

Rabies in Humans in the USA: 1950 - Present

Updated 03/8/17										
Case #	YEAR	AGE	SEX	RACE	LOCATION	EXPOSURE	ANIMAL	RV Variant	INCUBATION	COMMENTS
221	2015	77	F		Wyoming	Wyoming	Bat	Ps ³	1 month	Found a bat on her neck upon waking; did not seek medical care
220	2015	65	M		Massachusetts	Phillipines	Dog	dog		Bitten by dog in Phillipines
219	2014	52	M		Missouri	Missouri	Bat	Ps	1 month	Found bats in home about a month prior to symptom onset; had also seen bats in warehouse (work); bat bite (date unknown)
218	2013	28	M	Hispanic	Texas	Guatemala/Mexico	Unk	dog	Unk	Pt detained by ICE in South Texas in early May, sx onset May 16th - traveled thru Mexico from Guatemala, El Salvador
217	2012	34	M		California	California	Bat	Tb ¹	3 month	Probably bitten by bat in March; symptoms began in July; died in Switzerland
216	2011	63	M		Massachusetts	Massachusetts	Bat	<i>Myotis</i> sp ²	1 month	Likely bitten by bat in home
215	2011	46	F		S. Carolina	S. Carolina	Bat	Tb	2-3 months	Likely bitten by a bat that entered her home - colony roosting in attic, history of bats in living area of house; no reported contact or bite
214	2011	40	M		Massachusetts	South America	Dog	dog	> 7 years	
213	2011	24	M		New York	Afganistan	Dog		7-8 months	Active Duty member bitten by dog in Jan 11 - Afganistan, PEP begun but not completed
212	2011	71	F	B	New Jersey	Haiti	Dog	Haiti dog/mongoose	60 - 70 days	Bitten in April in Haiti
211	2011	8	F	Cau	California	California	Unk	Unk	Unk	Survived. Milwaukee Protocol successful
210	2010	70	M	Cau	Wisconsin	Wisconsin	Bat	Ps		
209	2010	19	M	Hispanic	Louisiana	Mexico	Bat	Dr ⁴		In the US only 4 days when symptoms began 8/1/2010
208	2009	43	M		Indiana	Indiana	Bat	Ps	~70 days	Pt reported seeing a bat in late July. Onset Oct 5
207	2009	55	M		Michigan	Michigan	Bat	Ln/Ps ³		
206	2009	42	M	Cau	Virginia	India	Dog	dog	3 Months	Bitten and scratched by dog while jogging
205	2009	17	F	Cau	Texas	San Antonio area	Bat	Bat (Unknown)	4-6 wks	Survived, met CDC Case Definition
204	2008	55	M	Cau	Missouri	Missouri	Bat	Ln/Ps	4-6 wks	Known bat bite
203	2008	16	M	Hispanic	California	Mexico	Bat	Tb (related)	Unk	Boy was from Oaxaca Mexico, unknown exposure but eventually typed as new Tb variant
202	2007	46	M	Cau	Minnesota	Minnesota	Bat	Unk	33 days	Bitten 8/17/07 - 1st symptom 33 days later - hospitalized 10 days later - died 17 days after hospitalization, 60 days post bite
201	2006	11	M		California	Phillipines	Dog	dog	2 years	
200	2006	10	F		Indiana	Indiana	Bat	Ln/Ps	4 months	
199	2006	16	M	Cau	Texas	Texas	Bat	Tb	4+ weeks	Bat flew into room and brushed against face...caught and released...not tested
198	2005	10	M		Mississippi	Mississippi	Bat	Unk	Unk	Rabies confirmed by 4-fold rise in antibody titer in serum and CSF
197	2004	22	M	Hispanic	California	El Salvador	Dog	Domestic Dog/Coyote	Unk	Retrospectively discovered October 2004
196	2004	15	F	Cau	Wisconsin	Wisconsin	Bat	assumed bat	37 days	Survived. Pt had history of bat bite on 12 Sep 2004. Pt put into drug induced coma treated with 4 antivirals and survived.
195	2004	54	F	Cau	Texas	BUME	N/A	Tb	Unk	Transplantation acquired - Iliac artery
194	2004	50	F		Texas	BUME	N/A	Tb	Unk	Transplantation acquired - Kidney
193	2004	18	M		Texas	BUME	N/A	Tb	Unk	Transplantation acquired - Kidney
192	2004	52	M	Cau	Oklahoma	Oklahoma	N/A	Tb	Unk	Transplantation acquired - Liver
191	2004	20	M	Cau	Arkansas	Arkansas	Bat	Tb	Unk	Organ Donor
190	2004	41	M		Florida	Haiti	Dog	Haiti dog/mongoose	8 months	Bitten by dog in Haiti in June 2003.
189	2003	66	M		California	California	Bat	Ln/Ps	4+ weeks	Bitten by bat while in bed.
188	2003	25	M		Virginia	Unk	Unk	Raccoon	Unk	No known animal exposure
187	2002	20	M		Iowa	Iowa	Unk	Ln/Ps	Unk	No known bat exposure
186	2002	28	M		California	California	Bat	Tb	Unk	Colony of Tb bats found living in attic
185	2002	13	M		Tennessee	Tennessee	bat	Ln/Ps	11 weeks	Pt picked up sick bat and brought into home...released after 3 hours
184	2001	72	M		California	Phillipines	dog	dog	8 months	Pt traveled to PI between 3/11/00 and 5/13/01
183	2000	69	M		Wisconsin	Wisconsin	Bat	Ln/Ps	Unk	
182	2000	47	M		Minnesota	Minnesota	bat	Ln/Ps	7 weeks	Bitten by a bat between Aug 19 and 26. Onset on 14 Oct
181	2000	26	M		Georgia	Georgia	bat	Tb	Unk	Boarding house had colony of bats
180	2000	54	M	B	New York	Africa	dog	dog	Unk	Pt was visiting U.S from xxxxxx. Arrived 09/22/00, hospitalized 09/30/00.
179	2000	49	M		California	California	bat	Tb	6 weeks	
178	1998	29	M	B	Virginia	Virginia	bat	Ln/Ps	Unk	No known bite, patient inmate in Virginia correctional facility, 39+ other inmates prophylaxed
177	1997	32	M		New Jersey	New Jersey	bat	Ln/Ps	Unk	No known bite; bats in house; handled 2 bats 3 mons previously
176	1997	71	M		Texas	Texas	bat	Ln/Ps	2 months	Awoke with bat on shoulder; bat not tested; no PEX
175	1997	65	M		Montana	Montana	bat	Ln/Ps	4 months	Wife reports bat in bedroom; no known exposure
174	1997	64	M		Washington		bat	Ef ⁵	Unk	No history of bat exposure
173	1996	49	M		Montana	Montana	bat	Ln/Ps	Unk	Wife reports bats in home; no known exposure
172	1996	42	F		Kentucky		bat	Ln/Ps	Unk	

171	1996	32	F		New Hampshire	Nepal	dog	dog	2 mons	Bitten while in Nepal; did not receive PEX
170	1996	26	M		Florida	Mexico		Domestic Dog/Coyote	Unk	Bitten by pup in Chiapas Oct '95? Or bitten left hand Jan'95?
169	1995	74	M		California		bat	Ln/Ps	Unk	Rancher; no hx of bite
168	1995	28	M	Hispanic	California	California	bat	Tb	Unk	No hx of bite, bat landed on chest, worked in shed with bats; traveled to Mexico
167	1995	13	F	Cau	Connecticut	Connecticut	bat	Ln/Ps	1 month	No hx of bite, bat in house; died in NY
166	1995	4	F		Washington	Washington	bat	<i>Myotis</i> sp	1 month	Bat in bedroom; no bite noted
165	1994	51	M	Haitian	Florida	Haiti		Haiti dog/mongoose	Unk	No bite wound
164	1994	14	M	Hispanic	Texas			Domestic Dog/Coyote	Unk	
163	1994	24	F		Alabama	Alabama	bat	Tb	Unk	2 mon. post mortum-formalin tissues, job=remove bats from bldg
162	1994	42	F		Tennessee		bat	Ln/Ps	Unk	
161	1994	41	M		W.Virginia	W. Virginia	bat	Ln/Ps	4 mons?	Possible red bat exposure 4 months previously
160	1994	44	M		California		bat	Ln/Ps	Unk	No exposure
159	1993	69	M	Hispanic	California	Mexico	dog	Domestic Dog/Coyote	6 mons?	Bit on neck
158	1993	82	M	Cau	Texas	Tx or AR ?	bat	Ln/Ps	Unk	No exposure
157	1993	11	F	Cau	New York	New York	bat	Ln/Ps	Unk	No exposure
156	1992	11	M	Ind	California	India	dog	dog	2-4 mons	Bit on finger, no tx
155	1991	27	F		Georgia	GA or TN ?	bat	Ln/Ps	Unk	
154	1991	29	M	B	Arkansas	Arkansas	bat	Ln/Ps	3-4 wks ?	Bat not tested
153	1991	55	F	Hispanic	Texas			Domestic Dog/Coyote	Unk	Virus in saliva
152	1990	22	M	Hispanic	Texas	Texas	bat	Tb	47 days	Bit on hand
151	1989	18	M	Hispanic	Oregon	Mexico		Domestic Dog/Coyote	> 1 yr	
150	1987	13	M	Phil	California	Philippines		dog	6+years	
149	1985	19	M	Hispanic	Texas	Mexico ?		Domestic Dog/Coyote	Unk	Histopath dx
148	1984	12	F	Lao	Texas	SE Asia		dog	7 years	
147	1984	72	F	Hispanic	California	Guatemala		Domestic Dog/Coyote	3 mons	Bite on ankle
146	1984	12	M		Pennsylvania		bat	<i>Myotis</i> sp		Bite on finger
145	1983	30	M		Massachusetts	Nigeria	dog	dog	12 wks	
144	1983	5	F		Michigan	Michigan	bat	Ln/Ps	5 months	Contact only; no bite
143	1981	40	M		Arizona	Mexico	dog	Domestic Dog/Coyote	60 days	Bit hand; home-vacc dog
142	1981	27	M	Cau	Oklahoma	Texas ?		S.Central skunk		Corsicana, TX assoc.
141	1979	7	F	Hispanic	Texas	Mexico	dog	Domestic Dog/Coyote	24 days	Bite on left leg
140	1979	8	M	Hispanic	Texas	Mexico	dog	Domestic Dog/Coyote	19 days	
139	1979	18	M		Washington					
138	1979	37	M	Hispanic	California	Mexico	dog	Domestic Dog/Coyote	165 days	Bit on hand
137	1979	45	M		Kentucky			Ln/Ps		
136	1979	24	M		Oklahoma			Ln/Ps		Spelunker-last in cave 1976
135	1979	50	M		Pennsylvania					
134	1978	25	M	Hispanic	Texas	Mexico				
133	1978	37	F		Idaho			Ln/Ps	30 days	Corneal transplant recipient
132	1978	39	M		Oregon					Corneal transplant donor
131	1978	50	M		W.Virginia					Acquired outside US
130	1977	32	M		New York	laboratory	aerosol		2wks	Survived, with sequellae
129	1976	17	M		Texas	Mexico	dog	Domestic Dog/Coyote	4-5 wks	Monclova, Mexico; bite on wrist
128	1976	55	F		Maryland	Maryland	Big Brown bat	Ln/Ps	25 days	Bit on finger, TX - wash wound & PEX
127	1975	60	M		Minnesota	Minnesota	cat	skunk	53 days	Tx=PEX; bite on finger
126	1975	16	F	Hispanic	California	Mexico	dog	Domestic Dog/Coyote	~ 12 mons	No known bit
125	1973	26	M	Cau	Kentucky	Kentucky	bat	Ln/Ps	22 days	Bit on ear
124	1972	56	M		Texas	laboratory			12 days	Aerosol expos-vacc production
123	1972	70	M		California	Phil'nes	dog	dog	30 days	Bit on both hands
122	1971	64	M		New Jersey	New Jersey	bat		59 days	Bite,lip; Tx - PEX
121	1971	6	M		California	Mexico	dog		71 days	Bit on face
120	1970	4	M		S.Dakota	S.Dakota	skunk		32 days	Bit on arm
119	1970	11	M	Cau	Arizona	Arizona	skunk		22 days	Bit on hands
118	1970	6	M		Ohio	Ohio	bat		20 days	Bit on thumb; survived
117	1969	2	M		California	San Diego	bobcat		17 days	Bit on head, legs; Tx=PEX

116	1968	13	M		Kansas	Kansas	dog ?			
115	1967	58	F		New York	Africa	dog		46 days	Acquired outside US; Tx=PEX
114	1967	9	M		Oregon	Egypt	dog		60 days	Acquired outside US
113	1966	10	M		S.Dakota		skunk		24 days	Bit on hands, head
112	1965	60	M		W.Virginia	W.Virginia	dog		701 days	Tx=PEX
111	1964	10	M		Minnesota		skunk		19 days	Bit on hands; Tx=PEX
110	1963	52	F		Alabama	Alabama	dog			
109	1962	4	M	Hisp	Texas		dog ?		5-6 wks ?	Unk
108	1962	11	M		Idaho	Idaho	bat		41 days	
107	1961	53	F		Kentucky	Kentucky	fox		52 days	Bit on leg
106	1961	76	M		California	California	dog		31 days	Bit on wrist
105	1961	74	M		Kentucky	Kentucky	fox		39 days	Bit on thumb
104	1960	9	M		Georgia	Georgia	dog		56 days	
103	1960	19	F		Ohio	Guatemala	cat		50 days	
102	1959	54	M	Cau	California	Frio Cave	bat		30 days ?	Probably aerosol
101	1959	44	M		Wisconsin	Wisconsin	bat		22 days	Bit on ear
100	1959	4	M		Indiana	Indiana	dog ?		25 days?	Dog lived
99	1959	10	M		Georgia	Georgia	dog		40 days	
98	1959	30	F		Alabama	Alabama	dog		86 days	Tx=PEX
97	1959	23	M		Missouri					
96	1959	65	M		S.Carolina		dog		21 days	
95	1958	2	M		S.Dakota		skunk		16 days	
94	1958	53	F		California	California	bat		57 days	Bit by moribund bat; Tx=PEX
93	1958	4	F		Ohio		dog		36 days	
92	1958	10	M		Ohio					
91	1958	60	F		S.Carolina		fox		22 days	
90	1958	55	M		Georgia		dog		14 days	
89	1957	Adult	M		Texas		dog		3-4 mons?	Military dependent, personal pet
88	1957	9	M		Tennessee	Arkansas	dog		3 mons	
87	1957	1	F		Indiana	Indiana	unk		21 days	Bit on hand at night
86	1957	no info								
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84	1956	63	M	Cau	Texas	Texas	dog		48 days	Dog implicated by victim and ACO survived
83	1956	8	F	Cau	Texas	Dallas	dog		4 mons	Vaccinated family pet
82	1956	3	M	Cau	Texas	Dallas	dog		16 days	Unvacc family pet; Tx=PEX
81	1956	12	M	B	Texas	Dallas	dog ?		3 weeks	Bit on lip; poor history
80	1956	41	M	Cau	Texas	Frio Cave				Aerosol bat caves; G. Menzies
79	1956	78	F		Arkansas		cat		7 wks	
78	1956	70	F		Indiana	Indiana	dog		38 days	Bit by stray pup
77	1956	7	F	Cau	New Mexico	New Mexico	dog		2 mons	Rabid 3 1/2 mon old pup
76	1956	26	F		Alabama		dog		9 months	Tx=7doses PEX
75	1955				Texas					
74	1955	49	M		Texas		dog?			
73	1955	11	M		Wisconsin					
72	1955	33	M		Ohio		skunk		38 days	Bit on finger
71	1955	70	M		N.Carolina		dog?		17 days	
70	1955	12	M		Tennessee		dog		49 days	Bit left calf
69	1954	9			Texas	Dallas			2 mons	Face, hand bite
68	1954	30	M		Texas	Harris				
67	1954	9			Texas	Houston				
66	1954	45	M		Texas	Edinburg	skunk		8 mons	Bit on hand, leg
65	1954	58	F		California		skunk		40 days	Bit on hand
64	1954				N.Carolina		dog		5 wks	
63	1954	74	M		W.Virginia	W.Virginia	dog		2 mons	
62	1954	3	M		Georgia					

61	1954	2	M		Illinois		dog			
60	1954	8	M		W.Virginia		dog		1 mon	Face bite; Tx=PEX
59	1954				Alabama				18 days	
58	1954	3	M		Texas	Ft Worth	dog		3 weeks	Face bite
57	1954	3	F		Texas		dog		2 mons	Bite, thigh
56	1953	37	M		Texas		dog		2 mons	Bite, finger
55	1953	34	M	B	Virginia	Virginia				Veterinary helper
54	1953	11	F		Alabama	Alabama	dog		120 days	Bite, hand
53	1953	2	F		New York	New York	dog		1 mon	Face bite; Tx=PEX
52	1953	77	M		Arkansas	Arkansas	dog		54 days	
51	1953	59	F		Louisiana		dog		1 mon	Tx=PEX
50	1953	11	M		Georgia	Georgia	dog		3 wks	Minor bite, hand
49	1953	32	M		Mississippi	Mississippi	dog		2 months	Minor bite on hand
48	1953	2	M		S.Carolina		dog		21 days	Severe face bite
47	1953	17	M		Kentucky	Kentucky	dog		2.4 mon	
46	1953	5	M		Kentucky		dog		3 wks	
45	1953	41	F		Tennessee		fox		24 days	Multiple bites on legs, hands, arms; Tx=PEX
44	1953	48	F		Misissippi					
43	1952	9	M		Texas		dog		4 mons	
42	1952	11	F		Texas					
41	1952	9	M		Texas				2 mons	Bite
40	1952	26	M		Texas		dog		1 mon	Bite, lip
39	1952	17	F		Texas		dog		9 mons	Bite, hand
38	1952	43	F		Texas		dog		2 mons	Bite, foot
37	1952	11	M		Oklahoma	California	skunk		3 mons	Bit on thumb
36	1952	44	F		Arkansas	Arkansas	dog		6 wks	Under thumbnail
35	1952	9	M		Arkansas	Arkansas	dog		2 mons	Bite, hand
34	1952	2	M		Louisiana		dog		13 days	Bite ear; Tx=PEX
33	1952	32	F		Pennsylvania		fox		3 wks	Finger bite; Tx=PEX
32	1952	58	M		Pennsylvania		fox		46 days	Bite, leg
31	1952	57	M		Illinois					
30	1952	8	M		Missouri		dog		3 wks	Lip lesion, kiss
29	1952	39	F		Kentucky	Kentucky	dog		3 mons	Bite, hand
28	1952	72	M		Tennessee	Tennessee	dog		6 wks	Bite, face,hands
27	1952	28	M		Tennessee	Tennessee	dog		3 wks	Bite
26	1952	7	M		Mississippi	Mississippi	dog		4 wks	Bite, lip
25	1952	43	F		Oklahoma	Oklahoma	dog			Lick, thumb
24	1952	5	M		Kentucky	W.Virginia	dog		5 mons	Bite, arm
23	1951	4	M		Texas					
22	1951	29	M		Texas					
21	1951	41	F	Cau	Texas	Texas	bat		16 days	1st reported bat case
20	1951	6	M		Arkansas		dog		3 mons	Bite
19	1951	15	M		New York	New York	dog		24 days	
18	1951	25	M		Ohio					
17	1951	18	F		Indiana		dog		9 days	Bite, finger
16	1951	6	M		Iowa	Des Moines	dog ?			Died on 12th day of ill
15	1951	65	M		Missouri		dog		39 days	
14	1951	4	M		Tenn-Miss					
13	1951	9	F		Alabama		dog		14 days	Severe bite-face; Tx=PEX
12	1951	11	M		Alabama	Alabama	dog		21 days	
11	1950	20	M		Arkansas		dog		2 mons	Bite, lip
10	1950	30	M		Louisiana					
9	1950	1	M		Arizona		dog			
8	1950	36	M		Missouri		dog		22 days	Bite, hand, leg; Tx=PEX
7	1950	7	M		Texas		dog		1 mon	Bite, arm

6	1950	3	M		W.Virginia		dog		15 days	severe face bite; Tx=PEX
5	1950	6	M		New York	Cuba	dog		43 days	Bite, ankle
4	1950	39	M		Indiana	Indiana	dog			
3	1950	8	M		Indiana		dog			
2	1950	10	M		Indiana		dog			
1	1950	37	M		Indiana		dog			
Note: Between 1946 and 1955 there were 22 human rabies deaths in Tennessee residents (17 deaths during the first 5 years and 5 deaths during the last 5 years) - from the 1990 Annual Report of Rabies in Tennessee										
¹ Tb – bat rabies variant common to Brazilian free-tailed bats (<i>Tadarida brasiliensis</i>)										
² Bat rabies variant common to <i>Myotis</i> sp. – lineage with <i>M. californicus</i> / <i>ciliolabrum</i> / <i>evotis</i>										
³ Ln, Ps, Ln/Ps - bat rabies variant commonly present in silver-haired or tricolored bats (<i>Lasionycteris noctivagans</i> / <i>Perimyotis subflavus</i>)										
⁴ Dr - bat rabies variant common to a vampire bat (<i>Desmodus rotundus</i>)										
⁵ Ef – bat rabies variant common to big brown bats (<i>Eptesicus fuscus</i>)										
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