



How To STAY HEALTHY AROUND WILD ANIMALS

Wild animals are an important part of nature, but they are not pets. Touching wild animals is not safe and could make you sick. Follow these tips to stay healthy around wild animals, like squirrels, bats, and gophers:



Keep your distance from wild animals.

Wild animals that look healthy can still spread germs to people.



Do not pet or feed wild animals.

Wild animals may bite or scratch you if you try to pet or feed them.



Wash your hands with soap and water after being outside.

Always wash your hands after spending time outside, even if you do not see wild animals.



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