



RABIES EXPOSURE DETERMINATION FORM (ANIMAL BITE) - HUMAN

Unified Government of Wyandotte County Public Health Department (UG PHD)

DESCRIPTION OF INCIDENT:

ANIMAL(S) CAUSING EXPOSURE INFORMATION

Number of animals causing exposure? _____

List each animal separately:

<u>SPECIES</u>	<u>COLOR / DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>OWNED ANIMAL</u>	<u>PROOF OF CURRENT RABIES VACCINATION</u>	<u>ANIMAL AVAILABLE FOR TESTING / OBSERVATION</u>
_____	_____	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> UNKNOWN <input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
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1) Was/were the animal(s) exhibiting signs/symptoms of rabies at the time of exposure? YES NO UNKNOWN
Unusual aggression Wild animal not afraid of people Nocturnal animal active in daytime
Excessive salivation Difficulty swallowing Impaired movement Paralysis

2) Was it possible that the animal(s) had any contact with any potential rabies vectors? YES NO UNKNOWN
Bats Skunks Raccoons Coyotes Foxes Stray Dogs Stray Cats

If YES or UNKNOWN was selected for one or both of the previous questions, a Rabies Exposure may have occurred. Refer to KDHE Rabies Exposure Assessment Algorithm and if further guidance is needed.

3) DOES THIS INVESTIGATION INDICATE A POSSIBLE RABIES EXPOSURE? YES NO

- **If YES**, complete the following actions:
 - Complete RABIES INVESTIGATION FORM with all known information (form available on www.wycokck.org).
 - Contact UG PHD Communicable Disease Control at 913-573-6712 with any questions.
 - Fax completed RABIES INVESTIGATION FORM to UG PHD Communicable Disease Control at 913-573-6744.
 - Direct exposed person(s) to a healthcare provider for immediate evaluation.
- **If NO**, incident does not need to be reported to UG PHD Communicable Disease Control. Appropriate medical care for injured person(s) and/or actions by Animal Control Officers should be continued as warranted.

Unified Government Public Health Department Information Only:

Date Received: _____ Case Number: _____ Epitrax Number: _____ Status: _____

Date Investigation Began: _____ Date Investigation Completed: _____ Investigator Name: _____