

Elizabeth Oliver
Director-at-Large, Autism Society Canada



Elizabeth is the mother of a young adult with Asperger's Syndrome and the sister of two men with classical autism. She was involved with the Autism Society of Newfoundland and Labrador from 1998 to 2007, serving as Secretary for most of that time. During that time, she also led a support group for parents of children with Asperger's, worked on educational issues, assisted with major fund-raising events, and served on several committees, including the provincial government's Implementation and Evaluation Committees for the Early

Intervention Project.

She began work with ASC in 2005. Elizabeth is also a member of the Governance Committee and assists the Communications Officer with editing and proofreading.

Before leaving the workforce to care for her son, Elizabeth held a variety of communications and administrative jobs. She has strong administrative and writing and editing skills, with experience in public relations and political advocacy.

Elizabeth holds a Masters in Urban Geography. She now brings her longstanding interest in urban politics and development to her role as Chair of her downtown neighbourhood association.