

WAC 246-945-503 Humane societies, animal control agencies, and department of fish and wildlife chemical capture programs—Authorized personnel. (1) Each registered humane society, animal control agency, and department of fish and wildlife chemical capture program location shall ensure only authorized personnel possess or administer approved legend drugs and approved controlled substances at the registered location.

(2) For registered humane societies and animal control agencies, authorized personnel are those individuals who have:

(a) Completed a commission-approved training program or training that is substantially equivalent; and

(b) Been approved by the designated person.

(3) For registered department of fish and wildlife chemical capture programs, authorized personnel are those individuals who have:

(a) Completed a commission-approved training program or training that is substantially equivalent;

(b) Been approved by the department of fish and wildlife; and

(c) Are a department of fish and wildlife officer, biologist, or veterinarian.

(4) A commission-approved training program shall include didactic and practical training under the direction of a licensed veterinarian. The commission-approved training program should ensure that authorized personnel shall be able to demonstrate adequate knowledge of the potential hazards and proper techniques used in administering approved legend and controlled substances.

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