

CKISS Aquatic Priority List Categories 2023

Priority	Category	Definition	Management Action
1	Prevention/EDRR	New species not present in the CKISS Region but likely to establish if introduced. Early detection and rapid response is the main management focus.	Not known in the CKISS Region - report all sightings. Focus on education & awareness with the goal of prevention.
2	Eradication/Annual Control	Species with limited distribution and low density on infested sites. Species invading susceptible habitats, sensitive areas, or sites containing red- or blue-listed species. New infestations of established species in the area beyond the original population.	Eradication or annual control is the main management focus - check IAPP for known sites and report new locations.
3	Containment	Established infestations in waterways. These species are well established in some parts of the CKISS Region but have not yet infested all potential habitats.	Control and containment are the main management focus - report sightings in areas outside known distribution - prevent spread outside these locations.
4	Established; Strategic Management	Established throughout CKISS Region.	Prevention of spread is the main management focus.

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