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DESCRIPTION OF THE INCIDENCE OF CONFIRMED RABIES IN LABORATORY EXAMS March 2014

Positive Animal

County

None

Total Rabies Cases to Date: 1

Total Rabies Cases to Date-Last Year: 9

Negative Animal Heads Examined This Month: 123* Positive Animal Heads Examined This Month: 0

Percent Positive This Month: 0.00%

Total Animal Heads Examined to Date This Year: 349*

Cumulative Exams and Positive Results - Year To Date						Total Rabies
Species	#Exams	#Positive	Species	# Exams	#Positive	By Year
Dog:	122	0	Rodent/Rabbit:	7	0	2013: 39
Cat:	85	0	Other Domestic:	3	0	2012: 28
Bat:	87	0	Other Wild:	8	0	2011: 29
Skunk:	7	1	Exotic:	0	0	2010: 63
Fox:	0	0	Unknown:	0	0	2009: 65
Cow:	8	0	Total:	349	1	2008: 64
Horse:	6	0	Counties On Alert: None			2007: 38
Ferret:	0	0				2006: 66
Raccoon:	16	0	Counties are placed on alert when there is a			2005: 73
			positive result on a domestic animal or when			2004: 59
			threshold levels for			
			exceeded.			

^{*}Includes unsatisfactory specimens.

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Confirmed Animal Rabies in Missouri 2014

