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WHO, HOW AND WHERE?

Rabies is present in an estimated 150 countries. 99% of human rabies transmissions occur through dog bites. 2 in 5 rabies deaths are children under 15.

Rabies in Canada

Cases of human rabies in Canada since 1985: 4

Human exposure is very rare in Canada, due largely to prevention and control programs.

Wildlife rabies cases in Ontario

Since December 2015: 400+

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WHO, HOW AND WHERE?

Rabies kills an estimated 60,000 humans worldwide per year.

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