

Psittacosis – Measures to prevent human disease.

Original language from WAC 246-100-201

- Definitions
- Identification requirements for selling, trading, or transferring birds
- Record retention requirements for selling, trading, or transferring birds to other than the general public
- Requirements for transferring birds to a member of the general public
- Vendor requirement for posted written warning
- Local Health Officer enforcement authority pertaining to nonpsittacine birds when investigating human cases of psittacosis
- Vendor requirements for confirmed *C. psittaci* in birds
- Requirements for public exhibition of birds
- Shipment and embargo requirements for birds
- State Health Officer actions

Recommendations from DOH Core workgroup

- Intent
- Additional definitions
- Clarification of requirements, e.g., signs of infection in birds, signs of infection in humans
- Vendor record of sale retention requirements
- Vendor requirements to prevent transmission of *C. psittaci* to humans and birds
- Vendor requirements for treating and caring for infected and exposed birds
- Responsibilities of bird owners, physicians, and veterinarians

Compendium: Psittacosis

- Requirements for transferring birds to a member of the general public
- Vendor requirements to prevent transmission of *C. psittaci* to humans and birds
- Vendor requirements for treating and caring for infected and exposed birds
- Responsibilities of bird owners, physicians, and veterinarians
- Epidemiologic investigation to control transmission of *C. psittaci* by Local Health Officer
- Vendor requirements for quarantine and treatment of affected and exposed birds