

RABIES OVERVIEW FOR MEDICAL AND PUBLIC HEALTH PROFESSIONALS

Live Webcast

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Target Audience:

Alabama Department of Public Health employees, public health officials, healthcare administrators and providers, and other individuals who may need to be able to recognize, report, and prevent human rabies following potential exposures.

CEUs:

1.5 Pending

Rabies is a viral, almost always fatal, zoonotic disease that affects the central nervous system, transmitted mainly through the bite of infected animals like dogs, raccoons, skunks, and bats. Program faculty will discuss the history of rabies in Alabama, describing the sources and ideology. The program will also provide information on reporting and testing, along with options for medical treatment.

Objectives

1. Describe rabies disease, sources, and ideology.
2. Discuss the history of rabies in Alabama.
3. Explain rabies prevention in Alabama, including the reporting, testing, and medical treatment options.
4. Case reviews of recent ADPH investigations and response to exposures.

Conference Details

Continuing Education: 1.5 CEUs

Registration: Available at www.alabamapublichealth.gov/alphtn

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