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DESCRIPTION OF THE INCIDENCE OF CONFIRMED RABIES IN LABORATORY EXAMS **July 2021**

Positive	<u>Animal</u>	County		
Bat	(1)	Franklin		
Bat	(2)	Nodaway		
Bat	(1)	St Louis City		
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Total Rabies Cases to Date: 9

Total Rabies Cases to Date-Last Year: 11

Negative Animal Heads Examined This Month: 210* Positive Animal Heads Examined This Month: 5

Percent Positive This Month: 2.33%

Total Animal Heads Examined to Date This Year: 1082*

Cı	Total Rabies					
Species	#Exams	#Positive	Species	# Exams	#Positive	By Year
						2020: 16
Dog:	343	0	Rodent/Rabbit:	30	0	2019: 24
Cat:	209	0	Other Domestic:	9	0	2018: 20
Bat:	409	8	Other Wild:	12	0	2017: 20
Skunk:	12	1	Exotic:	0	0	2016: 25
Fox:	5	0	Unknown:	0	0	2015: 31
Cow:	0	0	Total:	1082	9	2014: 27
Horse:	5	0	Counties On Alert: None			2013: 39
Ferret:	1	0				2012: 28
Raccoon:	47	0	Counties are placed on alert when there is a			2011: 29
			positive result on a domestic animal or when			2010: 63
			threshold levels for			
			exceeded.			

^{*}Includes unsatisfactory specimens.

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Confirmed Animal Rabies in Missouri 2021

