CWD in our local area

- During the 2017 gun deer season, a wild deer from northeast Lincoln Co. tested positive for CWD.
- In March '18, a wild deer in southcentral Oneida Co. (1.5 miles from the 1st positive) also tested positive for CWD.
- Deer from within a captive deer farm in eastern Oneida Co. have tested positive for the disease as well.
- See map on inside of this brochure for:
- Locations of CWD positive detections.
- Surveillance focus areas around these CWD positive detections.
- Places to drop of your deer head for CWD testing.

CWD Surveillance Permits

- Offered to private landowners within the two surveillance focus areas (see map inside).
- Additional harvest authorization tags available, with mandatory CWD testing required to help to help meet our 450 deer testing goal within each focus area.
- Permits will be available on public lands soon.



Please consider submitting your adult deer heads for CWD testing. It is very important to further understand CWD in our local area and detect any additional infections early. ITS FREE

CWD Sampling Options

Self Service Kiosks

- Available 24/7
- All supplies included at kiosk
- Hunter submits deer head and fills out the data tag on their own

Cooperators

- Individuals & businesses that assist with CWD sampling
- Some have scheduled open hours, others are by appointment only
- Cooperators assist hunters in getting deer heads submitted to DNR

DNR Staff

- Contact local DNR staff to set up an appt. for inperson CWD sampling.
- Works well for bucks you'd like to European mount. Staff can sample and give the head right back to you.

See inside map for CWD sampling locations. For addresses/contact info and most up to date options visit:
dnr.wi.gov and search 'CWD sampling'

What to expect

- No matter which sampling option you choose, be sure to have the <u>harvest authorization</u> <u>number on your deer tag, your DNR customer</u> <u>ID</u>, and location of harvest handy.
- TIP: removing antlers does not affect the test results.
- You should receive the CWD test results about 2 weeks after submitting your deer head. They will come via e-mail, post-card, or you can check online at the DNR website.

Thank you!

Once your deer is down after an exciting hunt and your thoughts turn to venison, consider getting your deer tested for chronic wasting disease (CWD).

Venison is some of the finest and healthiest meat on earth, so enjoy it to the fullest by having it tested for CWD.







Questions? DNR customer service can connect you to local staff: 1-888-936-7463

