

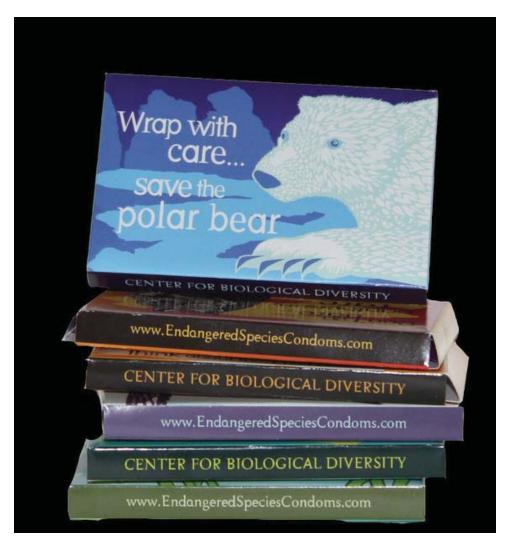
To Spotlight Endangered Species ... Condoms?

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Is that a polar bear, or are you just happy to see me? Condoms emblazoned with the friendly faces of endangered species may or may not spice up your love life, but wildlife advocates are hoping they remind you to remember the environment.

The Center for Biological Diversity is giving out 25,000 free Endangered Species condoms this holiday season. Each prophylactic features a species under threat along with a slogan, including "wrap with care ... save the polar bear," and "In the sack? Save the Leatherback?"

The Center has been giving away the cute condoms since 2009, and has distributed about 500,000 so far.



The Center for Biological Diversity is handing out free condoms with a side of wildlife conservation. Credit: Center for Biological Diversity

This winter, they're popping up in all 50 states in locations as diverse as yoga studios, skate parks, churches and doctor's offices.