



CWD RESPONSE OPERATION

Sample Collection Report as of June 19, 2018

MDWFP staff has collected samples for Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD) testing since 2002. More than 13,000 samples have been collected from hunter-harvested, road-killed, and reported diseased deer. The 2017–2018 CWD surveillance data includes all samples collected between 10/1/2017 and 9/30/2018. Sample collection and analysis is ongoing so data will be updated as test results are returned.

Table 1. All CWD samples collected statewide from 10/1/2017 through 6/19/18.

	CWD Positive	Not Detected	Pending	TOTAL
Statewide	1	1,784	69	1,853

Table 2. CWD Management Zone road-killed, hunter harvested, reported diseased, or animal control permit* samples collected as of 6/19/18.

County	CWD Positive	Not Detected	Pending	TOTAL
Claiborne	0	50	0	50
Hinds	0	57	7	64
Issaquena	1	43	0	44
Sharkey	0	11	0	11
Warren	0	67	36	103
Yazoo	0	102	0	102
TOTAL	1	330	43	374

**Animal control permits are issued by MDWFP to farmers to mitigate agricultural crop damage (primarily deer and wild hogs). In 2018, 97 samples have been collected from properties with permits.*

Table 3. CWD Management Zone response operation samples as of 6/19/2018.

County	CWD Positive	Not Detected	Pending	TOTAL
Claiborne	0	0	0	0
Hinds	0	0	0	0
Issaquena	0	201	0	201
Sharkey	0	8	0	8
Warren	0	235	0	235
Yazoo	0	37	0	37
	0	481	0	481