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Wildlife Health Center of Virginia Bald Eagle Case Reports 2011-2017
Raw Wildlife Health Center Veterinary Data of Bald Eagles

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Name of the Data:
Wildlife Health Center of Virginia Bald Eagle Case Reports 2011-2017

Source Facility of the Data:
Wildlife Health Center of Virginia
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Waynesboro, Virginia, USA 22980
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https://wildlifecenter.org

Name of the Project at Cornell:
Lead in Bald Eagles in the Northeast United States (2017-)

Location of the Project at Cornell University:
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Species Described by the Data:
Bald Eagle (*Haliaeetus leucocephalus*)

Dates Contained in the Data:
2011-2017

Overview
This data constitutes records in their raw form that describe visits and necropsies on bald eagles by veterinary professionals and pathologists at the Wildlife Health Center of Virginia (WHC). The data was stored at the WHC in the WILD-ONe database, then shared with the Cornell Wildlife Health Lab at Cornell University for the purpose of the regional "lead in bald eagle" project. Professionals at the source facility have given written permission for this data to be posted to this persistent eCommons repository

alongside the other project data. All metadata in the possession of Cornell have been documented here, but additional questions should be directed towards the source facility.

Technical Details:
The data is on a spreadsheet from Microsoft Excel for Microsoft 365 MSO (16.0.13530.20368) 64-bit.

There is also a comma separated variable (CSV) version of the Excel file in the zipped preservation bundle: "WildlifeHealthCenterVirginia_RawData_Presv.zip"

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All inquiries regarding records or should be directed to the source facility.

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Abbreviations Used in the Data:

File: WHC_raw.xlsx (2011-2017 data)
Common Species Name:
The species of the individual.
Genus:
The genus of the individual.
Species:
The species of the individual.
Gender:
The sex of the individual.
Life Stage:
The life stage of the individual.
Year Admitted:
The year that the individual was admitted to the facility.
Date Found:
The date on which the individual was discovered in the wild.
DD/MM/YYYY
Date Admitted:
The date on which the individual was admitted into the facility.
DD/MM/YYYY
Details of rescue:
How the bird was discovered.
Circumstances of Rescue:
The reason the bird was admitted into the facility.
Admission Comments

Comments regarding the case.

Suspected/Observed:

- contact the source -

Rescue State:

The state where the bird was discovered in the wild.

CT: Connecticut
MA: Massachusetts
MD: Maryland
ME: Maine
NJ: New Jersey
NY: New York

Disposition:

The outcome for the animal.

Date Dispositioned:

The date of the disposition.
MM/DD/YYY

Notes:

"No data" was included by the Cornell Wildlife Health Lab to specify cells that were blank when the records were transferred from their source facility.