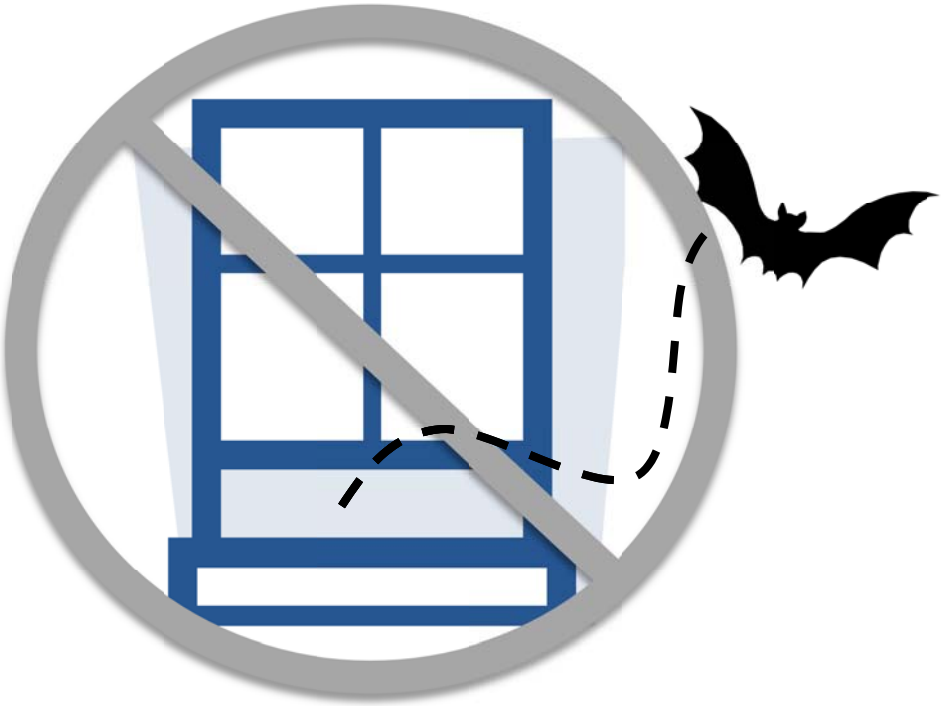
CHECK IT OUT BEFORE YOU LET IT OUT!



What you should know

- Bats play an important role in nature but can also carry rabies.
- Rabies is a deadly virus that attacks the nervous system of mammals, including humans.

What you should do

- If you come into contact with a bat or find one in your house,
  DO NOT RELEASE IT!
- Have an adult safely capture the bat in a container (while wearing gloves), and immediately call your local health department for further assistance.

Contact your local health department:

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