



CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF
FOOD & AGRICULTURE

California Veterinarian Vesicular Stomatitis Virus (VSV) Suspect Case Reporting

For Category II USDA Accredited Veterinarians to report Vesicular Stomatitis Virus suspect cases to California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA), please fill out the following report form: <https://forms.gle/VsiNZjZnuXd1Z9nZ9>. If you have any questions, please contact the CDFA Headquarters Office at 916-900-5002. All submissions will be addressed within one business day. For animal owners, please contact your veterinarian for initial consultation and exam.

Please note: VSV-suspect equids (horses, donkeys, and mules) in VSV-confirmed counties (currently San Diego, Riverside, and San Bernardino Counties) do NOT require sampling to confirm. Quarantines may be placed on suspect equid premises after reporting and discussion with CDFA based on clinical signs and the Accredited Veterinarian's suspicion of disease. If you plan to sample, sampling guidelines can be found at: https://www.cdfa.ca.gov/ahfss/Animal_Health/VS.html. Please contact CDFA before submitting samples to consult with a CDFA veterinarian and to obtain a regulatory case ID for expedited processing of samples.

All other non-equid VSV-susceptible species (including pigs, cattle, small ruminants and camelids) must have samples collected by a regulatory veterinarian and must first be reported to CDFA or USDA as these are considered Foreign Animal Disease (FAD) suspects.