

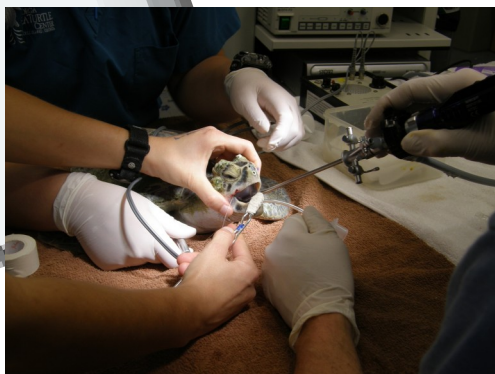
Why I'm here:
SWALLOWED A FISH HOOK

Patient : **TRISARAH**
Species : **GREEN**
Latin: **CHELONIA mydas**
Age : **JUVENILE**
Gender : **UNKNOWN**
Weight : **6 LBS**
Found : **VILANO BEACH, FL**
Arrived : **APRIL 9, 2009**
Rescued by : **FLORIDA FISH &
WILDLIFE COMMISSION**



Exam Findings:

**FISH HOOK EMBEDDED IN
THROAT**



3 LARGE BARNACLES ON HEAD



**TREATMENT
FOR: TRISARAH**

CEFTAZIDIME : ANTIBIOTIC

METACAM : PAIN

**PROPOFOL : SEDATION FOR
BARNACLE & HOOK REMOVAL**

**X-RAYS : DETERMINE HOOK PO-
SITION IN LOWER ESOPHAGUS**

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

How YOU can help me:

**IF YOU CATCH A SEA TURTLE,
CALL THE GA DNR AT 1-800-2-SAVE-ME
NEVER RELEASE AN INJURED TURTLE!**

