



CANADIAN  
WILDLIFE HEALTH  
COOPERATIVE

## ABOUT THE CWHC

CREATING A WORLD  
THAT IS SAFE AND SUSTAINABLE  
FOR WILDLIFE AND SOCIETY

### OUR mission

We are dedicated to promoting and protecting the health of wildlife and Canadians through leadership, partnership, investigation and action to create a world that is safe and sustainable for wildlife and society.

### WHAT we do

The CWHC is **Canada's only national wildlife health program**. We provide a **nationally credible voice** that can facilitate strategies, decisions and actions to protect wildlife and the services they provide Canadians. Through our programs of surveillance, assessment, investigation and response we **link conservation, public health and economic activities** to provide assurances that the relationships between people, wildlife and our shared environment remains healthy and safe. We combine our national perspective on Canada's wildlife health situation, coordinate national programs and respond to local needs to **document and understand the status of wildlife health**.

Tracking wildlife health to know when to act

Sustaining a nation-wide system of wildlife health surveillance

Supporting a unique network to capture clues and signals of changes in wildlife health

Developing new ways to measure wildlife health

Creating knowledge to support action

Creating new capacity to identify vulnerabilities and priorities for action

Engaging communities and citizens in finding clues for action

Putting knowledge into action

Modernizing how wildlife health information is shared

Bringing attention to specific wildlife health issues that need action

Informing Canadians on the state of wildlife health

*In an increasingly complex, interconnected and interdependent world, the value and importance of the CWHC has never been more apparent.*

Dr. Brian Evans

Deputy Director General - World Animal Health Organization

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