

Expression of Interest

Mennonite Disaster Service (MDS) is a Christian volunteer organization. We help disaster survivors repair and rebuild their homes. Learn more about what we do at mds.org.

In response to the Kingston and Adam's Cove fires of 2025, we are planning a project in Conception Bay North, Newfoundland.

If you lost your home and are unsure of how to rebuild, we want to hear from you. This form will let us know that you are interested in working with us. Fill it out as best as you can. We will be in touch as soon as possible.

Contact information

Your name(s)	Last name(s)		First name(s)	
Current address	Street no.	Street name	Town	Postal/Zip code
Email			Phone	
Property address	Street no.	Street name	Town	Postal code

Was the home you lost your primary residence?

(Your primary residence is where you live most of the time.)

Yes ☐

No ☐

Do you have title to your land?

Yes ☐

No ☐

Have you cleared the old foundation and other debris?

Yes ☐

No ☐

Are you registered with the Canadian Red Cross?

Yes ☐

No ☐

Our volunteers build good quality, modest homes. See page 3 for a picture and floor plan of one of the homes we built this year. This home was for a disaster survivor in Saskatchewan.

MDS volunteers give their time and expertise to save homeowners the labour costs of rebuilding. But you still need to pay for the materials to build a new home. The **estimated** material costs for a standard two-bedroom home in your area are between **\$120,000 and \$140,000**.

Some examples of where you can get this funding are as follows:

- Insurance
- Canadian Red Cross
- Grants
- Donations
- Savings
- Loans
- Mortgages
- Friends and family

Please list any possible funding sources that could cover the material costs of a new home. You do not need to total the estimated costs. Simply list what comes to mind.

Funding source	Amount	Notes

Do you have any comments or questions for MDS?

Signatures — Homeowner(s)

Legal name _____ Signature _____

Date _____

Legal name _____ Signature _____

Date _____

Please submit your expression of interest to your Canadian Red Cross case manager. Or email it to MDS Operations Manager, Moses Falco, at mfalco@mds.org by **October 31, 2026**.

We will conduct our own case management process to determine who might qualify for assistance.

A photograph of a small, single-story house with green siding and a dark roof, situated on a dirt lot. The house has a white door and several windows. In the background, there are other houses, trees, and a body of water under a cloudy sky.

