

NSW Wildlife Heroes Q Fever Vaccination Grant Program

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Eligibility

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The NSW Wildlife Heroes Vaccination Grant Program is managed by the Foundation for National Parks & Wildlife with funding from the New South Wales Government through the National Parks & Wildlife Service and the Environmental Trust. It is an initiative of the NSW Volunteer Wildlife Rehabilitation Sector Strategy.

In this program the maximum grant available is **\$2000** per application. Up to 25% can be used for petrol vouchers to support access to vaccinations

Eligible items the grant can pay for:

- Pre-vaccination consultation with a general practitioner including serum antibody test and skin test
- Q fever vaccinations
- Petrol vouchers to support travel to access vaccination providers (25% of total amount)

Round 1 (eligible applicants detailed below) – Applications open 9.00am 31st May 2021 and close 5.00pm 30th June 2021.

Round 2 – Applications open 9.00am 1st July 2021 and close 5.00pm 30th June 2022 unless all funds have been expended.

Eligibility

Round 1

Applicants will ONLY be eligible for funding in Round 1 if they are one of the licensed volunteer wildlife rehabilitation groups or WIRES NSW branches listed below:

- Wildlife Carers Central West
- Northern Rivers Wildlife Carers
- Northern Tablelands Wildlife Carers
- Wildcare Queanbeyan
- WINC (Wildlife in Need of Care)
- RRANA (Rescue and Rehabilitation of Australian Native Animals)
- Wildlife Rescue South Coast\
- WIRES branches:
 - Weddin Lachlan
 - Dubbo
 - Central West
 - Central Northern
 - Northern Rivers
 - New England
 - Mid North Coast
 - Far South East

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Using data provided by NSW Health, these groups have been prioritised as they have a high incidence of Q fever based on the average incidence of Q fever in the local government area (LGA) from 2018-2020

Round 2

Applicants will be eligible for funding if they are:

- A licensed volunteer wildlife rehabilitation group
- A WIRES branch based in NSW
- A licensed independent rehabilitator

Applicants will not be eligible for funding in either round if they are:

- Based outside of NSW
- An individual member of a wildlife group
- The application is not endorsed by the group's committee

Note:

Vaccination is not available for people who have

- a documented history of previous infection with Q fever
- received a Q fever vaccine previously
- has been advised not to receive a Q fever vaccine based on medical advice or vaccination guidelines

All applicants (group applying) must also meet the following grant criteria:

- Provide a safe workplace for volunteers including evidence of volunteer insurance and WHS policies
- Have a current ABN and associated bank account
- Have no outstanding grant reporting requirements with FNPW or NPWS Endorsement from the Chair/CEO/President

Groups may submit only one application at a time, and must provide information about all volunteers receiving support through this grant once funds are expended.

Additional funds can be applied for if needed after initial funds are expended, all reporting has been submitted and if the grant round is still open.

Nominated vaccine recipients will complete a full course of treatment within **6 months** of the Grant Agreement commencement date and supply copies of receipts for proof of administration.

Key links:

Wildlife Heroes Vaccination Fund grant guidelines: <https://wildlifeheroes.org.au/nsw-wildlife-heroes-q-fever-vaccination-grant-program-guidelines/>

Australian Department of Health Series of National Guidelines: <https://www1.health.gov.au/internet/main/publishing.nsf/Content/cdna-song-q-fever.htm>

Vaccination processes must follow national immunisation guidelines: <https://immunisationhandbook.health.gov.au/vaccine-preventable-diseases/q-fever>

Please refer to the Wildlife Heroes website www.wildlifeheroes.org.au to find out about other grants that may be suitable for your work with wildlife.

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Applicants:

Please note that this grant is only for licensed New South Wales Wildlife Rehabilitation Groups.

Incomplete applications will not be considered.

If you have any questions regarding the eligibility criteria, please contact:

wildlifeheroes@fnpw.org.au.

The following documentation is needed to complete the application:

- an ABN or a Statement of Supplier form (linked form is in this application)
- bank details including branch name, address, BSB and account number,
- your group's health and safety information

Location

Where are you located? *

NSW

Who is applying?

In New South Wales you must be or be applying on behalf of *

- A licensed wildlife group
- An independent wildlife licence holder

Rounds

Round 1 (eligible groups from LGAs with a high incidence of Q fever) – Applications open 9.00am 31st May 2021 and close 5.00pm 30th June 2021

Round 2 (All other NSW Groups or Individuals) Applications open 9.00am 1st July 2021 and close 5.00pm 31st May 2022 unless all funds have been expended.

Are you applying in: *

- Round 1
- Round 2

Confirmation of Eligibility

I confirm that the applicant (group) ...

- has read and understands the program guidelines
- has a valid license or permit for their state or territory and does not have any outstanding reports for **the state licencing body**
- has sought endorsement of their application by the relevant chair/president
- is able to demonstrate appropriate health & safety protocols for volunteers
- has the appropriate type and level of insurance for the activities that are the subject of this grant
- is not an individual member of a wildlife group

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- does not owe any reports or money to **FNPW or any state government bodies** as a result of previous funding or grant

Please select below: *

- Yes No

You must confirm that all statements above are true and correct.

Contact Details

* indicates a required field

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Group Details - Round 1

Using data provided by NSW Health, these groups have been prioritised as they have a high incidence of Q fever based on the average incidence of Q fever in the LGA based on the average incidence of Q Fever in the LGA from 2018-2020.

From which wildlife rehabilitation group are you applying? *

- Wildlife Carers Central West
- Northern Rivers Wildlife Carers
- Northern Tablelands Wildlife Carers
- Wildcare Queanbeyan
- WINC (Wildlife in Need of Care)
- RRANA (Rescue and Rehabilitation of Australian Native Animals)
- Wildlife Rescue South Coast
- WIRES Weddin Lachlan
- WIRES Dubbo
- WIRES Central West
- WIRES Central Northern
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- WIRES New England
- WIRES Mid North Coast
- WIRES Far South East
- WIRES Riverina

Group Details -Round 2

From which wildlife rehabilitation group are you applying?

- Independent Individual
- Australian Seabird Rescue
- For Australian Wildlife Need Aid (FAWNA)
- Friends of the Koala
- Koalas in Care
- Ku-ring-gai Bat Conservation Society

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- Looking After Our Kosciuszko Orphans (LAOKO)
- Native Animal Rescue Group (NARG)
- Native Animal Trust Fund INC
- Northern Rivers Wildlife Carers INC
- Northern Tablelands Wildlife Carers
- Organisation for the Rescue and Research of Cetaceans (ORRCA)
- Port Stephens Koalas
- Port Macquarie Koala Hospital - Koala Conservation Australia Inc
- Koalas Rescue and Rehabilitation of Australian Native Animals (RRANA)
- Saving Our Native Animals (SONA)
- Sunraysia
- Sydney Metropolitan Wildlife Services
- Tweed Valley Wildlife Carers
- Wildcare Queanbeyan
- Wildlife Aid
- Wildlife Animal Rescue and Care Society (Wildlife ARC)
- Wildlife Carers Network Central West Inc
- Wildlife In Need of Care WINC
- Wildlife Rescue South Coast Inc
- WIRES
- Zambi Native Wildlife Sanctuary
- Waterfall Springs Conservation Association
- Taronga Conservation Society
- Dolphin Marine Rescue
- Sea World
- Sea Life Sydney Aquarium

WIRES Sub-branch

For Wires Groups

Licence/ Permit holder information

Please enter your licence/ permit number *

Group size

How many members does your group have? *

Must be a whole number (no decimal place).

ABN

Does your organisation have an ABN? *

Yes

No

ABN *

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The ABN provided will be used to look up the following information. Click Lookup above to check that you have entered the ABN correctly.

Information from the Australian Business Register	
ABN	
Entity name	
ABN status	
Entity type	
Goods & Services Tax (GST)	
DGR Endorsed	
ATO Charity Type	More information
ACNC Registration	
Tax Concessions	
Main business location	

Must be an ABN.

Statement of Supplier

As you do not have an ABN, please submit a completed ATO Statement by a Supplier Form with your application, otherwise 48.5% of any approved grant may be withheld.

Download the form from [the ATO](#).

Please upload a completed Statement by a Supplier form:

Attach a file:

Statement of Supplier must

Organisation details

Organisation Primary Address *

Address

Address Line 1, Suburb/Town, State/Province, Postcode, and Country are required.

LGA

Postal Address

Address

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If different from above

Website

Must be a URL.

Primary contact person *

Title First Name Last Name

<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
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This is the person we will correspond with about this grant

Position held in organisation *

e.g. Manager, Board Member, Fundraising Coordinator

Primary phone number *

Must be an Australian phone number.

Alternate phone number

Must be an Australian phone number.

Primary contact person's email address *

This is the address we will use to correspond with you about this grant.

Assessment Criteria

* indicates a required field

Information in this section is required to assess your application.

Benefits

On average, how many mammals does your group rescue each year? *

Must be a number.

All species: use an estimate from the last 12 months.

Please tell us why your group would benefit from receiving this grant? *

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Word count:
Must be no more than 300 words.

Workplace Health and Safety (WHS)

Please provide some information on your group's health and safety guidelines around Q Fever *

Word count:
Must be no more than 300 words.

Please attach a copy of your group's health and safety information

Attach a file:

If policy manual is too large to attach please email through to grantsmanager@fnpw.org.au

Co-Contribution

Will you be contributing an amount to assist with the funding of these vaccinations?

Yes No

If yes, what is the amount you plan on co-contributing?

\$

Must be a dollar amount.

Internal Communication

How do you plan on communicating this vaccination opportunity to your group?

Examples: Group newsletter, email communication, social media

Inputs (Budget)

* indicates a required field

Previous funding

Has your organisation previously received funding from the FNPW, National Parks & Wildlife Service or the Environmental Trust? *

Yes No

If yes, date and amount of funding received.

Please write N/A if not applicable

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Total Amount

In this program the maximum grant available is **\$2000** per application. Up to 25% can be used for petrol vouchers to support access to vaccinations

Eligible items the grant can pay for: • Pre-vaccination consultation with a general practitioner including serum antibody test and skin test • Q fever vaccination • Petrol vouchers to support travel to access vaccination providers

Total amount of funding requested- maximum \$2,000

\$

Must be a dollar amount and no more than 2000.

Ineligible expenditure

I confirm that funds are only to pay for or subsidise pre-vaccination consultation, Q fever vaccines and petrol vouchers (25% of total cost) for licensed and trained volunteers and will not be used for any other purpose *

Noted and confirmed

Certification and Feedback

* indicates a required field

Group/ Individual details and/ or sub-branch

Name of Organisation/ Individual and or your sub-branch *

Individual Organisation

Organisation Name

Title First Name Last Name

Certification

This section certifies that the application has been authorised by the head of your wildlife organisation such as the president, chair or CEO

- **I certify that to the best of my knowledge the statements made within this application are true and correct.**
- **I understand that if the applicant organisation is approved for this grant, we will be required to accept the terms and conditions of the grant as outlined in the FNPW Wildlife Heroes Grants Agreement and will comply with all stated reporting requirements.**
- **I understand that a full list of names and contact details of any potential vaccination recipient must be provided to FNPW if the applicant organisation is approved for this grant.**
- **I understand that project reporting is due 6 months from the grant agreement date and includes financial reporting of receipts.**

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- I understand that any WHS incidents resulting from the grant must be reported to FNPW.

I agree

Yes

No

Date *

Must be a date.

The authorised person named here is a different person to the primary applicant *

Yes

Authorised Person Contact *

Title

First Name

Last Name

Must be a senior staff member, committee member or appropriately authorised volunteer. This should be a different person to that completing the form.

Position *

Primary Phone Number *

Must be an Australian phone number.

Email *

Must be an email address.

Bank Details

Bank Name *

Branch Address *

Number, Street Name, Suburb, Postcode, State

Bank Account *

Account Name

BSB Number

Account Number

Must be a valid Australian bank account format.

Applicant Feedback

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You are now nearing the end of this form. Before you review your application and click the **SUBMIT** button please take a few moments to provide some feedback.

How did you hear about the Wildlife Heroes project funding?

- Wildlife Heroes website
- Wildlife Heroes Facebook group
- Wildlife Heroes mailing list
- Backyard Buddies
- FNPW newsletter
- NPWS email

Please indicate how you found the online application process:

- Very easy
- Easy
- Neutral
- Difficult
- Very difficult

What can we do to make the application process easier?

Word count:

Must be no more than 300 words.

Future needs (optional extra feedback)

What are some other ways your group could be supported with rescue and rehabilitation?

Unfortunately you are not eligible for this round of grants.

Eligibility

This round of grants is only available to registered wildlife groups and independent wildlife licence holders that comply with our criteria.

Grants for individual wildlife rehabilitation volunteers will be opened through the Wildlife Heroes program in early 2020.

[Please sign up to the Wildlife Heroes mailing list to stay informed of new grant rounds.](#)