Infectious Avian Encephalomyelitis (Epidemic Tremor)

**DISEASE IN ANIMALS**

This is a viral disease marked by ataxia and tremor of head, neck and limbs that affects chickens, pheasants, Japanese quail and turkeys. Other birds may also be susceptible.

**Reporting:** This is a reportable animal disease in Ohio and all suspected cases must be reported to the Ohio Department of Agriculture (ODA), Division of Animal Industry at (614) 728-6220 or (800) 300-9755 or the USDA APHIS Veterinary Services at (614) 856-4735 or (800) 536-7593.

**DISEASE IN HUMANS**

None. This is not a zoonosis.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION**

Reportable Animal Diseases in Ohio

- ODA Division of Animal Industry
- OAC Chapter 901:1-21 Dangerously Contagious or Infectious and Reportable Diseases
- USDA Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

Disease in Animals

- Ohio Animal Disease Diagnostic Laboratory
- Merck Veterinary Manual
- OIE Manual of Diagnostic Tests