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To: *Evaluators, Assistants and Coordinators*
From: *Sharron Worsfield, Provincial Evaluator*
Date: *July 12 2005*
Re: *Therapy Dog Program – Re-certification*

As mandated in the National Therapy Dog manual, all Evaluators and Assistants must re-certify annually. Anyone not attending one of the sessions listed below will not be able to conduct the Therapy Dog test, unless previous arrangements have been made with the Provincial Evaluator.

Again this year Terry Fast, Provincial Therapy Dog Coordinator will be joining me. He will address any policy changes and divisional concerns.

Any Coordinator who knows of someone interested in becoming an Assistant Evaluator or being promoted to Evaluator should send his or her recommendations along with the individual's application to the Provincial Evaluator.

Evaluator re-certification seminar # 1

Sept. 17 2005

St. John Ambulance
London Branch
741 King St.
London ON. N5W 2X2
Tel: 519-432-1352

Evaluator re-certification session # 2

Oct. 01 2005

St. John Ambulance
Sudbury Branch
2935 Bancroft Dr.
Sudbury ON. P3B 1T8
Tel: 705-524-7223

Evaluator re-certification session # 3

Oct. 29 2005

S. John Ambulance
Quinte Branch
417 Montrose Rd
Bellville ON K8R 1B2
Tel: 613-962-7933

Evaluator re-certification session # 4

Nov. 05 2005

St. Paul's Anglican Church
Mapleview Dr. & Hwy 11
Stroud, ON
705-722-7755

Evaluator re-certification session # 5

Nov. 06 2004

St. John Ambulance
500 Upper Wellington St.
Hamilton ON L9A 3P5
Tel: 905-387-1880

Meet and greet at 9.00am for coffee & Pastries. Sessions begin at 9:30am. Lunch will be provided and seminars should end around 4:00pm.

Please fill in the attached questionnaire and return with your application no later than **Aug.31 2005** (We must have accurate numbers in order to have appropriate amounts of food and drink).