



Rabies in Germany

SCoPAFF-meeting – 21 September 2021

One single imported rabies case

8 week old puppy (phenotype Kangal-Mix, female, Chip Nr.: 991001004536143)

- 02.09.2021 Dog was brought from Turkey via Bulgaria to Bremen by owner
- 09.09.2021 dog died peracute in a veterinary clinic near Bremen
- 10.09.2021 regional laboratory rabies virus positive
- 14.09.2021 NRL Rabies positive

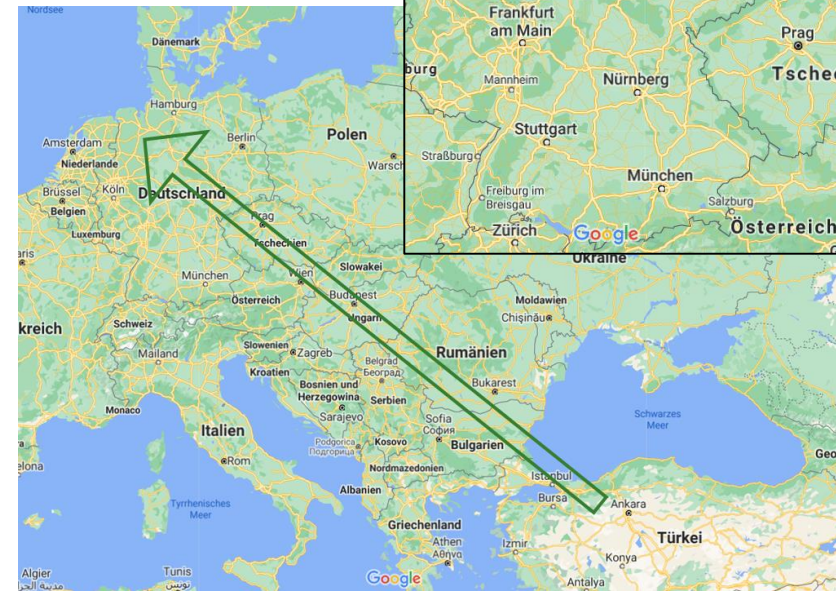


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Contacts:

- No other animal contacts:
 - puppy was kept separately in an completely enclosed garden of a single family house
 - No dog walks/no other animal contacts in the vet clinic
 - No dogs/cats in the neighbouring houses
- Humans: only household and veterinary clinic staff
 - as a safety measure all human contacts were vaccinated

The epidemiological investigation confirmed that the rabies-free status of Germany is not endangered.



Thank you for your attention!