County Health Department [Model Letter to Victim]
(Date)
(Name) (Address) (City, State, Zip)
Dear:
Our agency has conducted an investigation in response to a report that you were exposed to a known or suspected rabid animal. The results of the investigation are as follows:
1) We located the animal and it is under quarantine. We will advise you of the health status of the animal upon completion of quarantine.
2) We located the animal and it is being tested for rabies. We will advise you of laboratory results within 72 hours.
3) We were unable to locate the animal for quarantine or testing. We recommend that you discuss this incident with your physician to determine the need for rabies postexposure treatment. If you do not have access to a physician, call County Health Department for assistance.
4)
Please call us at if you have any additional questions or wish information about rabies.
Sincerely,