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Procedure for Dealing with Problem Bats in a Residence

If you believe that you have had direct contact with a bat in your home in the form of:

- ☐ A bite
- ☐ Scratch
- ☐ Whilst sleeping
- ☐ Or other physical contact

1. Wash the affected area with soap and water
2. Seek medical advice

If the bat is still on the premises contact Paxton Dispatch at 508-755-1104

If direct contact did not take place with the bat but it is still on your premises:

- ☐ Open the window and leave the room for a while to allow the bat to escape

or

- ☐ Wear gloves and use a container to capture and release at your own risk

or

- ☐ Contact a specialist to remove.

Below for your convenience is a small sample of contacts that you can call who provide this service:

Contact Numbers:

Jeff Zottolli: 508-847-8380
Critter Control: 508-757-4751
Ford Hometown: 508-852-4066
Services