

# Transportation of Hunter Harvested Deer Carcasses and Vehicle-Killed Deer from the Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD) Management Zone

If you plan to transport the deer outside the areas identified below and on the attached map, you will need to butcher, or arrange to have the deer butchered, before transporting the allowed parts from the affected area. Another option is to deliver the carcass to a licensed meat processor or taxidermist within 72 hours of registering the deer if harvested in Wisconsin. When bringing a deer, elk, or moose carcass into Wisconsin from another state where CWD has been found in the wild cervid populations, you have 72 hours of entering Wisconsin to deliver the carcass to a licensed meat processor or taxidermist.

**These rules apply to transportation of deer, elk or moose (cervids) harvested by hunters as well as those killed by vehicles, and apply to:**

- Whole carcasses, as well as certain parts of deer that originate from within the CWD-MZ may not be transported out of the CWD-MZ to other parts of the state.
  - **Affected DMU's include:** Units 54B-CWD, 70-CWD, 70A-CWD, 70B-CWD, 70C-CWD, 70D-CWD, 70E-CWD, 70F-CWD, 70G-CWD, 71-CWD, 73B-CWD, 73E-CWD, 75A-CWD, 75B-CWD, 75C-CWD, 75D-CWD, 76-CWD, 76A-CWD, 76M-CWD, 77A-CWD, 77B-CWD, 77C-CWD
  - **Located in the Counties of:** Adams, Crawford, Columbia, Dane, Dodge, Grant, Green, Iowa, Jefferson, Juneau, Kenosha, Lafayette, Marquette, Racine, Richland, Rock, Sauk, Vernon, Walworth and Waukesha.
- Whole carcasses, as well as certain parts of wild cervids that originate from another state or province may not be transported into any part of Wisconsin.

**- Exceptions:**

- Whole deer or any part of a legally possessed deer, may be transported within the CWD-MZ, **and** into or within any adjacent Deer Management Unit (DMU) located along the border of the CWD-MZ (see map on reverse side).
- The following list of parts from legally possessed deer from the Wisconsin CWD-MZ or from a deer, elk or moose from any other state are legal to transport anywhere in Wisconsin:
  - Meat that is cut and wrapped, either commercially or privately.
  - Quarters or other portions of meat to which no part of the spinal column is attached.
  - Meat that has been deboned.
  - Hides with no head attached.
  - Finished taxidermy heads.
  - Antlers with no meat or tissue attached.
  - Skulls with antlers attached and with no meat or tissue attached.
  - Upper canine teeth (often collected from Elk).
- Whole cervid carcasses and any part of a carcass may be brought into any area of Wisconsin as long as it is taken to a licensed meat processor or taxidermist within 72 hours of:
  - Registration, if killed in the CWD-MZ
  - Entry into Wisconsin if killed in another state or province where CWD has been found in wild cervids

- Hunters transporting carcasses of deer, elk or moose into Wisconsin from other states or country, must now possess and exhibit to agents of the DNR (upon request), registration or other materials showing whether the carcass they possess was harvested in a state or province where CWD has been found in wild cervids.

**Visit these websites for a list of Taxidermists and Meat Processors.** These are not complete lists.

<http://www.wtains.org/> Wisconsin Taxidermists Association

<http://www.wi-amp.com/v2/members/> Wisconsin Association of Meat Processors

See Map on Reverse Side

