

Building Bridges ... and visiting the Zoo

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Resource Handout

Making Connections and Information Sharing

- AZA [Animal Programs Database](https://bit.ly/1BRATzK) (find collaborators) <https://bit.ly/1BRATzK>
- AZA [Animal Care Manuals](https://www.aza.org/animal-care-manuals) <https://www.aza.org/animal-care-manuals>

Research Considerations

- Chapter 21: Research, Adam Grogan in *Wildlife Rehabilitation: A Comprehensive Approach* IWRC 2016
- Chapter 20: Post Release Monitoring, Adam Grogan in *Wildlife Rehabilitation: A Comprehensive Approach* IWRC 2016

Considering Placement:

- Do a self assessment
 - Can animal perform normal behaviors?
 - What ongoing medical care will animal need?
 - Can facility under consideration support long term care?
 - [Five domains of animal welfare](https://bit.ly/2WZOabW) (nutrition, environment, health, behavior, mental state) <https://bit.ly/2WZOabW>
- File appropriate paperwork
 - USFWS reqs include form [3-202-12](https://www.fws.gov/forms/3-202-12.pdf) <https://www.fws.gov/forms/3-202-12.pdf>
 - Veterinary Transfer Letter (USFWS for avians, but can adopt template to species you work with)

Finding Placement:

- IWRC placement site
- Regional and local placement lists and sites.
- BRaZN (upcoming)

Upcoming Resources:

BRaZN

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