

Jeremiah W. (Jay) Nixon Governor

## DESCRIPTION OF THE INCIDENCE OF CONFIRMED RABIES IN LABORATORY EXAMS November 2012

## **Positive Animal**

None

**Total Rabies Cases to Date: 28** 

**Total Rabies Cases to Date-Last Year: 28** 

Margaret T. Donnelly

Director

Negative Animal Heads Examined This Month: 85\* Positive Animal Heads Examined This Month: 0

**Percent Positive This Month: 0.00%** 

Total Animal Heads Examined to Date This Year: 1771\*

Cumulative Exams and Positive Results - Year To Date						Total Rabies
Species	#Exams	#Positive	Species	# Exams	#Positive	By Year
Dog:	537	0	Rodent/Rabbit:	47	0	2011: 29
Cat:	417	0	Other Domestic:	8	0	2010: 63
Bat:	553	16	Other Wild:	34	0	2009: 65
Skunk:	41	12	Exotic:	0	0	2008: 64
Fox:	6	0	Unknown:	0	0	2007: 38
Cow:	30	0	Total:	1771	28	2006: 66
Horse:	19	0	Counties On Alert: None			2005: 73
Ferret:	1	0				2004: 59
Raccoon:	78	0	Counties are placed on alert when there is a			2003: 43
			positive result on a domestic animal or when			2002: 45
			threshold levels for	2001: 40		
			exceeded.			

<sup>\*</sup>Includes unsatisfactory specimens.

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## Confirmed Animal Rabies in Missouri 2012

