

The Abecedarian (A-Z) of One Welfare

One Welfare is the interconnection between the wellbeing of humans, animals and the environment.



A Animal sentience is the ability of animals to feel positive and negative emotions	B Biodiversity is important to planetary health and wellbeing	C Companionship is the emotional attachment formed between an animal and it's guardian or owner
D Duty of care describes the responsibility of those caring for animals	E Empathy is the ability to understand and share feelings of others	F Forest Bathing is an example of ecopsychology supporting good wellbeing
G Global sustainable development is important to climate justice	H Human-Animal bond is the emotional attachment formed between an animal and it's guardian or owner	I Indicator species are animals and plants that reflect the health of an ecosystem
J Climate justice	K Kinship recognises the similarities between humans and animals	L The Link recognises the association between animal cruelty and domestic violence
M Mutualistic relationship is one in which both parties benefit	N Naturalness is a concept of animal welfare	O One Health considers the relationship between the health of humans, animals and the environment
P Positive emotional state considers feelings of wellness and contentment	Q Quality of life is a term used for humans and animals and is supported by a positive emotional state	R Resilience, Reciprocity and Respect between people, animal, and nature
S Shared lifestyles such as the way we live can increase the risk of the same disease in people and their companion animals	T Training animals using positive reinforcement focuses on rewarding good behaviour	U Creating green spaces in Urbanisations enriches One Welfare
V Virtuous circle where one part of the cycle benefits the next	W 'Wood Wide Web' describes the complex network of fungi in woodland soil	X Sustainable management of our natural world is essential to avoid species eX inction
Y Biodiverse ecos Y stems characterise a healthy world	Z A Zoonosis is an infectious disease that can be transmitted from animals to humans	 Supported by the Science Foundation Ireland Discover Programme, the UCD School of Veterinary Medicine and Poetry Ireland. (20/DP/8329)