

LOUDOUN COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT ANIMAL EXPOSURE REPORT

Incident Details

Date of Incident: _____ Date of Report: _____ Received By: _____
Incident Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Source Animal Information

Species : [] Dog [] Cat [] Other Name: _____ [] Domestic [] Stray [] Wild
[] Male [] Neutered [] Female [] Spayed Breed: _____ Color: _____
Size: [] Small (< 20 lbs) [] Medium (20-50 lbs) [] Large (50 + lbs) Age: [] 0-4 MTHS [] 4-12 MTHS [] 12+ MTHS
Owner Name: : _____ County: _____
Owner Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____
Owner Phone (Prim): _____ (2ndary): _____ (Other): _____
[] Do not know (Animal at large)

[] Same as Owner Victim Information (Please read info on back)

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____ [] Male [] Female
Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____
Phone (Prim): _____ (2ndary): _____ (Other): _____
DOB: _____ Age (if < 18) _____ Parent Name (if victim under 18): _____
Are other persons involved? (if yes, please attach list) [] No [] Yes

Treatment / Medical Facility Information

Facility : _____
Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____
Phone: _____ Provider Name: _____
Type of exposure? [] Bite [] Scratch [] Other: _____ Provoked: [] Yes [] No
Injury Location: _____
Final Diagnosis: _____
Rabies Post Exposure Prophylaxis Initiated? [] No [] Yes If Yes,
Prev Unvaccinated: Rabies Immune Globulin AND Rabies Vaccine Administered? [] Yes
or
Prev Vaccinated: Rabies Vaccine Administered? [] Yes

Between 8:30 am & 5:00 pm weekdays, please FAX report. FAX #: 703 - 771 - 5023

All other times (After hours, weekends, holidays), PLEASE contact the ON-CALL STAFF by phone in addition to FAXING THE REPORT to the above number

ON-CALL PHONE: 571 - 237 - 5091

If NO response from the phone or EHS , call any of the Staff on the ON-CALL SCHEDULE

Please FAX report prior to scanning

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Medical Record Stamp []

During business hrs (8:30-5pm), call 703-777-0234 if questions arise.

Why the Domestic Animal Must Be Observed For 10 Days And Guidelines for the Observation.

In accordance with the Health Laws of Virginia, Sec. 3.2-6522.E and Codified Ordinances of Loudoun County, Chapter 612.18.c, domestic animals, such as dogs, cats, ferrets & farm animals that have potentially exposed a person to rabies through a bite or other means **must be observed for 10 days** following an exposure incident to determine whether they were possibly shedding rabies virus.

If a domestic animal was shedding rabies virus in its saliva at the time of exposure, that animal will be showing signs of rabies either at the time of the exposure incident or within several days following the incident.

If a domestic animal remains clinically normal for 10 days following a potential exposure incident, it is assumed that the animal was not shedding rabies at the time of the incident; therefore there was no rabies exposure. The confinement is required regardless of the animal's rabies vaccination status.

- Rabies is essentially 100% fatal. This is why your complete cooperation is needed to make sure the person your animal may have exposed remains safe.
- The confinement area must be escape-proof. Acceptable methods include a building (= home), pen or within a fenced-in area. The animal may be "walked"/exercised off premises if on a leash AND under the immediate control of a responsible adult.

In most cases, the animal remains at the owner's residence for the 10 days.