

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
State, Regional, or National Conferences sponsored by IWRC, NWRA or the Department	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.
Workshop	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.
Working under a licensed Oregon rehabber	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.
Journals	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.
Classes	Approved course involving rehabilitation related topics.	CEC determined by hours of approved class attended. Must be documented with CE certificate.
Webinars	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.
College Courses	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)
CEU Special Requests	Approved in advance by ODFW or ODFW Wildlife Rehabilitator Working Group	CEC determined and awarded on a pre-approved case by case basis