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Rabies Vaccination Clinic for Dogs and Cats Planned for May 13, 2017
Health officials urge residents to keep their pets up-to-date on rabies vaccinations

BURLINGTON – The Alamance County Health Department will be hosting a rabies vaccination clinic on May 13th from 9:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. at the Environmental Health Office located at 209 N. Graham-Hopedale Road in Burlington.

The cost of the rabies shot at the clinic will be $5.00 per pet. Pet owners attending the vaccination clinic are reminded to keep dogs on leashes and cats in carriers.

“Vaccinating your pet is the best way to protect them from rabies,” states Environmental Health Director Carl Carroll. “The law requires pet owners to stay up-to-date on rabies vaccinations and this clinic is one way to comply with the law at low-cost.”

To date, there have been no confirmed cases of rabies in 2017 for Alamance County. In 2016, there was one confirmed rabies case in the county. For more information or questions about rabies control, vaccination requirements, or upcoming clinics, contact the health department’s Environmental Health office at (336) 570-6367.

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