**Zoonotic Diseases – Wanted Poster**

**Competency:** FL DOE 14.04 – Define zoonosis and investigate selected zoonotic diseases.

**Directions:** Using the definition provided, define zoonosis in *your own words.*

According to Merriam-Webster, the definition of zoonosis is “*an infection or disease that is transmissible from animals to humans under natural conditions.”*

*Your* Definition:

**Directions:** Select **ONE** of the zoonotic diseases provided below. Using *reliable* websites, please research the selected zoonotic disease. With the information collected, you’ll be responsible for creating a wanted poster for that particular disease. If additional assistance is needed, please reference the example poster!

Zoonotic Disease Options:

* Rabies
* Lyme Disease
* Malaria
* Salmonella
* E. Coli
* Parrot Fever
* Brucellosis
* Swine Influenza

Wanted Poster Requirements:

* Disease Name
* Description of Appearance
* Symptoms of Disease
* Picture of Disease – On an Animal, Under a Microscope, Etc.
* Treatment Options
* Country of Origin
* Impact of Disease

**Wanted Poster Example**

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Suspect #1

Cat Scratch Disease

**Description of Appearance:** A skin lesion that is red and enlarged with the possibility of being pus filled.

**Symptoms:** Indicators of this disease include fevers, headaches, decreased appetites, and tiredness.

**Treatment Options:** Patients are only treated in severe cases, which rely on antibiotics.

**Impact of Disease:** This is a mild disease, however, complications can arise in younger individuals and those with preexisting conditions.

**Country of Origin:** France

**Reference:** https://www.cdc.gov/healthypets/disease/cat-scratch.html