residential Services; TAPP-C Program (arson prevention program); Respite; Mental Health Promotion and Public Education; Triple P and SNAP Parental Education Programs; Supervised Access; Preschool Consultation; Therapeutic Family Care; Psychiatric/Psychological Consultation and Assessment.

United Way Funded Programs: Parent Education Programs
Number Who Benefit Annually: 950
Number of Volunteers Annually: 100
Number of Staff: 44

Learning Disabilities Association of Peterborough

Shari Davis, Executive Director

Address: 204 - 159 King Street
Peterborough, ON K9J 2R8
Phone: (705) 748-9455
Fax: (705) 748-9455
Email: administration@ldaptbo.com
Website: www.ldaptbo.com

Member Since: 1981

2010-2011 United Way Funding: \$59,675

Agency Description: Provides a resource library; self advocacy training; self advocacy groups and advocacy support; one-to-one resource facilitation support; parent education groups; Adaptive Technology Training; CAP (Computer Access Program); Computers for Literacy Development tutoring program; SOAR Program (transitional support for learning disabled students moving into high school), Job-Fit Program (Employment preparedness for learning disabled adults), community education presentations and seminars; quarterly newsletter.

United Way Funded Programs: Core Funding

Number Who Benefit Annually: 9,814 people

Number of Volunteers Annually: 85

Number of Staff: 2 Full Time/6 Part Time/20 Casual

Multiple Sclerosis Society of Canada, Peterborough Chapter

Gayl Hutchison, Chapter Coordinator

Address: 1022 High St
PO Box 324
Peterborough, ON K9J 6Z3
Phone: (705) 748-4221
Fax: (705) 748-4527
Email: mssociety@cogeco.net
Website: www.mssociety.ca

Member Since: 1966

2010-2011 United Way Funding: \$33,000

Agency Description: Enhances the independence and quality of life of people with Multiple Sclerosis and their families through

direct services and programs including: financial assistance; education; support counselling; advocacy; self-help groups; social activities. Also supports research into the cause and cure of Multiple Sclerosis.

United Way Funded Programs: Core Funding

Number Who Benefit Annually: 260

Number of Volunteers Annually: 315

Number of Staff: 1.3

New Canadians Centre - Peterborough

Ziyah D. Markson, Executive Director

Address: 205 Sherbrooke Street, Unit D

Peterborough, ON K9J 2N2

Phone: (705) 743-0882

Fax: (705) 743-6219

Email: info@nccpeterborough.ca

Website: www.nccpeterborough.ca

Member Since: 1989

2010-2011 United Way Funding: \$15,000

Agency Description: Assists newly arrived immigrants and refugees to Peterborough and area by providing settlement and integration programs and services. Offers settlement counselling, employment services, computer classes, language assessments, and a variety of programs and workshops. The Host Program matches newcomers with local citizens who assist them to adjust to their new life in Canada. Settlement Counselling includes general counselling, community orientation, assistance with arranging interpretation and translation, help filling out forms, and information on government and community services. Employment Counselling facilitates the employment of newcomers in their field of choice by providing current information and professional guidance. Employment assistance services are also available for foreign-trained professionals who require assistance with credential evaluation and accreditation. The Newcomers Mentorship Program allows foreign-trained professionals the opportunity to receive support and advice from established professionals in their field.

United Way Funded Programs: Core Funding

Number Who Benefit Annually: 900 people, 2,000 contacts and visits, 4,000 services, public education to 600 people

Number of Volunteers Annually: 150

Number of Staff: 10 full-time, 3 part-time

Nursery Two Inc.

Teresa Burke, Executive Director

Address: 746 Park Street South
Peterborough, ON K9J 3T4
Phone: (705) 745-7553
Fax: (705) 745-7571
Email: nurserytwochildcare@gmail.com

Member Since: 1981

2010-2011 United Way Funding: \$62,467

Agency Description: Their goal is to provide a warm, secure, and stimulating environment in which the individual child's uniqueness is recognized and his or her developmental needs are met. Licenced for children 12 months to 12 years of age.

United Way Funded Programs: Transportation; Fee Assistance; Families in Crisis

Number Who Benefit Annually: 188 Families

Number of Volunteers Annually: 45

Number of Staff: 16

PARN - Your Community AIDS Resource Network

Kim Dolan, Executive Director

Address: 302 - 159 King Street
Peterborough, ON K9J 2R8
Phone: (705) 749-9110 1-800-361-2895
Fax: (705) 749-6310
Email: getinformed@parn.ca
Website: www.parn.ca

Member Since: 2000

2010-2011 United Way Funding: \$18,231

Agency Description: Provides support, prevention education, health promotion, and advocacy for people living with and affected by HIV/AIDS, and for those at risk of HIV transmission both in the community and in prison. Provides education on HIV/AIDS, Hepatitis C and related issues to the broader community. Offers a harm reduction program; social marketing campaigns; facilitation and programs for youth; online education and outreach for people with HIV and hepatitis C; HIV women's program to address women's risks for HIV transmission. Supports the development of gay-straight alliances in local high schools and Peterborough Pride events; raises awareness of the risks associated with homophobia/heterosexism; training for service providers, youth and community members to create safer spaces for lesbian, gay,

bi-sexual, transgender, and two-spirited, queer and questioning youth; plans events with and for LGBTTOQ youth in our community.

United Way Funded Programs: Rainbow Youth Coalition

Number Who Benefit Annually: Over 100 people who are HIV infected and affected; over 300 people who access harm reduction materials, LGBTTOQ youth in our community, service providers and community members who attend training and events in the city and county.

Number of Volunteers Annually: Over 100 volunteers annually who provide reception support, governance, event and fundraising planning and implementation.

Number of Staff: 7 full-time, 3 part-time

Peterborough Community Chaplaincy

Dan Haley, Executive Director

Address: PO Box 235

Peterborough, ON K9J 6Y8

Phone: (705) 741-4172

Email: ptbochaplaincy@nexicom.net

Website: www.ptbochaplaincy.org

Member Since: 2007

2010-2011 United Way Funding: \$52,500

Agency Description: Provides a supportive environment and practical daily assistance to people making the transition from prison to community with the primary focus on community safety and the belief that everyone has equal value and worth. Support services include: safe, affordable transitional housing; life skills training; employment assistance; secure financial assistance; acquire medical care; diet and nutrition information and guidance.

United Way Funded Programs: Core Funding

Number Who Benefit Annually: 40—50 clients

Number of Volunteers Annually: 95

Number of Staff: 1

Peterborough Family Resource Centre

Barbara Lillico, Executive Director

Address: 201 Antrim Street

Peterborough, ON K9H 3G5

Phone: (705) 748-9144

Fax: (705) 748-9177

Email: administrator@pfrc.ca

Website: www.pfrc.ca

Member Since: 1984

2010-2011 United Way Funding: \$60,000

Agency Description: Designated as the Ontario Early Years Centre for Peterborough, provides free programs and information for parents throughout the city and county including: father/mother and child programs; pregnancy, birth, and infant development; school readiness; speakers' bureau; parenting courses; support groups; child development and parenting information; coordination and delivery of parenting programs and nursery support at the Peterborough School for Young Moms; child care information and options; toy and book lending library; a link to other early years services; volunteer opportunities. The PFRC is the administrator of all School Nutrition Programs for Central East Ontario.

United Way Funded Programs: Mobile Outreach Services; School for Young Moms

Number Who Benefit Annually: 40,000 visits

Number of Volunteers Annually: 125

Number of Staff: 26

Peterborough Social Planning Council

Brenda Dales, Executive Director

Address: 27 - 360 George Street North
Peterborough Square, Lower Level
Peterborough, ON K9H 7E7

Phone: (705) 743-5915

Fax: (705) 748-6174

Email: pspc@pspc.on.ca

Website: www.pspc.on.ca

Member Since: 1977

2010-2011 United Way Funding: \$72,700

Agency Description: Serves the City and County by providing sound, unbiased research on important local issues including income security, homelessness, poverty, child development, violence prevention, and access to food and shelter. Facilitates active, broad-based citizen participation in shaping healthy communities in Peterborough City and County. Acts as a catalyst for positive, sustainable social change. Activities include public education; social research; social policy analysis; community development; partnerships with other organizations and groups.

United Way Funded Programs: Core Funding

Number Who Benefit Annually: All residents of Peterborough City and County

Number of Volunteers Annually: 100

Number of Staff: 3 staff + fee for service contracts

Peterborough Youth Services

Jamie Emerson, Executive Director

Address: 459 Reid Street
Peterborough, ON K9H 4G7
Phone: (705) 743-1681
Fax: (705) 743-1994
Email: pysyouth@peterboroughyouthservices.ca
Website: www.peterboroughyouthservices.ca

Member Since: 1979

2010-2011 United Way Funding: \$54,085

Agency Description: Provides individual, family and peer group counselling for youth 10 to 18 years of age who are struggling with social and emotional difficulties such as the trauma of abuse, parent/child conflict, family breakdown, conflict with the law, and others. Mobile crisis/community outreach supports provided for children and youth between the ages of 10 – 19 and their families that include crisis resolution, family mediation, case planning and advocacy and ongoing case facilitation. Relapse prevention counselling and programs provided for adolescents who have been convicted under the Youth Criminal Justice Act and are assessed by their probation officers to be high-risk offenders between the ages of 12 - 19.

United Way Funded Programs: Community Outreach
Prevention; Resource Development

Number Who Benefit Annually: 1,200

Number of Volunteers Annually: 28

Number of Staff: 16 + 35 fee for service contracts

Schizophrenia Society of Ontario, Peterborough/Durham Region

Allyson Susko, Regional Coordinator

Address: 466 George Street North
Peterborough, ON K9H 3R7
Phone: (705) 749-1753
Fax: (705) 749-6175
Email: jmarquis@schizophrenia.on.ca
Website: www.schizophrenia.on.ca

Member Since: 1989

2010-2011 United Way Funding: \$45,000

Agency Description: Improves the quality of life for families affected by schizophrenia. Family is defined as caring relationships between people with schizophrenia, their relatives, friends, and other individuals in a supportive capacity. Mandated to support,

educate, engage, and empower families; promote community awareness; advocate on behalf of families affected by schizophrenia; work cooperatively with organizations for allied disorders; support and advocate for relevant research; promote early intervention; family education and support group; resource centre; Strengthening Families Together caregiver education program; service provider education program; student and teacher education; Behind the Mind's Eye Festival; Squeaky Wheel Guide to Mental Health Services; volunteer coordination.

United Way Funded Programs: Core Funding

Number Who Benefit Annually: 900 individuals, professionals, and agencies

Number of Volunteers Annually: 26

Number of Staff: 2

St. John Ambulance - Peterborough Branch

A. McLeod, Chairperson

Address: 1500 Lansdowne Street West
Peterborough, ON K9J 2A2

Phone: (705) 745-0331

Fax: (705) 745-6002

Email: sjapeterborough@bellnet.ca

Website: www.sja.ca

Member Since: 1953

Agency Description: Enables residents to improve their health, safety, and quality of life by providing training and community service. Each year thousands of local residents are trained in essential lifesaving skills through First Aid, CPR, and babysitting courses. CPR and emergency First Aid assistance is provided for up to 100 annual community events. Provides direct assistance to the community during emergencies and disasters. Visits Peterborough and area elementary schools annually providing lifesaving lessons in First Aid, CPR, and general safety information. Sells a variety of first aid kits and supplies for workplace or home.

Number Who Benefit Annually: 20,000 school children in the free school program; 500 youth in the babysitting program; 5,000 people in First Aid/CPR courses; all residents of Peterborough area from St. John Ambulance's community services.

Number of Volunteers Annually: 65

Number of Staff: 3 (2 full-time, 1 part-time)

Telecare Distress Centre of Peterborough Inc.

Merrill Alton-Graham, Coordinator

Address: PO Box 1535
Peterborough, ON K9J 7H7
Phone: (705) 745-2273
Email: info@telecarepeterborough.org
Website: www.telecarepeterborough.org

Member Since: 2003

Agency Description: Trained volunteers offer a listening ear 24 hours a day, seven days a week, 365 days a year. Calls range from loneliness to suicide. Makes reassurance calls to seniors and shut-ins.

Number Who Benefit Annually: Over 11,000 calls in 2009

Number of Volunteers Annually: 80

Number of Staff: 0

Trent Child Care Centre Inc.

Marie-Anne Saucier, Executive Director

Address: 236 Parkhill Road East
Peterborough, ON K9H 1R2
Phone: (705) 775-2811
Fax: (705) 775-2812
Email: info@trentchildcare.com
Website: www.trentchildcare.com

Member Since: 1986

2010-2011 United Way Funding: \$16,584

Agency Description: Partnership of early childhood educators and parents who provide high quality child care for children 6 weeks to 12 years at four locations across Peterborough and County.

United Way Funded Programs: Infant Care Program

Number Who Benefit Annually: 266 families

Number of Volunteers Annually: 55

Number of Staff: 33

Trent Valley Literacy Association

Teresa Kerr, Executive Director

Address: 139 Douro Street
Peterborough, ON K9H 1H5
Phone: (705) 749-0777
Fax: (705) 749-0084
Email: info@trentvalleyliteracy.ca

Website: www.trentvalleyliteracy.ca

Member Since: 2009

Agency Description: Provides one-on-one tutoring in reading, writing, math and computers; small group instruction to help prepare for GED or community college; pre-employment training and life skills development.

Number Who Benefit Annually: 200 families

Number of Volunteers Annually: 70

Number of Staff: 4

VON Peterborough, Victoria, and Haliburton Site

Lori Cooper, Acting Executive Director

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Email: reception@von.ca

Website: www.von.ca

Member Since: 2003

2010-2011 United Way Funding: \$24,734

Agency Description: Provides quality community health and support services to vulnerable members of the community to enable them to live independently. Visiting Nurse Program provides nursing services within the home, downtown clinic or institutional setting (shift nursing). Foot care services can be provided in home or clinic setting throughout Peterborough City and County. Wellness services include: influenza immunization; hepatitis immunization; blood pressure, glucose, cholesterol clinics; and health care educational sessions. A clinic in the downtown core serves the healthcare needs of at risk homeless persons. Nurse Practitioner Clinic in Keene provides primary health care services to residents of Otonabee-South Monaghan. Adult Day Programs provide social experiences in a safe and stimulating environment for older adults and respite for caregivers in Peterborough, Lakefield and Havelock. Weekend Stay Program provides a 48 hour weekend respite opportunity for up to four Day Program clients within the Peterborough Centre. In-Home Respite C.A.R.E. Program is designed to provide in-home respite assistance for persons with Alzheimer's disease and related dementia. SMART Group Exercise Program leads gentle exercises for people over 55 who wish to improve their health and well-being. Group programs offered at locations throughout

Peterborough City and County including First Nations locations. SMART In-Home Exercise Program is designed to maintain or improve functional fitness for people over 55 who are housebound or have limited access to the community. Neighbours Helping Neighbours is intended to increase the capacity of community members to provide informal respite for neighbours and friends. Volunteers trained in abuse prevention of older adults are available to provide education and awareness presentations to service groups, seniors' organizations, and interested members of the public. Information on long term care services and assistance in accessing the right service or resource for individuals and families is also available. Advice and support to organizations to respond to unmet community health and social needs. Provides support to organizations such as the Coalition for Oral Health/Dental Care. Works in partnership with others to promote healthy individuals and communities.

United Way Funded Programs: Foot Care Services

Number Who Benefit Annually: 6,500

Number of Volunteers Annually: 85

Number of Staff: 160

YMCA of Peterborough

Bob Gallagher, Chief Executive Officer

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Peterborough, ON K9J 3H8
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Website: www.peterboroughymca.org

Member Since: 1941

2010-2011 United Way Funding: \$78,500

Agency Description: Dedicated to promoting health and well-being within the community. In addition to the health and recreation facility on Aylmer Street South, YMCA also operates a licensed child care centre, school age programs and day camp programs in the Lakefield area.

United Way Funded Programs: Youth subsidized memberships, Summer Day Camp assistance

Number Who Benefit Annually: 22,000

Number of Volunteers Annually: 250

Number of Staff: 32 full-time, 130 part-time

Youth Emergency Shelter of Peterborough Inc.

Walter Johnstone, Executive Director

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Peterborough, ON K9H 2P4
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Fax: (705) 748-6697
Email: general@yes-shelter.org
Website: www.yes-shelter.org

Member Since: 2001

2010-2011 United Way Funding: \$22,900

Agency Description: Provides emergency and transitional shelter for homeless youth between the ages of 16 and 24 and families.

The shelter is available 24 hours a day and is fully supervised.

Shelter residents receive basic care, meals, and life skills instruction. Operates a second stage housing program for youth in need of semi-independent living. Facilitates job training programs for youth who are out-of-school and out-of-work.

United Way Funded Programs: Core Funding

Number Who Benefit Annually: 250-300

Number of Volunteers Annually: 130

Number of Staff: 15 full-time staff, 10 – 12 part-time staff

YWCA of Peterborough, Victoria & Haliburton

Lynn Zimmer, Executive Director

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Peterborough, ON K9H 2H7
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Website: www.ywcapeterborough.org

Member Since: 1941

2010-2011 United Way Funding: \$213,051

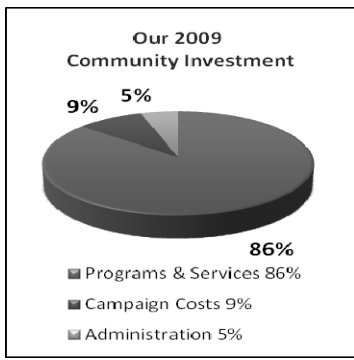
Agency Description: Supports the right of all women and their families to live free from violence, poverty, and oppression. Anti-violence work includes: Crossroads Shelter for abused women and their children; 24 hour crisis line counselling; support groups for abused women; annual County-wide Week Without Violence campaign; counselling outreach programs for abused rural women in Peterborough and Haliburton counties through Women's Safety Network and YWCA Women's Centre in Minden. Transitional support counselling available for women after leaving a violent

relationship. Anti-poverty work includes support of community gardens and JustFood boxes. Owns and maintains a 40 unit rent-geared-to-income townhouse community for women and children called Centennial Crescent. Operates Y's Buys, a second-hand clothing store and Compass Training Centre, a social enterprise designed to deliver customized learning workshops about building inclusive programs and services and supporting positive workplace culture. GirlSpace programs promote leadership, self esteem and healthy relationships for young girls. Envisioning New Meanings of Difference and Disability is a province wide program to promote inclusion training by using arts-based practices produced by women with disabilities and differences. Women's Employment Learning and Livelihoods (WELL) program is a new skills training and employment program for women offered by the YWCA of Peterborough, Victoria and Haliburton's Compass Training. All locations are wheelchair accessible and have TTYs (telephones for the deaf).

United Way Funded Programs: Crossroads Shelter; Community Development Food Action; Women's Counselling Peterborough
Number Who Benefit Annually: 4,500 women and children
Number of Volunteers Annually: 170
Number of Staff: 75

Your gift to United Way of Peterborough & District supports short term immediate needs and seeks to address long term social issues by supporting solutions to root causes identified at a community and system level.

It takes the whole community working together to change social conditions. Our goal is to strengthen individuals and our community by creating lasting change.



Donations to United Way of Peterborough & District impact the lives of tens of thousands of people every year. Here is just a brief list of examples showing the difference United Way and its member agencies made in just one year!

- Delivered **36,000** nutritious meals to **736** seniors, and made regular Friendly Visits or Reassurance Checks to over **230** people, helping them maintain their ability to remain in their homes and community.
- Enabled **300+** volunteer drivers to provide over **48,000** local and long distance trips for **1,200** clients enabling them to have equitable access to medical, therapy and social appointments.
- Provided **7,900** hungry local people with food monthly, through **40** food banks and distribution projects, and **1,200** coats for children in need, helping reduce the impact of poverty in our community.
- Provided over **3,400** families, youth and individuals with emergency housing supports or shelter enabling them to prevent homelessness or giving a safe, warm place to spend a night.
- Enabled **524** at-risk children to have a mentor, assisting them to improve academic performance or improve family relationships within the first six months.
- Provided shelter to **264** women and children fleeing domestic abuse, helping them build a promising and healthy future.
- Helped **350** students with a learning disability improve writing skills and reading comprehension, through participation in a Computers for Literacy development program.
- Provided over **1,100** residents with health promotion and public education, helping them gain new knowledge related to mental health/wellness.
- Subsidized **2,627** children and youth in need to participate in recreational programs, allowing them to make healthy living an important part of their life.
- Helped **37** young adults reduce severity of angry outbursts and utilize strategies to de-escalate anger, through participation in anger management groups.
- Enabled **90** parents of children at risk of severe behavioral problems to have greater success in parenting their children through participation in parent education programs.
- Provided over **2,000** people with foot care by licensed nursing professionals, reducing potential limb amputation.

90% of Peterborough residents will use the services of United Way funded agencies at some point in their lifetime.