The attached protocol has been developed for assisting in responding to citizen inquiries and situations involving suspected rabid wild animals. The protocol should help assure that vital information is provided to the public and that suspected rabid wild animals are properly handled when necessary.

The procedure memo DC-7A, originally issued as an addendum to DC-7, has been repealed and replaced with the Division of Infectious Disease Epidemiology’s (DIDE) Rabies Active Surveillance Protocol, including the seven appendices.

Any questions regarding this procedure memo should be directed to:

- Public Health Sanitation Division 558-2981
- Office of Lab Services, Rabies Section 558-3530 ext. 2611
  o after hours pager 361-9066
- Infectious Disease Epidemiology Program 558-5358

References

Rabies Active Surveillance Protocol

History

Replaces DC-7 dated November 20, 2007
Replaces DC-7 dated August 13, 1992
Replaces DC-7A dated March 19, 2001

Attachments

Protocol for Handling Wild Animals Suspected of Being Rabid