Texas A&M University students, staff, and visitors may sometimes see or come in contact with a bat on campus, as a significant population of bats currently resides in the area. Bats are considered a high-rabies risk species and should never be intentionally touched.

If you come in contact with a bat or see a bat in a building or on the ground where a person can reach it, please contact the Facilities Services Communications Center at 979-845-4311.

DO NOT:

- Attempt to collect or trap a live or active bat.
- Dispose of or release a bat collected by someone else.
- Touch a live or dead bat under any circumstances.
- Leave windows and doors open, to help keep bats and other animals from entering campus buildings.

For more information:

- Brazos County Health Department  
  (http://brazoshealth.org/)
- Texas Department of State Health Services  
  (http://www.dshs.state.tx.us/idcu/disease/rabies/)
- Environmental Health & Safety  
  (http://ehsd.tamu.edu)