

WHAT TO DO IF YOU FIND AN INJURED PEREGRINE FALCON



Urban peregrine falcons can get injured through collision with buildings, wires, or vehicles. During the summer in Maine, fledgling peregrines often find themselves on the ground when learning how to fly. If you find a peregrine falcon, please follow the guidelines below:

1. When recovering the bird, wear gloves and be careful of sharp talons and beak. Place it in a cardboard box with padding on the bottom, like an old towel. The box should be ventilated and set in a quiet, temperature controlled area. Do not provide food or water.
2. Contact the following:
 - Between 8:30 am – 5:30 pm, Mon - Sun, Avian Haven, 207.382.6761. Leave a message after hours and then call the appropriate number listed below.
 - Between 5:30 pm – 8:30 am, closest MDIFW Warden Service Dispatch Center:
 - Gray Dispatch: 1.800.228.0857
 - Augusta Dispatch: 1.800.452.4664
 - Bangor Dispatch: 1.800.432.7381



3 weeks



Fledgling



Adult