

Public Safety Alert

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The Saint John Police is issuing a public safety alert regarding the toxicity of narcotics presumed to now be circulating in our city.

Recent calls for service, along with information gathered, has led police to believe a potential spike in drug-related overdoses is currently occurring.

Frontline officers have noticed a significant increase in overdose related calls for service throughout this past week. As such, the Saint John Police and Coroner are currently investigating 5 sudden deaths in the city.

If you are struggling with addiction, the Saint John Police would like you to be aware that you may be more at risk at coming into contact with fatal and dangerous narcotics. If you know of a loved one struggling with addiction, police encourage you to speak with them about this public safety alert.

If you are concerned about drugs being sold in your neighbourhood, please call police at 506-648-3333 or submit tips anonymously through Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-8477.