



Botanical name:	<i>Cornus florida</i>	(KOR-nus FLOR-ih-duh)
Common Name(s):	Flowering Dogwood	
Height:	30'	
Form, Branches, Twigs:	Spreading. Nearly horizontal branches. Rough dark reddish brown bark w/ small square plates. Green or reddish slender twigs becoming almost hairless.	
Fruit/Seed:	White (Spring) flower. Red berries.	
Leaves:	Opposite leaves, green and nearly hairless above, paler and fine hair below. Red in Fall. 2 ½" -5" by 1 ½"-2 ½" wide, slightly wavy (toothed under a lens) slightly wavy with 6-7 curved veins on each side of midvein	
Habitat:	Moist nutrient dense soil. Needs some shade! This is an under canopy tree.	

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