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Rabies Clinic set for Aug. 16

The Knox County Health Department and Knox County Humane Society are sponsoring a rabies immunization clinic on Aug. 16 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the health department, 11660 Upper Gilchrist Road.

There is a \$10 charge per animal to cover expenses.

The clinic is for dogs, cats and ferrets. Animals between four-months and one-year old, will receive a one-year vaccine. Animals older than one-year old will receive a three-year vaccination with written proof of previous vaccine. Otherwise, only a one-year vaccine will be given.

No nursing, pregnant or sick animals will be treated. The clinic veterinarian will have the final say on whether an animal receives the rabies vaccination.

Dogs should be brought to the clinic on a leash; cats and ferrets should be contained in a carrier. Pet owners will be required to complete paperwork on site for record-keeping purposes. All vaccinated animals will receive an engraved rabies tag.

The clinic will take place in the garage behind the main health department building. The animals will be vaccinated in a confined area to avoid pet escapes.

For more information, contact the Knox County Humane Society at 392-2287.