

TWReferenceNET E-Centre activity on: Migratory birds and Avian disease.

It is established an e-Centre on the ecology and conservation of river mouth ecosystems, lagoons and coastal lakes at the web address www.twreferencenet.com. the e-Centre is launching an activity of early warning and info point on the role of migratory birds and coastal transitional ecosystems on the diffusion of the avian disease. The e-Centre has organised a forum with the following objectives:

- i. to collect information from the governmental and non governmental sources on the diffusion of avian disease and on the risks for people;
- ii. to collect information on events of deaths of wild fauna in the coastal environments;
- iii. to map information and update the progress of infection;
- iv. to respond online with a group of experts to questions posed by people. The activity is supported and organised by the PP groups of Trieste and of Lecce County.

The forum will be online of the e-Centre homepage; everyone can have access to the forum, ask question or give information which will be immediately inserted in the database and made available to all.

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