

Pseudorabies (Aujeszky's Disease)

DISEASE IN ANIMALS

Pseudorabies is a highly contagious viral disease of pigs that causes central nervous system signs and high mortality rates in young animals and respiratory illness in older pigs. Other species may also be infected. Ohio is considered to be free of Pseudorabies disease in domestic swine.

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

Not a zoonosis although seroconversion has occurred.

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--Pseudorabies](#)

[Iowa State University Center for Food Security and Public Health Animal Disease Factsheets](#)

[USDA Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service Animal Diseases](#)