



### NEW JERSEY ANIMAL RABIES CASES BY COUNTY AND SPECIES

County	Raccoon		Skunk		Fox		Cat		Groundhog		Bovine	Equine	Dog***	Ferret	Other Domestic*		Deer	Other Wild**		Total Terrestrial	Bats						
Atlantic	2	248	0	29	1	18	1	20	0	2	1									4	318	2					
Bergen	8	325	2	17	0	1	1	54	0	24				1		1			3	11	426	4					
Burlington	2	542	2	94	1	28	0	50	0	14		1						1	5	730	3						
Camden	3	177	4	28	0	2	2	25	0	2									9	234	2						
Cape May	0	132	0	28	0	2	0	3	0	0								1	0	166							
Cumberland	5	218	0	58	1	4	0	13	0	0					1				6	294							
Essex	5	180	0	29	1	3	1	22	0	9			1		2		1	1	7	248	5						
Gloucester	3	228	0	93	0	15	0	24	1	4		1						2	4	367	10						
Hudson	0	20	0	8	0	0	0	5	0	0									0	33	1						
Hunterdon	8	455	1	49	0	8	1	45	0	16	2		1	1	1		4	3	10	585	2						
Mercer	6	388	2	30	2	19	0	18	1	6				1			1	1	11	464	5						
Middlesex	2	231	5	89	0	10	1	27	0	13									8	370	1						
Monmouth	18	561	0	66	1	21	0	42	0	13	1	4	1						19	709	5						
Morris	7	548	3	121	1	24	0	33	0	17	1		1		3		2	2	8	13	758	3					
Ocean	14	423	0	104	1	19	1	39	0	12			1					1	16	599	2						
Passaic	5	246	0	67	0	7	0	28	1	15		2					1	1	6	367	2						
Salem	2	94	0	18	0	5	0	9	0	1		1	1						2	129							
Somerset	4	390	1	62	0	18	1	24	0	12		2			3			2	6	513							
Sussex	5	287	0	113	1	22	1	26	1	25	6		2					1	8	482							
Union	0	125	0	28	0	1	0	16	0	3									0	173	1						
Warren	4	295	2	74	0	14	1	35	0	13	5	1			1		2	3	7	443	1						
Unknown	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0										1							
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>6114</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>1205</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>241</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>558</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>201</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>8409</b>	<b>49</b>

NUMBERS IN WHITE COLUMNS REPRESENT YEAR-TO-DATE TOTALS (January 1 through December 31, 2021)

NUMBERS IN SHADED COLUMNS REPRESENT EPIZOOTIC TOTALS (January 1989 through December 2021)

\*Other Domestic includes 9 rabbits, 2 sheep, and 1 goat

\*\*Other Wild includes 12 coyotes, 5 otters, 4 opossums, 3 beavers, 2 bobcats, 1 bear, and 1 kudu

\*\*\*One dog diagnosed in Essex County during 2008 acquired rabies in Iraq and became ill shortly after importation into NJ

Year	Specimens Tested	Terrestrial Cases	Bat Cases	Total Cases
2018	2810	163	36	199
2019	2370	214	32	246
2020	2411	190	67	257
2021	2461	152	49	201

Cats have accounted for 91% of the domestic animal cases in New Jersey since 1989. For the last 5 years, there has been an average of 17 cats infected with rabies annually.