I Found a Fawn

Is the fawn injured?

YES

DO NOT FEED OR GIVE WATER. Call a licensed wildlife rehabilitator.

NO

Does the fawn have spots?

YES

Mother deer (Does) leave their fawn alone up to 10 to 12 hours at a time. They can often leave them in a yard or a field but sometimes even near a street or road. Leave the fawn alone. The mother will come back within 10 to 12 hours. If not, do not touch or move the fawn, but do call a licensed wildlife rehabilitator for advice. DO NOT FEED OR GIVE WATER.

NO

The fawn is actually old enough to be independent. Just leave it alone. DO NOT FEED OR GIVE WATER.

A list of NJ Wildlife Rehabilitators can be found at NJAWR.org

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