

# Making the Right Call



**Where to direct public concerns about animal welfare?** Knowing who to call when you want to report an animal welfare concern is important. Knowing the difference between Animal Welfare Concerns versus Animal By-law Concerns is crucial for prompt service.

The table below lists the correct contact numbers based on your location and concerns.

CONCERNS	Winnipeg, MB	Rural MB
<b>Animal By-law Concerns</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- noise complaints</li> <li>- animal running at large</li> <li>- stray animals</li> <li>- lost/found animals</li> <li>- aggressive animals</li> </ul>	Call 311 Animal Services Agency, City of Winnipeg	Call your local RM, town or city office or your local Animal Control Officer
<b>Animal Welfare Concerns</b> Reporting members of the public who are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- not providing animals with shelter, food, water</li> <li>- not providing critical medical care to an animal when it's suffering or injured</li> <li>- keeping animals in unsanitary conditions</li> </ul> Reporting an abandoned animal	Winnipeg Humane Society (WHS) 204-982-2028 or WHS Emergency Responder 204-982-2020	Animal Care Line 204-945-8000 Toll free 1-800-945-8001
<b>Rabies Concerns (human exposure)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- human exposure to an animal suspected of having rabies</li> </ul>	Health Links--Info Santé 204-788-8200	Health Links--Info Santé Toll free 1-888-315-9257
<b>Rabies Concerns</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- domestic animal exposure to or injury by an animal suspected of having rabies</li> </ul>	Call the Rabies Line 204-470-1108	
<b>Rehoming Owned Animals</b>	Contact your local animal shelter or animal rescue	
<b>Injured or Orphaned Wildlife</b>	Wildlife and Fisheries Branch 204-945-6784 Prairie Wildlife Rehabilitation 204-510-1855 Wildlife Haven 204-883-2122	