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IFAW's Elephant Protection Programme seeks to protect elephants in their natural habitats and to protect them from poaching and the ivory trade. In South Africa IFAW supports the Conservation Ecology Research Unit (CERU) in their groundbreaking scientific research into creating "megaparks for meta-populations" of elephants



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In South Africa IFAW supports the Southern African Foundation for the Conservation of Coastal Birds (SANCCOB) in their efforts to rescue and rehabilitate oiled seabirds. In this picture a group of cleaned African penguins make their way into the ocean against a backdrop of Cape Town's iconic Table Mountain



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IFAW's Emergency Relief Programme supports the Centre for Animal Rehabilitation and Education (C.A.R.E.) which is a specialist baboon rehabilitation facility in Limpopo Province, South Africa



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Via its Whale Protection Programme IFAW leads the fight to save these magnificent animals and to protect endangered whales for future generations

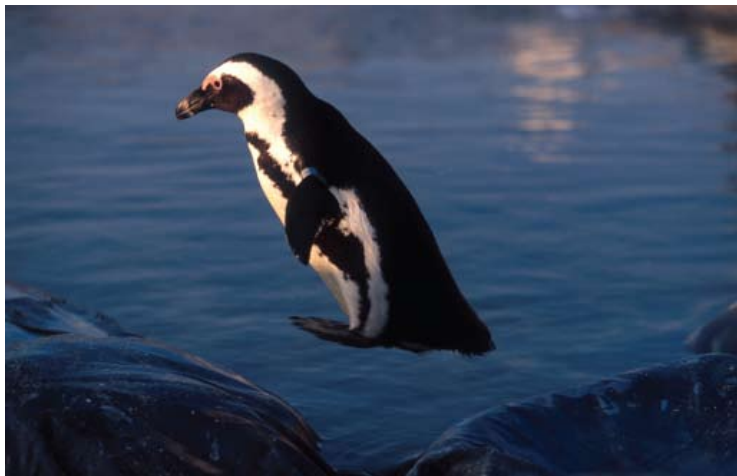


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IFAW's Emergency Relief team rescues wild and domestic animals around the world, saving them from abusive or dangerous situations, rehabilitating them, and placing them into sanctuaries or back into the wild if possible.



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A single oil spill can wreak devastation on wildlife and habitats, yet hundreds of millions of litres of oil pour into the sea every year just by ships cleaning their bilges. African penguins along the southern African coast are regularly affected by this kind of chronic oiling, and the work to rescue and rehabilitate affected birds falls to SANCCOB which is supported by IFAW



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In Cape Town, IFAW supports the Mdzananda Animal Clinic. Through its mobile outreach clinics and its permanent, on-site facility which operates from recycled shipping containers, Mdzananda provides primary veterinary health care services to the Khayalitsha community, home to one-third of Cape Town residents



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Through its Elephant Protection Programme IFAW tirelessly works to support law enforcement that will stop elephant poaching and smuggling of ivory, and to encourage range states to close down their domestic ivory markets



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IFAW plays a leading role in the worldwide fight to protect whale species from cruel hunts and commercial whaling, through conservation research, political advocacy and public education



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Although listed as “endangered”, Chacma baboons are often regarded as vermin by South African conservation authorities. The IFAW supported C.A.R.E. is the only project that rescues, rehabilitates and then releases baboons



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CLAW is a project of IFAW's Companion Animals Programme. It provides primary, veterinary healthcare to dogs and cats to more than 30 indigent communities in Gauteng, South Africa



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The International Fund for Animal Welfare works to improve the welfare of wild and domestic animals throughout the world by reducing commercial exploitation of animals, protecting wildlife habitats, and assisting animals in distress.

Ifaw seeks to motivate the public to prevent cruelty to animals and to promote animal welfare and conservation policies that advance the well-being of both animals and people.

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