Vesicular Stomatitis 2014 Situation Report – July 21, 2014

Information Current as of 12:00 pm MDT, July 21, 2014 (Updated information listed in blue ink)

New Information

Since the last situation report (7/17/2014), four (4) new VSV-positive premises (New Jersey serotype) have been confirmed; three (3) equine premises in Texas and one (1) equine premises in Colorado. Horses were confirmed VSV-positive by compatible clinical signs and complement fixation test (CFT) antibody titer in the following counties:

Travis County, Texas – 1 horse on 1 premises

Bastrop County, Texas – 5 horses on 1 premises

Guadalupe County, Texas (newly affected county) – 1 horse on 1 premises

Boulder County, Colorado (newly affected county) – 1 horse on 1 premises

To date, a total of 16 VSV-positive premises have been identified in two U.S. states, Colorado and Texas. Two premises in Texas (1 in Kinney County, 1 in Nueces County) have been released from quarantine and there are currently 6 other premises in Texas on 21-day countdown to quarantine release.

Map Information

See adjoining map for current and cumulative positive premises information.

Current: Counties with Positive Premises Under Quarantine

STATE	COUNTY	PREMISES
Colorado	Boulder	1
	Weld	2
	Bastrop	2
	Guadalupe	1
Texas	Hidalgo	2
	Jim Wells	1
	Nueces	1
	San Patricio	2
	Travis	2
TOTAL	9	14

Current Statistics

Current Positive Premises	Colorado	Texas	Total
Current Positive	3	11	14
Premises Under			
Quarantine			
Premises on 21-day	0	6	6
Countdown to			
Quarantine Removal			
Current Counties with	2	7	9
Positive Premises			

Current Positive Species	Colorado	Texas	Total
Positive Equine Species	5	17	22
Positive Bovine Species	0	2	2
Positive Porcine Species	0	0	0
Positive Ovine Species	0	0	0
Positive Caprine Species	0	0	0
Positive Other Ruminants	0	0	0
Total Positive Animals	5	19	24

Current Susceptible Species	Colorado	Texas	Total
Susceptible Equine Species	42	66	108
Susceptible Bovine Species	15	80	95
Susceptible Porcine Species	0	0	0
Susceptible Ovine Species	0	4	4
Susceptible Caprine Species	0	14	14
Susceptible Other Ruminants	0	0	0
Total Susceptible Animals	57	164	221

^{*}Current susceptible species counts include current positive cases.

Cumulative: Counties with Positive Premises

STATE	COUNTY	PREMISES
Colorado	Boulder	1
	Weld	2
	Bastrop	2
	Guadalupe	1
Texas	Hidalgo	2
	Jim Wells	1
	Kinney	1
	Nueces	2
	San Patricio	2
	Travis	2
TOTAL	10	16

Cumulative Statistics

Cumulative Positive	Colorado	Texas	Total
Premises			
Cumulative Positive	3	13	16
Premises Under			
Quarantine			
Cumulative Counties	2	8	10
with Positive Premises			

Cumulative Positive Species	Colorado	Texas	Total
Positive Equine Species	5	22	27
Positive Bovine Species	0	2	2
Positive Porcine Species	0	0	0
Positive Ovine Species	0	0	0
Positive Caprine Species	0	0	0
Positive Other Ruminants	0	0	0
Total Positive Animals	5	24	29

Cumulative Susceptible	Colorado	Texas	Total
Species			
Susceptible Equine Species	42	138	180
Susceptible Bovine Species	15	84	99
Susceptible Porcine Species	0	0	0
Susceptible Ovine Species	0	4	4
Susceptible Caprine Species	0	27	27
Susceptible Other Ruminants	0	0	0
Total Susceptible Animals	57	253	310

^{*}Cumulative susceptible species counts include positive cases.

Background Information

On May 23, 2014, the National Veterinary Services Laboratories (NVSL) in Ames, Iowa, confirmed a finding of vesicular stomatitis virus (VSV) infection (New Jersey serotype) on an equine premises in Kinney County, Texas. Four affected horses on the premises met the case definition of infection with compatible clinical signs and either virus isolation or positive complement fixation antibody titers. This was the 2014 VSV index case for the nation.

On July 17, 2014, the National Veterinary Services Laboratories in Ames, Iowa, confirmed findings of vesicular stomatitis virus (VSV) infection (New Jersey serotype) on two (2) equine premises in Weld County, Colorado. These were the index cases for Colorado. Three affected horses on one premises and one affected horse on the other premises met the case definition of VSV infection with compatible clinical signs and either positive complement fixation antibody titers or positive virus isolation.