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Dog Bite: Health Department Needs Your Help Finding a Dog

Eau Claire, WI, July 12, 2024 – The Eau Claire City-County Health Department is asking for your help to find a dog that bit a boy, Thursday, July 11th, 2024, around 6:30/7:00pm. The bite happened near the intersection of Erin St. and Birch St.

The dog was described to be solid color, dark tan or brown, medium size (approximately 50 lbs.). The dog did not have any collar or leash. No animal owner was observed with the dog. The dog was heading northbound on Erin St. from Birch St.

We need to find this dog to determine its health and rabies status. If we don't find this dog, it could bite again, and the bite victim may need to have a series of expensive injections to prevent rabies.

If anyone has information about this dog, they should contact the Eau Claire Communications Center at 715-839-4972.

For more information about rabies exposures and what to do if you are bitten by an animal, visit our website: rabies.ehealthdepartment.org.

cc: Eau Claire County Communications Center



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