

Easy Reference Sheet

Wildlife Emergency Contacts

(South-east Queensland)

The following is a list of handy contact numbers that may assist volunteer wildlife rescuers and carers in the South-east Queensland area.

Wildcare Australia Inc.

5527 2444

24 hour emergency hotline

Wildlife Hospitals *(Preferable that wildlife be taken to one of these facilities in preference to general veterinary clinics)*

Currumbin Wildlife Hospital <i>Millers Drive, Currumbin (Gold Coast)</i>	5534 0813	7 days, 8am to 5pm (except Christmas Day). Ring to make an appointment for animal re-checks or if taking a critically injured animal.
RSPCA Wildlife Hospital <i>139 Wacol Station Road, Wacol (Brisbane)</i>	3426 9910 1300 ANIMAL	7 days – 24 hours. Ring to make an appointment for animal re-checks or if taking a critically injured animal.
Australia Zoo Wildlife Hospital <i>Steve Irwin Way, Beerwah (Sunshine Coast)</i> <i>Located in back car-park of Australia Zoo.</i>	5436 2340	7 days – 24 hours. Ring to make an appointment for animal re-checks or if taking a critically injured animal.

24 Hour Veterinary Clinics

Gold Coast		
Accident & Emergency Centre <i>4/492 Scottsdale Drive, Varsity Lakes.</i> <i>Exit 85 off M1 southbound then right at lights.</i>	5593 4544	Please call before taking animals late at night. Weeknights 6pm to 8am. Weekends all hours. Open public holidays.
Accident Emergency Services <i>104 Eastlake Street, Carrara.</i> <i>Exit 75 off M1 southbound then right at lights.</i>	5559 1599	Please call before taking animals late at night. Weeknights 6pm to 8am. Weekends all hours. Open public holidays.
Brisbane		
Animal Emergency Service <i>"The Springwood Centre", Cnr Lexington & Logan roads, Underwood.</i>	3423 1888	Weeknights 6pm to 8am. Weekends all hours. Open public holidays.
Brisbane Vet Emergency & Critical Care Services <i>Cnr Keong & Old Northern Roads, Albany Creek.</i>	3264 9400	Weeknights 6pm to 8am. Weekends all hours. Open public holidays.
Pet Emergency <i>263 Appleby Road, Stafford Heights</i>	3359 5333	Weeknights 6pm to 8am. Weekends all hours. Open public holidays.
Animal Emergency Centre <i>36 Balaclava Street, Woolloongabba</i>	3456 0500	Weeknights 7pm to 8am. Weekends all hours. Open public holidays.
Manly Road Veterinary Hospital <i>219 Manly Road, Manly</i>	3396 9733	Weeknights 6pm to 8am. Weekends all hours. Open public holidays.

Emergency Services

Emergency Services Police – Fire - Ambulance	000	For all life-threatening emergencies involving humans and human safety.
Qld Police – Police Link	131 444	For non-urgent police matters
Qld Police – Communications	5581 2900 3807 7770 3364 6464	Gold Coast Police Communications Logan Police Communications Brisbane Police Communications
Origin Energy (Energex)	13 62 62	For wildlife entangled/on power lines.
Queensland Health	13 HEALTH 1343 2584	For assistance with C3 bats (a bat that has bitten or scratched a person) or advice on human first aid procedures.
State Emergency Service (SES)	132 500	For assistance in storms and flooded waterways.

Traffic Services

Department of Main Roads www.tmr.qld.gov.au	13 19 40	To report animals on main roads, can provide part road closure assistance and can remove hazardous dead animals from road.
Local Traffic Management Offices		Can help with controlling traffic during difficult rescues. Direct access to regional operators.
Gold Coast	5561 3800	
Logan	3826 5555	
Brisbane	3403 8888	
Scenic Rim	5540 5111	
Moreton Bay	3205 0555	
Sunshine Coast	5475 7272	
Redland Bay	3829 8999	

Wildlife Departments

Dept of Environment & Heritage Protection (EHP)	1300 130 372	Responsible for local environment including fauna and flora.
Dept of Agriculture, Fisheries & Forestry (DAFF)	134 25 23	Responsible for biosecurity, research, animal welfare and ethics and animal health and diseases.
RSPCA Queensland	1300 ANIMAL 1300 264 625	Responsible for cruelty, neglect and abandonment complaints.

Local Councils

Gold Coast	5581 6664	Brisbane	3403 8888
Logan	3412 3412	Ipswich	3810 6666
Redland	3829 8999	Moreton Bay	3205 0555
Scenic Rim	5540 5111	Sunshine Coast	5475 7272