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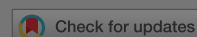
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# Hunter Perceptions of Risk, Social Trust, and Management of Chronic Wasting Disease in Illinois

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Management to reduce the spread of chronic wasting disease (CWD) in northern Illinois includes a controversial sharpshooting program. A mail survey of northern Illinois deer hunters was conducted ( $n = 3,391$ , response rate = 58%) to examine support or

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Findings supported past research examining social trust and risk perceptions in predicting other cognitions associated with CWD.

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