

Announcing the 2006 Annual Conference of the

Wildlife Disease Association and the American Association of Wildlife Veterinarians

**Advancing Global Health:
Facing Disease Issues at the Wildlife,
Human, and Livestock Interface.**

University of Connecticut, Storrs
August 6-10, 2006

The 55th Annual Meeting of the Wildlife Disease Association in conjunction with the American Association of Wildlife Veterinarians will be held August 6-10, 2006 on the main campus of the University of Connecticut in Storrs, Connecticut, USA.

With news headlines that make avian influenza, SARS, Ebola, and West Nile virus household words, it is apparent that the health of wildlife is inextricably linked to that of people and domestic animals. Diseases that cross the wildlife, human and livestock interface have enormous health, economic, and social ramifications. Consequently, there is a great need to improve collaboration and communication among wildlife, livestock and human health practitioners.

The Wildlife Disease Association (WDA) and the American Association of Wildlife Veterinarians (AAWV) invite members from a variety of human and animal health disciplines to attend a conference entitled "Advancing Global Health: Facing Disease Issues at the Wildlife, Human, and Livestock Interface". This meeting will bring together animal and human health practitioners in one forum to discuss these increasingly challenging issues.



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