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# News Release

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**Dr. H. Bliss Murphy Cancer  
Care Foundation**

**From: Lynette Hillier  
Executive Director**

**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

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## **The Power of Life Project donates Equipment to Chemotherapy Room at the Sir Thomas Roddick Hospital**

**Stephenville, NL:** Newfoundland Power employees from the Stephenville area have donated an Automatic Blood Pressure Monitor to the Chemotherapy Room at the Sir Thomas Roddick Hospital on behalf of ***The Power of Life Project***. This investment of over \$3,000 provides a new piece of equipment for the oncology nursing team.

***The Power of Life Project*** raises much needed funds for cancer treatment equipment, patient support programs and education awareness initiatives. Earl Ludlow, President and Chief Executive Officer of Newfoundland Power presented the gift to Western Health Manager Shelley Lush Smolders. "This year *The Power of Life Project* is celebrating its 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary, and we are delighted to be able to make this contribution on behalf of our employees, customers and supporters" Ludlow says. "*The Power of Life Project* has donated in excess of \$2.0 million to cancer care in our province and has helped many lives change for the better – we are very proud to be able enhance cancer treatment facilities for patients in Stephenville and the surrounding area."

Ms. Lynette Hillier, Executive Director of the Dr. H. Bliss Murphy Cancer Care Foundation, said, "We are proud to join with Newfoundland Power, their employees and customers in presenting this equipment to the Chemotherapy Room in Stephenville. As a Foundation we have been overwhelmed by the support from *The Power of Life Project*. We thank Newfoundland Power and commend the dedication of their employees in Stephenville for their continued commitment to enhancing the lives of those living with cancer in our province."

The Dr. H. Bliss Murphy Cancer Care Foundation develops, stewards and distributes charitable resources to enhance treatment and supportive care programs for cancer patients, fund local cancer research initiatives and provides continuing education opportunities for staff of the Dr. H. Bliss Murphy Cancer Centre and affiliated cancer programs in Newfoundland and Labrador.

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