

## Resource List for Basic Preservation and Best Practices for Small and Community Heritage Institutions

### Suppliers

Carr McLean [Library Supplies, Archival Supplies & Furniture | Carr McLean](#) note they have been having supply issues especially with B72

Brodart [Library Supplies Library Furniture | Brodart Canada Supplies & Furnishings](#)

Endeavors [Library Supplies Library Furniture | Brodart Canada Supplies & Furnishings](#)

Uline my go to source of acid free paper [Acid-Free Tissue Paper in Stock - Uline.ca](#) cheaper if you have a larger order for other items

## Storage and Preservation

STASH [Storage Techniques for Art Science & History Collections | Keeping your collections safe \(stashc.com\)](#)

Re-Org Canada [RE-ORG – collection storage reorganization - Canada.ca](#)

Re-Org videos [RE-ORG International - YouTube](#)

Creating a storage box [How To Create a Storage Box for Museum Artifacts - YouTube](#)

Rehousing storage and materials [Rehousing Materials and Techniques for Museum Collections | The Sustainable Heritage Network](#)

Door to Store Caring for your Collection National Museum Australia [Door to store: Caring for your collection | National Museum of Australia \(nma.gov.au\)](#)

British Columbia Museum Association “Your Museum Coach” short but good [You searched for your museum coach - BCMA](#)

The Sustainable Heritage Network videos [Hands-on Preservation Tutorials | The Sustainable Heritage Network](#)

Museum Textile Services [Textile Conservation Basics - Museum Textile Services](#)

Sustaining Places [Collections Management – Sustaining Places](#)

Conservation of Grams National Park Services [National Park Service - Museum Management Program \(nps.gov\)](#)

Free course on Housekeeping in museums Preservation Housekeeping for Heritage Sites and Small Museums [Self-paced online courses - Canada.ca](#)

CHIN [Canadian Heritage Information Network - Canada.ca](#)

CCI [Canadian Conservation Institute - Canada.ca](#)

SPECTRUM (Collections Trust) [Spectrum – Collections Trust](#)

Museum Registration Methods Six [Museum Registration Methods : Simmons, John E., Kiser, Toni M.: Amazon.ca: Books](#) MRM5 still a good resource

Managing Previously Unmanaged Collections [Managing Previously Unmanaged Collections: A Practical Guide for Museums : Kipp, Angela: Amazon.ca: Books](#)

Connecting to collections care webinars [Webinars | Connecting to Collections Care Online Community](#) also check out the online community [Join the Connecting to Collections Care Community Discussions | Connecting to Collections Care Online Community](#)

CCI Products Used in Preventive Conservation Technical Bulletin 32 [Products Used in Preventive Conservation - Technical Bulletin 32 - Canada.ca](#)

## **Museum Organizations**

CANB [Council of Archives New Brunswick \(canbarchives.ca\)](http://canbarchives.ca)

AHNB [Association Heritage New Brunswick | Association Patrimoine Nouveau-Brunswick. \(ahnb-apnb.ca\)](http://ahnb-apnb.ca)

CMA [CMA | Canadian Museums Association](http://cma.ca)

Museums Canada [Museums Canada](http://museums.ca)

ALHFAM [ALHFAM - Association for Living History, Farm and Agricultural Museums - Home](http://alhfam.ca)

## **Insect Pest Management**

Museums pests.net [Museumpests.net](http://Museumpests.net) | [A Product of the Integrated Pest Management Working Group](#)

## **Suggested supplies**

### **Health and Safety**

Hepa vacuum

Gloves nitrile different sizes

Disposable masks or fitted masks

### **Storage and Cataloguing**

B72

Twill tape

Acid free tissue

Acid free copy paper

White liquid label

Water based white pens fine tip

Black archival markers

Stabilo pencils

Thread and needles

Tags various sizes

Measuring tape

Scissors

Core board

Plastic baggies different sizes check what type of plastic check this resource

[Selecting Materials for Storage and Display | Conservation Center for Art & Historic Artifacts \(ccaaha.org\)](https://www.ccaha.org/Selecting-Materials-for-Storage-and-Display)

Unbleached cotton

Wooden clothes hangers

Old white cotton sheets

Quilt batting

Polyethylene foam

Orvus paste for cleaning textiles

Humidity and temperature data loggers Elitech [Elitech USB Temperature Humidity Data Logger Reusable Digital Recorder Medical Refrigerator Thermometer Programmable Monitor RC-51H 32000 Points High Accuracy : Amazon.ca: Industrial & Scientific](#)

Catchmaster Clothes moth traps [Catchmaster Clothes Moth Traps : Amazon.ca: Everything Else](#)

Insect and moth blunder traps [Catchmaster 288i Insect and Spider Trap \(36 Card\) 108 Traps : Amazon.ca: Patio, Lawn & Garden](#)

Colour wheel [3in1 Photo Reference Tool Gray Card Target White Balance Exposure Temperature Color Calibration Chart Perfect for Photography & Video Test to Calibrate Canon Nikon Sony Olympus FujiFilm Camera Photo : Amazon.ca: Electronics](#)

Grey scale [Color Wheel 245557 3505 Gray Scale and Value Finder : Amazon.ca: Home](#)

Pop up photography studio [Professional Light Box Photo Studio Photography \(12" x 12"\) \(30cm x 30cm\) Portable Photo Studio Box Shooting Tent Booth Tabletop Folding Kit with 2 LED Strip Lights + 6 Color Backgrounds for Small Size Products : Amazon.ca: Electronics](#)

Camera many options out there but this is the one I like and use [Canon Rebel Amazon Canada: Canon EOS Rebel T7 DSLR Camera with 18-55mm Lens | Built-in Wi-Fi | 24.1 MP CMOS Sensor | DIGIC 4+ Image Processor and Full HD Videos](#)

Free photo editing program <https://www.xnview.com/en/>