



Region 8 CWD Sampling Incentive Program

The Okanagan Region of the BC Wildlife Federation (OKBCWF) is pleased to announce an incentive program with cool prizes for hunters to submit cervid heads for Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD) testing. With the threat of CWD on our doorstep, we need at least 300 samples per year from Region 8 to have confidence that our region is CWD-free.

Thanks to the generous support of our OKBCWF member clubs and Westside Stores, we're offering a free entry into a random draw for every 2023 Region 8 hunter-harvested cervid (white-tailed deer, mule deer, elk, and moose) head that is submitted to an Okanagan drop off location for CWD testing.

The Okanagan's Regional CWD Coordinator will supply us with all the ear tag serial numbers from CWD samples submitted, from which three lucky winners will be randomly drawn. This will ensure your anonymity, as only contact information will be supplied to OKBCWF for the winners of our draw to be held in January of 2024.

Eligible head samples will be collected from Okanagan drop off locations, which can be found at:

<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/environment/plants-animals-ecosystems/wildlife/wildlife-conservation/wildlife-health/chronic-wasting-disease/cwd-surveillance-and-testing#dropoff>

Prizes:

First prize – Zeiss Terra ED 10x42 binoculars, retail value \$750

Second prize - \$250 gift certificate to Westside Stores

Third prize - \$175 gift certificate to Westside Stores

Please visit www.westsidestores.ca for store location and to support our generous partner!

Fine print: Winners must answer a skill testing question (don't worry, it'll be easy!) and accept the prizes as awarded. There is no fee to enter the draw. Your head sample must be harvested from Region 8 during a lawful 2023 hunting season.

Questions? Contact us at OKBCWFCWD@gmail.com

Fill out CWD Ear Card and attach to the sample.

Ear cards, pens, zap-straps, and bags are provided at freezer locations.

CWD-1250 Ear tag	NAME: <u>Jane Doe</u>
	PHONE: <u>XXX-XXX-XXX</u>
	FWD # <u>XXX XXX XXX</u>
	SPECIES (check one): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mule Deer <input type="checkbox"/> Elk <input type="checkbox"/> Caribou <input type="checkbox"/> White-tailed Deer <input type="checkbox"/> Moose <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
	SEX: <input checked="" type="radio"/> M <input type="radio"/> F AGE CLASS: YRLG <input type="checkbox"/> ADULT <input type="checkbox"/> AGE ESTIMATE: <u>2+</u>
	KILL DATE: <u>09-October-2023</u>
	KILL LOCATION (MU &/or describe): <u>M.U. 5-2</u> <u>Williams Lake</u>
	HOW KILLED: <input checked="" type="radio"/> Hunted <input type="radio"/> Other (describe): _____
	Was this animal normal? <input checked="" type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO
	If no, describe signs: _____

