Backyard Poultry Resources

• General information

http://ucanr.edu/sites/poultry/files/186897.pdf http://ucanr.edu/sites/poultry/files/186890.pdf

Damerow, Gail. 1995. *Storey's Guide to Raising Chickens. 3rd Ed.* Pownal, Vt.: Storey Communications Inc.

• Caring for baby chicks

http://ucanr.edu/sites/poultry/files/186893.pdf

Feeding

http://ucanr.edu/sites/poultry/files/186894.pdf

• Housing

http://ucanr.edu/sites/poultry/files/186892.pdf

• Health

http://ucanr.edu/sites/poultry/dz/

• Eggs

http://anrcatalog.ucanr.edu/pdf/8120.pdf

CAHFS

Phone: 530-752-7578

California Animal Health & Food Safety Laboratory System

Provides euthanasia and necropsy services (\$20 for 1-2 birds) for backyard flocks

http://cahfs.ucdavis.edu/

CDFA and USDA Sick Bird Hotline: 1-866-922-2473

CAPE (UC Davis)

Phone: 530-752-1393

Companion Exotic Animal Medicine & Surgery Service

Provides health advice for backyard flock owners

http://www.vetmed.ucdavis.edu/vmth/small_animal/cape/index.cfm

UCANR (University of California Agriculture and Natural Resources)
Provides updated information on backyard poultry keeping
http://ucanr.edu/sites/poultry/contact/

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Veterinarians experienced in treating backyard chickens:

- Dr. Linda Siperstein, Berkeley Dog & Cat Hospital, Berkeley, CA, 510-848-5041
- Dr. Cynthia Lynn, Montclair Veterinary Hospital, Oakland, CA, 510-339-8600
- Dr. Nancy Anderson, Lindsay Wildlife Museum, Walnut Creek, CA, 925-935-1978
- Dr. Evelyn Ivey, Four Corners Veterinary Hospital, Concord, CA, 925-685-0512
- Dr. Brian Speer, Medical Center for Birds, Oakley, CA, 925-625-1878
- Dr. Lynn Dustin, Bay Area Bird Hospital, San Francisco, CA, 415-566-4359
- Dr. Elinor Granzow, Alameda Pet Hospital, Alameda, CA, 510-523-1626