

Vaccinate YOUR DOG AND CAT

# — Beware — Rabies kills!

THIS ADVICE CAN SAVE YOUR LIFE!

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### What is rabies?

Rabies is a disease that affects the brain and leads to the death of the person or animal involved.

Symptoms vary widely and may include:

- Behavioural changes
- Aggression
- Salivation
- · Paralysis.

# RABIES AFFECTS ALL ANIMALS!

# Spreading of the disease

The virus occurs in great numbers in the saliva of rabid animals.

CONTACT YOUR VET OR ANIMAL HEALTH TECHNICIAN

# How to control rabies

- Vaccination is the only protection.
- Vaccinate your dogs and cats.
   Encourage other people to have their pets vaccinated too.
- Do not allow your pet to roam the streets.

 Report all suspect cases to your nearest state veterinarian, animal health technician or to the police.

NEVER TOUCH OR CARESS
A STRANGE, INJURED
ANIMAL OR ONE WHICH
APPEARS TO BE SICK!

## If you get bitten

- Thoroughly disinfect the wound.
- Immediately consult a medical doctor or clinic.
- Contact your nearest state veterinarian or animal health technician.

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