



### 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	250	4	33	1	19	1	21	1	3		1	9	327													
Bergen	10	333	1	18	1	2		54	1	25			13	437													
Burlington	3	545		94		28		50		14		1	3	733													
Camden	7	182	1	28		2	1	26	1	3			10	241													
Cape May	1	132	2	29		2		3		0		1	3	167													
Cumberland		218	1	58		4		13		0			1	294													
Essex	2	180	3	31		3		22		9		1	5	250													
Gloucester	6	232	2	94	1	16	2	25		4		1	11	374													
Hudson	1	21		8		0		5		0			1	34													
Hunterdon	10	463	2	49	1	9	2	45		16	1	2	16	594													
Mercer	5	390		30		19		18		6			5	466													
Middlesex	4	233	1	90		10	1	28		13			6	374													
Monmouth	9	566	3	68	1	22	1	43		13		1	14	718													
Morris	5	552		121		24	1	33		17		1	7	762													
Ocean	1	424		104	2	19	2	41		12			5	602													
Passaic	4	249		67		7		28		15		1	4	370													
Salem		94		18		5		9		1		1	0	129													
Somerset	8	397		62		18		24	1	12			9	520													
Sussex	3	289		113		22		26		25		6	3	484													
Union	3	126		28		1		16		3			3	174													
Warren		295	1	74		14		35		13		5	1	443													
Unknown		1		0		0		0		0			0	1													
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>6172</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>1217</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>246</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>565</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>204</b>	<b>1</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>1</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>8494</b>	<b>28</b>

NUMBERS IN WHITE COLUMNS REPRESENT YEAR-TO-DATE TOTALS (January 1 through September 30, 2022)

NUMBERS IN SHADED COLUMNS REPRESENT EPIZOOTIC TOTALS (January 1989 through September 2022)

\*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

Summary of Rabies Specimens Tested and Positive Cases by Year, New Jersey				
Year	Specimens Tested	Terrestrial Cases	Bat Cases	Total Cases
2019	2370	214	32	246
2020	2411	163	67	257
2021	2461	152	49	201
2022	2281	129	28	157

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.