



### INJURED ADULT DEER

While it is difficult to watch an injured animal, capturing an adult deer by physical or chemical restraint can trigger severe stress and can be fatal.

#### What Do I Do?

- Usually nothing
- If the deer can get up, move around and feed itself, leave it to heal on its own as they do very well in the wild even with the loss of a leg
- If the deer is badly injured, call a wildlife rehabilitation centre for advice



### BIRD HITS A WINDOW

Most birds that hit windows are not seriously hurt but need time to recover.

#### What Do I Do?

- Give it time to rest and heal
- Place the bird in a ventilated box and keep it in a quiet area for up to one hour
- Open the box outside and watch to see if it flies out
- If the bird does not fly out, call a wildlife rehabilitation centre for advice
- Your window is a continuation of their environment. Window decals will help

*During spring mating season, birds will flutter continually outside a window or even a car mirror. Not to worry, this behaviour will stop eventually.*



### BIRD WITH AN EYE INFECTION

Keeping bird feeders and bird baths clean is the key to preventing and spreading diseases such as salmonella, trichomoniasis, aspergillosis, and avian pox.

#### What Do I Do?

- Once a month pull all feeders and baths down and soak them in a 10% bleach solution. Rinse thoroughly and dry before refilling
- Discard old seed
- Remove seed from the ground
- Human Contact? Some diseases can be spread to humans. Please protect yourself while cleaning. If you see a bird with symptoms, call a wildlife rehabilitation centre for advice