FREE RESOURCES

NEDCC maintains a number of free, online preservation resources that are used worldwide. Visit our website for a complete list: nedcc.org/free.

Preservation Leaflets — Free leaflets with information on a wide variety of preservation topics.

"Ask NEDCC" - Free email and phone service for questions about preserving your collections. Contact us at 978-470-1010 or info@nedcc.org.

24/7 Collections Emergency Hotline — Free phone advice on damaged collections. Call the Hotline at 855-245-8303.

dPlan | ArtsReady Pocket Response Resource -Free customizable template that organizes your most important emergency response information on one easy-to-read page.

Preservation 101 and Fundamentals of **Audiovisual Preservation** – Free online textbooks.

YouTube Videos – Free educational recordings on preservation and conservation topics.

Resources for Municipal Clerks – Free preservation advice and resources for Municipal and Town Clerks.

Resources for Family Collectors - Tips on caring for family treasures.



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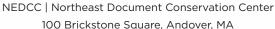
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Preservation Services



Training Assessments Consultations Disaster Assistance Free Resources



NEDCC's Preservation Services Department offers a variety of services and resources to help institutions and individuals care for their collections.

Serving:

- Archives
- Arts Organizations
- Corporate Archives
- Government Agencies
- Historical Organizations
- Libraries
- Museums
- Regional Consortia/Networks
- Religious Organizations
- Students and Educators
- Tribal Organizations
- Individuals and Families



TRAINING

We can develop programs to meet the interests and training needs of your institution and region.

Workshops

Onsite workshops can include interactive, hands-on activities or topics that require in-depth exploration and group discussion.

Webinars

Our 1-2 hour webinars address preservation topics ranging from collections care to digitization to AV preservation. We also offer multi-session series and courses to help fill in the gaps in your preservation training.



Digital Directions: Fundamentals of Creating and Managing Digital Collections NEDCC's conference on best practices and practical strategies for the creation, curation, and use of digital collections is presented annually.

ASSESSMENTS & CONSULTATIONS

An assessment helps kick-start your preservation program. The resulting comprehensive report can serve as the basis for future preservation initiatives and successful grant applications.

Preservation Needs Assessments

A Preservation Specialist will make an on-site visit and produce a report that assesses overall collection management for physical collections; building and environmental conditions; storage, handling, and exhibit practices; security; and disaster preparedness.

Digital Preservation Needs Assessments

A Preservation Specialist will meet with stakeholders, then produce a report that addresses standards, best practices, and guidelines for digital collections; acquisition and management; rights and usage considerations; and institutionappropriate storage strategies.

Emergency Preparedness Consultations

A Preservation Specialist will conduct an on-site visit and produce a report with recommendations for mitigating risks, taking emergency preparedness actions, and completing a disaster plan.



Consultations

NEDCC Preservation Specialists and Conservators provide customized consultation services on collection storage and housing, exhibit practices, collection moves, emergency preparedness, and a range of other conservation and preservation issues.