

LITERATURE

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Field observation of the association of adult and neonatal Timber rattlesnakes, *Crotalus horridus*, with possible evidence for conspecific trailing; Howard K. Reinert & Robert T. Zappalorti. *Copeia*, 1988 (4): 1057-1059.

For several species of rattlesnakes parturition may occur a considerable distance from the hibernaculum used by adults. Field observations however indicate that many neonatal *Crotalus viridis* and *Crotalus horridus* do use the same winter refugia as adults. During field observation the authors saw young *Crotalus horridus* trailing adults towards their hibernacula.