

Why I'm here:
BOAT STRIKE

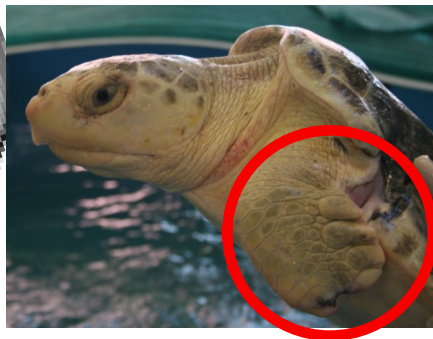
Patient : **ROUTE**
Species : **KEMP'S RIDLEY**
Latin: **LEPIDOCHELYS kempii**
Age: **SUB-ADULT**
Gender : **UNKNOWN**
Weight : **18 LBS**
Found : **BARNSTABLE, MA**
Arrived : **APRIL 29, 2009**
Rescued by : **NEW ENGLAND
AQUARIUM**



Exam Findings:

EXTENSIVE SHELL DAMAGE

**FLIPPER
FRACTURE &
INFECTION**



**PARTIAL LEFT FLIPPER LOSS,
BUT STILL ABLE TO SWIM**



**TREATMENT
FOR: ROUTE**

STABLE CONDITION AFTER
INITIAL TREATMENT AT NEAQ

TRANSPORTED TO GSTC FOR
FINAL STAGES OF WOUND
CARE & RELEASE

PRESCRIBED: DR. NORTON, DVM
(MAY BE PREVIOUS OR CURRENT)

How YOU can help me:
**BE A RESPONSIBLE BOATER!
SLOW DOWN TO PREVENT BOAT
STRIKE INJURIES**

