

Chronic Wasting Disease Testing in Disease Management Area 1

Hunters who are successful on any day of the deer hunting season in DMA1 counties (Clarke, Frederick, Shenandoah, or Warren) are encouraged to voluntarily get their deer tested for chronic wasting disease (CWD) by bringing it to a voluntary CWD fridge site.

Instructions for Voluntary Submissions of Deer Heads for CWD Testing

1. Bring the head and 3-4 inches of neck to a voluntary CWD fridge site. Heads with the antlers and/or skull plate removed can still be tested.
2. Heads should be as fresh as possible (i.e., submitted a few days after death and kept cold prior to submission).
3. If you plan to mount the head, submit the head and 3-4 inches of neck *after* caping is complete.
4. Fill out the data card per instructions posted at the fridge site.

Disease Management Area 1 Voluntary CWD Fridge Sites

CLARKE COUNTY

1. **Enders Fire Department** – 9 South Buckmarsh St, Berryville, VA 22611
The self-service facility is located at the pavilion in the parking lot behind the fire department.

FREDERICK COUNTY

2. **North Mountain Volunteer Fire & Rescue Company 19** – 186 Rosenberger Ln, Winchester, VA 22602
The self-service facility is located next to the garage behind the fire station. Use the gravel road to go past the fire station, and the garage will be on the right.
3. **Winchester-Frederick County Conservation Club** – 527 Siler Rd, Winchester, VA 22603
The self-service facility is under the overhang of the first building on the right.

SHENANDOAH COUNTY

4. **VA Department of Forestry – Woodstock** – 265 Lakeview Dr, Woodstock, VA 22664
The self-service facility is located to the left of the walk-in cooler in the parking lot. Please do **NOT** place deer heads in the walk-in cooler.

WARREN COUNTY

5. **Elks Lodge #2392** – 4088 Guard Hill Rd, Front Royal, VA 22630
The self-service facility is under the pavilion on the left side of the parking lot

Disease Management Area 1 Mandatory Day CWD Stations

The following stations will **ONLY** be available for CWD sampling on the opening day of the general firearms season: **Saturday, November 16, 2024 from 8 AM to 7 PM.**

At all other times throughout the hunting season, please utilize the voluntary CWD fridge sites listed above.

SHENANDOAH COUNTY

1. **Larkins Grocery** – 19004 Senedo Rd, Edinburg, VA 22824
DWR employees and volunteers will staff the station from 8 AM to 7 PM on Saturday, November 16, 2024.

2. **Woodbine Farm Market** – 5199 John Marshall Hwy, Strasburg, VA 22657
DWR employees and volunteers will staff the station from 8 AM to 7 PM on Saturday, November 16, 2024.

