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Rabies Program

<u>Promptly report animal bites and potential rabies exposures to</u>
Warren County Public Health: 761-6580

Program Contacts:

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<u>Purpose</u>: To prevent, monitor, identify, and control rabies in Warren County.

Goals:

- To reduce incidence of rabies in Warren County
- To educate and inform Warren County residents on rabies prevention
- To prevent spread of rabies from wildlife to the domestic animal population
- To monitor and manage human exposures to rabies
- To communicate and coordinate activities with other collaborating agencies

Functions:

- Provide outreach and education to the community.
- Rabies vaccination clinics for animals
- Rabies pre and post exposure vaccination for humans
- Authorize and facilitate quarantine and/or rabies testing of suspect animals to rule out potential exposures.
- Receive and manage animal bite reports and possible rabies exposures.

Resource Agencies:

Rabies Concerns:

Contact Public Health 761-6580

Wildlife Concerns:

Life Threatening - Contact DEC 623-1200 or 911

Nuisance - Contact a Nuisance and Wildlife Agency

Wildlife Rehabilitation: North County Wildlife 964-6740

Dangerous Dog and other Dog Complaints: Contact your Town Animal Control Officer

Stray/Feral Cats or Sick, Injured, or Abused Animals- Warren County SPCA 793-4048