

Jeremiah W. (Jay) Nixon Governor

DESCRIPTION OF THE INCIDENCE OF CONFIRMED RABIES IN LABORATORY EXAMS

June 2011

Positive Animal

County

Bat

Buchanan (1), Callaway (1), Franklin (1),

St. Louis County (1)

Total Rabies Cases to Date: 11

Total Rabies Cases to Date-Last Year: 32

Margaret T. Donnelly

Director

Negative Animal Heads Examined This Month: 237* Positive Animal Heads Examined This Month: 4

Percent Positive This Month: 1.66%

Total Animal Heads Examined to Date This Year: 872*

Cumulative Exams and Positive Results - Year To Date						Total Rabies
Species	#Exams	#Positive	Species	# Exams	#Positive	By Year
Dog:	316	0	Rodent/Rabbit:	27	0	2010: 63
Cat:	229	0	Other Domestic:	6	0	2009: 65
Bat:	206	6	Other Wild:	12	0	2008: 64
Skunk:	12	5	Exotic:	0	0	2007: 38
Fox:	4	0	Unknown:	0	0	2006: 66
Cow:	12	0	Total:	872	11	2005: 73
Horse:	5	0	Counties On Alert: None			2004: 59
Ferret:	1	0				2003: 43
Raccoon:	42	0	Counties are placed on alert when there is a			2002: 45
			positive result on a domestic animal or when			2001: 40
			threshold levels for exceeded.	2000: 50		

^{*}Includes unsatisfactory specimens.

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