

Louisiana Exotic Animal Resource Network

L.E.A.R.N. is a Louisiana non-profit organization that freely provides rescue, special-needs sanctuary and rehabilitation services to exotic and indigenous animals, as well as conservation education to the public. Our primary focus is on assisting reptiles, amphibians and invertebrates. We are headquartered in Elm Grove, Louisiana.

We take in injured or healthy:

- **Indigenous reptiles, amphibians and invertebrates**
- **Exotic reptiles, amphibians and invertebrates**
- **Exotic mammals, birds and aquatic animals**
(on a case-by-case basis, when capacity permits)

Unfortunately, we DO NOT take in cats or dogs. Also, while we cannot house crocodilians, indigenous mammals, migratory birds, or venomous reptiles, we do try to assist in placing these animals with appropriately licensed resources when possible.

We have specimens of the majority of the species of indigenous reptiles and amphibians that live in Caddo Parish, plus some invertebrates, and bring them to educational events, when feasible. We also strive to direct pet owners to correct husbandry/basic care information. We do not sell or profit from animals in any way. Please note that, by law, we may not treat animals belonging to others at any time, but will try to help you find a vet in your area.

If you would like to be considered as an adoption or foster resource, please send an email to the address below. We will send you an adoption application to return. We do not charge adoption fees. We always have animals in need of people willing to provide excellent homes!

Tax-deductible donations of funds, gift cards or supplies will be picked up, or can be dropped off at Pet Zone (Jewella Rd) or Wise Choice Animal Hospital (Youree Dr) in Shreveport and Doggywood (Stockwell Rd) in Bossier City. Donations may also be made by phone!

Member: International Wildlife Rehabilitation Council
L.E.A.R.N. is a Louisiana Non-Profit Corporation
Louisiana Master Naturalist
State-licensed Wildlife Rehabilitator
References available upon request.
Physical location open by appointment only.

How to reach us:

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