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This document lists the Invasive Species Council's recommended regulatory status for species of the Fish and Wildlife Diseases Species Assessment Group (SAG). These recommendations are the council's proposed revisions to the Invasive Species Identification, Classification, and Control Rule (Chapter NR 40, Wis. Adm. Code). The council advises the department on a number of invasive species issues, including how to classify invasive species.

SAGs are advisory to the council, and are collections of stakeholders and experts that have valuable input for the species being reviewed. Like the council, they come from a variety of backgrounds including industry, research, education, tribal nations, and local/state/federal government. SAGs review the literature available on the species they're examining and develop recommendations to the council on the regulatory status for each species. The council then votes on these recommendations to produce the list below.

These proposed revisions will be presented by the SAG Coordinator via an online Zoom session on February 21, 2024 from 6:00pm – 7:30pm.

If you would like to register for this Zoom session or have feedback or questions related to the regulatory status of any of the species below, please visit the council website at:

<https://dnr.wisconsin.gov/topic/invasives/InvasiveSpeciesCouncil>

If you would like additional information, such as the literature review for a specific species, please email DNRInvasiveSpecies@wisconsin.gov.

The council will review all feedback received from these sessions before proposing their final recommendations to the department. The department will then begin the official rule making process, during which there will be additional opportunities for public comment.

Fish and Wildlife Diseases SAG Species Recommendations

Currently regulated under NR40 with proposed changes

Scientific Name	Common Name	Current Status	Council Recommendation
<i>Pseudogymnoascus destructans</i>	White-nose syndrome (WNS)	Prohibited	Restricted

Species newly proposed for regulation under NR40

Scientific Name	Common Name	Current Status	Council Recommendation
<i>Raillietiella orientalis</i>	Asian pentastome parasite	Unregulated	Prohibited
<i>Batrachochytrium dendrobatidis</i>	Bd or Amphibian chytrid fungus	Unregulated	Restricted
<i>Batrachochytrium salamandrivorans</i>	Bsal or Salamander chytrid fungus	Unregulated	Prohibited
<i>Rabbit Hemorrhagic Disease-2</i>	Rabbit hemorrhagic disease-2 (RHDV2)	Unregulated	Prohibited
<i>Ranavirus: Ambystoma tigrinum virus (ATV)</i>	Ranavirus - ATV	Unregulated	Prohibited
<i>Ranavirus: Bohle Iridovirus (BIV)</i>	Ranavirus - BIV	Unregulated	Prohibited
<i>Ranavirus: Frog Virus 3 (FV3)</i>	Ranavirus - FV3	Unregulated	Restricted
<i>Ophidiomyces ophiodiicola</i>	Snake fungal disease (SFD)	Unregulated	Restricted

Species assessed but not proposed for regulation under NR40

Scientific Name	Common Name	Current Status	Council Recommendation
<i>Perkinsea</i>	Perkinsea or Severe perkinsea infection (SPI)	Unregulated	Unregulated
<i>Emydomyces testavorans</i>	Ulcerative shell disease	Unregulated	Unregulated

Currently regulated under NR40 with no proposed changes

None.