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Zoonotic Disease/Adverse Health Events Report from Wyoming Regional Veterinary Public Health Coordinators For Week Ending 11/22/2013

Non Animal Bite Events and Rabies PEP Administration

(Scroll down to see reported animal to human bite incidents)

Matthew Cherni, DVM- Region 1 (Sheridan, Johnson, Campbell, Crook, Weston)
Nothing to Report

Richard Schwahn, DVM- Region 2 (Natrona, Converse, Niobrara)
Nothing to Report

David Evertson, DVM- Region 3 (Carbon, Albany)
Albany County- The Laramie Police Department/Animal Control reported on an individual receiving rabies PEP. The bite victim was bitten by a running at large dog. Attempts to locate the dog were not successful.

Paul Jensen, DVM, MPH- Region 4 (Sweetwater, Lincoln, Uinta)
Sweetwater County- The Nebraska Regional Poison Center reported on a dog and a child with exposures to the contents of a Super Heavy Duty AA household battery. The dog had chewed on the battery and caused the battery to leak.

Jim Summers, DVM- Region 5 (Fremont, Sublette, Teton, WRIR)
Teton County- A confinement order from CDC was received for a puppy recently imported from Canada. The pup will be confined until 3 months of age, vaccinated for rabies, then confined for an additional 30 days.
Fremont County- A veterinarian reported several cases of ringworm in recently rescued and adopted kittens. Associated human cases were also reported.

Tim Graham, DVM- Region 6 (Park, Hot Springs, YNP, Big Horn, Washakie)
Nothing to Report

Gary Norwood, DVM- Region 7 (Laramie, Platte, Goshen, WAFB)
Nothing to Report

Animal Bite Incidents

Matthew Cherni, DVM- Region 1 (Sheridan, Johnson, Campbell, Crook, Weston)
Nothing to Report

Richard Schwahn, DVM- Region 2 (Natrona, Converse, Niobrara)
Nothing to Report

David Evertson, DVM- Region 3 (Carbon, Albany)

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Paul Jensen, DVM, MPH- Region 4 (Sweetwater, Lincoln, Uinta)

Sweetwater County- The Rock Springs Police Department/Animal Control reported on the shelter quarantine of a puppy that had bitten a child. The puppy was turned over to animal control after the incident. Also reported was an incident where an individual was bitten by a dog. The bite victim was trying to break up a dog fight. The vaccinated dog will be home quarantined.

Lincoln County- A health care provider reported on a child bitten by the family dog. The vaccinated dog will be home quarantined. The bite victim was playing with the dog at the time of the incident.

Uinta County- The Evanston Animal Control/Animal Shelter reported on a child bitten by a dog. The dog was placed in quarantine after the incident.

Jim Summers, DVM- Region 5 (Fremont, Sublette, Teton, WRIR)

Nothing to Report

Tim Graham, DVM- Region 6 (Park, Hot Springs, YNP, Big Horn, Washakie)

Nothing to Report

Gary Norwood, DVM- Region 7 (Laramie, Platte, Goshen, WAFB)

Laramie County- A health care provider reported on an individual bitten by a cat. Animal control information is pending.

WGFD-Wyoming Game and Fish Department
WSVL-Wyoming State Veterinary Laboratory
WPHL-Wyoming Public Health Laboratory
PFGE- Pulse Field Gel Electrophoresis
PEP-Rabies Post Exposure Prophylaxis