

# ACO Training: What About Those “Other” Pets?

Hosted by The CT Municipal Animal Control Officers’ Association and the Ferret Association

**Rabbits ♦ Ferrets ♦ Rats ♦ Hamsters ♦ Exotic Birds**

1-hour presentations on each of these species you may encounter in your work.

**Instructors:** Marlene Wilhelm, House Rabbit Connection  
L. Vanessa Gruden, Ferret Association  
Weston Siano, Mainely Rats  
Claudie Leff, Hamster Haven  
Samantha Pintera, Connecticut Parrot Rescue

## Each presentation will include:

Handling ~ Housing ~ Food ~ Determining Age/Sex ~ Common Illness/Signs  
Abuse Indications ~ Shelters ~ Tips to Adopt Out ~ Species Specifics ~ Resources

## Dates/Locations:

Friday, October 27, Stratford Animal Shelter,  
225 Beacon Point Road, Stratford, CT

OR

Friday, November 3, Our Companions  
34 Sanrico Drive, Manchester, CT

Hours: 8—2, including lunch

**Fee: \$25**

**5 Credits**

**Class size is limited; please register early.**

**Attendee Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Organization:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Work Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**City, State, Zip:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Work Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please indicate: Stratford Location:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Manchester Location:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Payment & registration should be sent to: Linda Wenner, CMACOA**

**P O Box 197, Storrs, CT 06268-0197**

**Make checks payable to CMACOA.**

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