



# Found a bat?

Bats can spread rabies in Maine.

## If you find a bat in your home or workplace:

-  Safely capture the bat. Scoop it into a container with a lid. **Do not let it go!**
-  Do not touch the bat with your hands.
-  If bitten or scratched, wash the wound with soap and water.
-  Call a healthcare provider or Maine CDC.



[www.maine.gov/dhhs/rabies](http://www.maine.gov/dhhs/rabies)