

State of New Jersey
Department of Environmental Protection
Division of Fish and Wildlife

Dear Wildlife Rehabilitators, Apprentices, and Subpermittees:

The Division of Fish and Wildlife is continually contacted by rehabilitators, apprentices, subpermittees and the general public looking to enrich their education and experience regarding wildlife rehabilitation.

For your convenience we have attached a listing of annual conference, symposiums, training events and the like that have been utilized by previous rehabilitators. Please note the NJ Division of Fish and Wildlife is not advocating any one program. If you are aware of a training program that relates to wildlife rehabilitation, please feel free to forward the information to our office so that it may be distributed accordingly.

The IWRC offers a variety of topics related to wildlife rehabilitation. Online courses are becoming more common and are an excellent option for those who are not able to travel. If you are interested in registering for an IWRC or NWRA event or if you are interested in coordinating a training event in our area, please contact the corresponding organization directly.

For those that wish to shop around for a diversity of topics, speakers and dates, we have included both in-state and out-of-state contacts. I also suggest you continue to monitor the websites as these organizations continually post additional events focused on a variety of wildlife rehabilitation topics.

Thank you for your continued dedication to wildlife rehabilitation.

Respectfully,

Wildlife Permitting Unit

Wildlife Rehabilitation Continuous Education Opportunities

Annual Conferences / Symposiums

March	National Wildlife Rehabilitation Assoc.	www.nwrawildlife.org	320-230-9920
March	NJ Association of Wildlife Rehabilitators	www.njawr.org	Sharon Ragonese 609-660-8737
Oct or Nov	NY State Wildlife Rehabilitation Council	www.nyswrc.org	
TBD	Connecticut Wildlife Rehabilitators Assoc.	www.cwrawildlife.org	203-389-4411
March	Pennsylvania Association of Wildlife Rehab	www.pawr.com	
TBD	Maryland Wildlife Rehabilitators Assoc.	www.mwra.org	
TBD	Delaware Wildlife Rehabilitation	http://www.fw.delaware.gov/More.htm	
TBD	International Wildlife Rehabilitation Council	http://www.iwrc-online.org/	408-271-2685

Courses - IWRC

The IWRC offers a variety of courses throughout the year via classroom and/or online instruction. Please refer to the IRWC website at <http://theiwrc.org/> for information regarding course schedules, course registration and fees. Courses include:

❖ BASIC WILDLIFE REHABILITATION

Course Title: Basic Wildlife Rehabilitation

Pre-requisite: None

CE Hours: 13

❖ FEEDING AND NUTRITION

Course Title: Feeding and Nutrition

Pre-requisite: None (*Basic Wildlife Rehabilitation* recommended)

CE Hours: 8

❖ PARASITOLOGY

Course Title: Parasitology

Pre-requisite: None (*Basic Wildlife Rehabilitation* recommended)

CE Hours: TBD

❖ EUTHANASIA IN WILDLIFE REHABILITATION

Course Title: Euthanasia in Wildlife Rehabilitation

Pre-requisite: None (*Basic Wildlife Rehabilitation* recommended)

CE Hours: 4

❖ FLUID THERAPY IN WILDLIFE REHABILITATION

Course Title: Fluid Therapy in Wildlife Rehabilitation

Pre-requisite: None (*Basic Wildlife Rehabilitation* recommended)

CE Hours: 5

❖ PAIN MANAGEMENT

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Course Title: Pain Management

Pre-requisite: None (*Basic Wildlife Rehabilitation* recommended)

CE Hours: 2.5

❖ **WOUND MANAGEMENT**

Course Title: Wound Management

Pre-requisite: None (*Basic Wildlife Rehabilitation* recommended)

CE Hours: 4

Other Events - (Oil Spill Response, Round Tables, etc)

- NJAWR - Check website for additional events: www.njawr.org

- Tri-State Bird Rescue and Research: <http://www.tristatebird.org>
Oil Spill Response Training