

Permittees must complete and provide documentation of a minimum of 12 Continuing Education Credits (CEC) during the renewal period of the Wildlife Rehabilitation Permit (maximum of 2 years). To maintain a current permit within a reporting period (180 days), a permittee must show evidence of wildlife rehabilitation activities with documented cases or volunteer activity with approved license permit holder or documentation of at least 3 CEC's during a reporting period. CEC's accrued over the 3 hour minimum during any reporting period apply toward the subsequent reporting period totals.

If you are using CEC's to keep your permit active you must accumulate a total of 12 CEC's during a maximum of 2 year permit renewal period. Not all permits will be valid for a 2 year period.

Example: 3 hours of CEC on your January 31 report (180 days) + 3 hours of CEC on your July 31 report (180 days) + 3 hours of CEC on your January 31 report (180 days) + 3 hours of CEC on your July 31 report (180 days) = 12 CEC for the permit period.

CEC Opportunity	Details	CEC
<b>State, Regional, or National Conferences sponsored by IWRC, NWRA or the Department</b>	ODFW Wildlife Rehabilitator Bi-annual conference; California Council For Wildlife Rehabilitators conferences; NWRA Annual Symposium; IWRC Annual Conference; Wildlife Center of Virginia Call of the Wild Conference	CEC determined by hours attended of conference lecture or presentation. Must be documented with conference CE certificate.
<b>Workshop</b>	IWRC _ Basic Wildlife Rehabilitation; Oiled Wildlife Care; Medical Techniques; animal care, etc. ODFW approved workshop/conference by a licensed and active Oregon Wildlife Rehabilitator.	CEC determined by hours of workshop attended. Must be documented with workshop CE certificate.
<b>Working under a licensed Oregon rehabber</b>	Licensed Oregon Rehabilitator providing the mentoring opportunity must have an active case load and be on an ODFW approved	1 CEC/ 8 hours contact time at facility. Time documented via an ODFW provided form completed by a licensed facility owner.
<b>Journals</b>	Approved journals: Journal of Wildlife Diseases, Journal of Zoo and Wildlife Medicine, NWRA Symposium proceedings, etc.	0.25 CEC per article (max of 3 CEC). Article titles and complete citations submitted via signed letter.
<b>Classes</b>	Approved course involving rehabilitation related topics.	CEC determined by hours of approved class attended. Must be documented with CE certificate.
<b>Webinars</b>	Various programs offered. If specific wildlife rehabilitation CE is not provided contact ODFW for approval	CEC determined by hours of webinar attended. Must be documented with webinar CE certificate.
<b>College Courses</b>	Approved college course related to rehabilitation (e.g., wildlife biology & ecology, animal physiology, veterinary medical care and techniques, etc.)	CEC equivalent to college credit hour (quarter or semester)
<b>CEU Special Requests</b>	Approved in advance by ODFW or ODFW Wildlife Rehabilitator Working Group	CEC determined and awarded on a pre-approved case by case basis