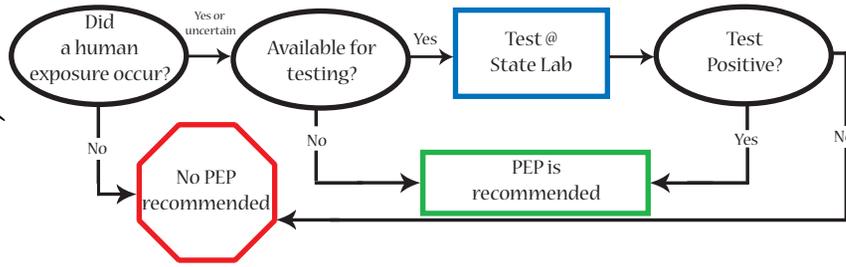
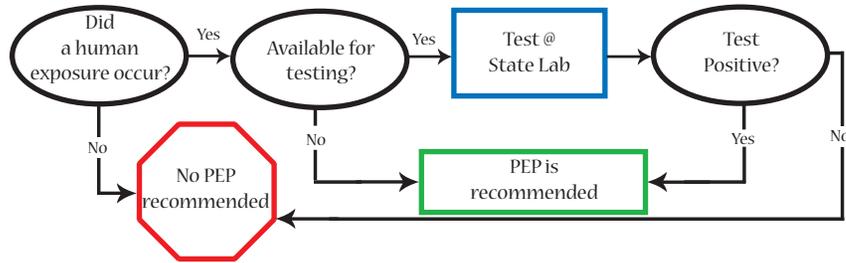




Bat



Raccoon and other wild carnivor



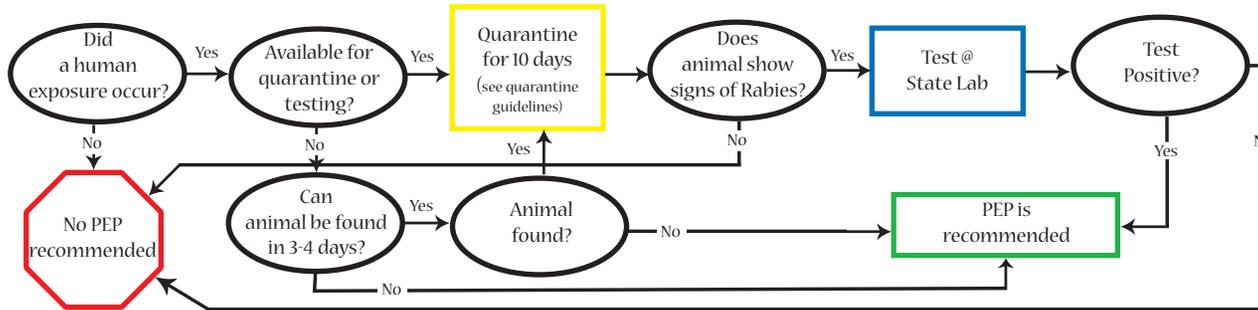
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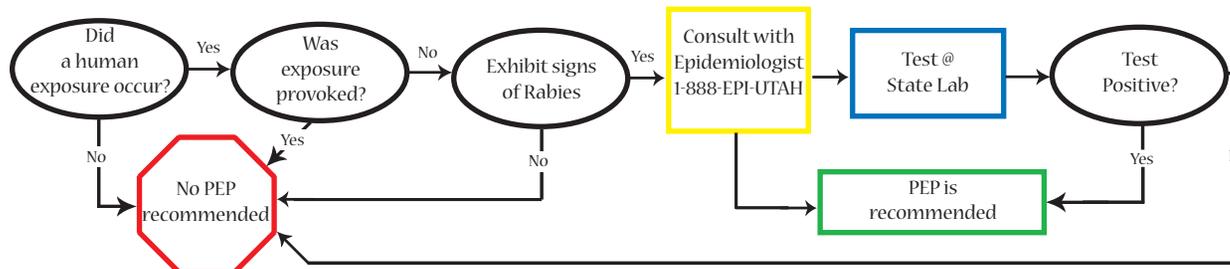
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Ferret



Squirrel, rabbit & rodent



## Definitions

**Exposure** is any contact with saliva or brain/nervous tissue through open cuts in the skin, scratches, or mucous membrane (mouth or eyes).

**PEP** is postexposure prophylaxis or treatment, which usually includes HRIG and 4-doses of rabies vaccine.

**Provoked** is an intentional act that causes the animal to react in a hostile manner.

**Quarantine** is separating the suspected animal from other animals and people

**Signs of rabies** include obvious changes in normal behavior like aggression, attack without reason, foaming at the mouth, no interest in food or water, stagger, tired, or paralysis. In wild animals, they may act very tame.

**Uncertain exposure** can occur with bats because they have small teeth and may leave marks that are not easily seen.

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