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Pesticide free success stories

Success stories

- Provinces of Ontario, Quebec, Prince Edward Island, New Brunswick and Nova Scotia have some provincial legislated protection against non-essential use of pesticides.
- In 2012, Newfoundland is slated to implement a new pesticide free legislation.
- 50 municipalities in British Columbia, as well as the cities of Edmonton and Calgary have passed municipal bylaws to protect their residents from unnecessary exposure to potentially harmful chemicals.
- In Regina, the cancer survivor garden at the pasqua hospital(RQHR) is now 100% pesticide free.
- Locally 4 health region hospital grounds in Saskatoon are now cosmetic pesticide free.
- The Eco-Centre garden at the Craik Sustainable Living Project is cosmetic pesticide free.
- Three parks in the City of Regina were designated as part of a pesticide free pilot project for the summer of 2010. The parks include:
  - Gordon Park in southwest Regina
  - Al Pickard Park in north Regina
  - Queen Elizabeth II Court

Here is a success story from the Saskatoon Health Region about cutting back on their pesticide use.

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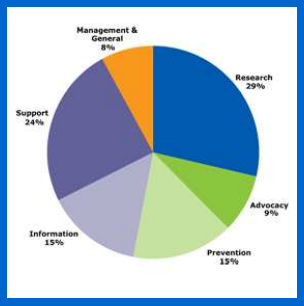

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