

Laboratory Confirmed Rabies in Minnesota by Species (1975-Present*)

| Year | Cattle/ Bison | Horses | Pigs | Sheep/ Goats | Dogs | Cats | Bats | Skunks | Foxes/ Coyotes | Raccoons | Rodents | **Other | Total |
|--------------|------------------|-----------|----------|-----------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------|-------------------|-----------|----------|-----------|-------------|
| 1975 | 11 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 4 | 10 | 119 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 157 |
| 1976 | 20 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 4 | 7 | 130 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 173 |
| 1977 | 28 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 14 | 8 | 203 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 264 |
| 1978 | 25 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 8 | 3 | 128 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 175 |
| 1979 | 26 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 10 | 6 | 4 | 136 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 186 |
| 1980 | 20 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 16 | 8 | 5 | 221 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 277 |
| 1981 | 46 | 11 | 0 | 4 | 19 | 19 | 4 | 345 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 457 |
| 1982 | 26 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 11 | 11 | 9 | 141 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 202 |
| 1983 | 18 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 7 | 9 | 111 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 150 |
| 1984 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 8 | 7 | 7 | 76 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 109 |
| 1985 | 21 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 10 | 6 | 141 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 188 |
| 1986 | 19 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 12 | 4 | 112 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 161 |
| 1987 | 29 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 23 | 20 | 3 | 151 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 237 |
| 1988 | 26 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 7 | 6 | 78 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 127 |
| 1989 | 15 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 12 | 9 | 101 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 150 |
| 1990 | 23 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 16 | 11 | 17 | 168 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 241 |
| 1991 | 40 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 12 | 16 | 14 | 206 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 296 |
| 1992 | 19 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 10 | 13 | 3 | 103 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 155 |
| 1993 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 5 | 39 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 59 |
| 1994 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 27 |
| 1995 | 6 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 5 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 39 |
| 1996 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 21 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 37 |
| 1997 | 5 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 49 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 70 |
| 1998 | 8 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 6 | 4 | 89 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 117 |
| 1999 | 15 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 11 | 10 | 72 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 122 |
| 2000 | 9 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 8 | 10 |) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 36 |
| 2001 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 13 | 24 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 47 |
| 2002 | 6 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 10 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 39 |
| 2003 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 4 | 12 | 25 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 50 |
| 2004 | 8 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 20 | 55 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 92 |
| 2005 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 8 | 13 | 33 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 69 |
| 2006 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 16 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 44 |
| 2007 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 18 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 40 |
| 2008 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 33 | 28 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 70 |
| 2009 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 5 | 29 | 27 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 69 |
| 2010 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 8 | 20 | 24 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 59 |
| 2011 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 28 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 55 |
| 2012 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 39 | 21 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 72 |
| 2013 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 36 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 63 |
| 2014 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 27 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 32 |
| 2015 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 16 | 10 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 30 |
| 2016 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 37 | 8 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 53 |
| 2017 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 20 | 10 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 35 |
| 2018 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 27 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 32 |
| 2019 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 27 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 36 |
| 2020 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 35 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 41 |
| 2021 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 39 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 43 |
| 2022 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 18 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 24 |
| 2023 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 35 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 46 |
| 2024 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 42 | 14 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 67 |
| 2025 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 36 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 41 |
| 2026 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Total | 558 | 80 | 7 | 15 | 264 | 284 | 818 | 3378 | 30 | 11 | 5 | 11 | 5461 |

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* 2026 Results current as of 2/28/2026

** Source of data for 2003 and on: Rabies Database query "Positive Cases by Species and County (Jan 1 thru Dec 31)"