

TAXIDERMIST

Checklist

- ☐ There are no special state-level licenses required for taxidermists. However, each taxidermist must keep daily records and must have them available for inspection by the county wildlife officer.
- ☐ Contact the Division of Wildlife District Office in your area for more information. Information is also on-line at <http://ohiodnr.com/tabid/4414/Default.aspx>.
- ☐ Contact the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) for information about the proper disposal of hazardous and solid waste. The EPA can be reached at (614) 644-3020 for General Inquiries or (800) 329-7518 for Office of Compliance Assistance and Pollution Prevention. The Ohio EPA is also on-line at www.epa.state.oh.us.
- ☐ Taxidermy is taxable. You need a VENDOR'S LICENSE. Contact YOUR COUNTY AUDITOR or the OHIO DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION. Information is also on-line at <http://tax.ohio.gov> and <http://business.ohio.gov>.
- ☐ If you have questions about sales tax, contact the OHIO DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION at (888) 405-4039 for Business Tax Assistance; 888-405-4089 for Tax Registration; or (800) 282-1782 for the Forms Request Line. Information is also on-line at <http://tax.ohio.gov>.

Division of Wildlife District Offices:

Central Ohio — (614) 644-3925

Northwest Ohio — (419) 424-5000

Northeast Ohio — (330) 644-2293

Southeast Ohio — (740) 589-9930

Southwest Ohio — (937) 372-9261

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*For more help, contact your local Small Business Development Center (SBDC) at www.ohiosbdc.net.
Also, remember to check Federal, State and local government agencies. This checklist is about state requirements.
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