



U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service

National Conservation Training Center

Training Announcement

Oiled Wildlife Training Video Series

Description

This Oiled Wildlife Training video series provides detailed awareness of the activities Department of Interior (DOI) responders, or any other spill responder, might take in response to an oil spill. The video series includes: methods to safely execute search, observe and capture for oiled or impacted wildlife; wildlife responder roles and responsibilities; and best practices and advice on how to transport, stabilize and document wildlife. This video resource features training, commentary and perspectives from leading experts in the field of oiled wildlife from across the country. These subject areas are meant to compliment and support the curriculum of the CSP3129 DOI Inland Oil Spill course.

NOTE: Performing hands on activities with oiled wildlife should only be performed by trained professionals directly tasked under an official oil spill response organization.



Objectives

Upon completion of this resource you will be introduced to subjects such as:

- Overview of oiled wildlife response, recovery and release
- The roles and responsibilities of wildlife responders in oil spill response
- How wildlife operations fits within the Incident Command and National Response System organizational frameworks
- Wildlife handling, such as migratory birds, reptiles and amphibians, and small mammals
- Field observation and assessment of oiled wildlife
- Best practices for handling, documenting and maintaining chain of custody of deceased oiled wildlife
- Managing data on oiled wildlife

Date

Open and currently available for self-paced viewing

Location

National Conservation Training Center
Online Video Gallery

<https://nctc.fws.gov/resources/knowledge-resources/video-gallery/inland-oil-spill.html>

Who Should Attend

DOI oil spill responders or other oil spill responders in need of oiled wildlife response and recovery awareness training (states, tribes, industry, NGOs)

Length

27 videos ranging from 3 – 20 minutes

Tuition

No Tuition

To Register

You do not need to register, follow the link above to access.

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Reasonable Accommodation

The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service is committed to providing access to this training resource for all participants. These videos have been closed captioned. Please direct any comments or other accommodation needs to Michele Atha, 304-876-7899 or by email at Michele_Atha@fws.gov, TTY 800-877-8339

In every out thrust headland, in every curving beach, in every grain of sand there is a story of the earth.

Rachel Carson