



High temperatures and humidity can cause heat stress in bats.

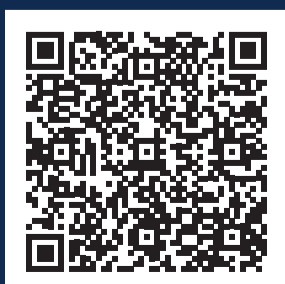
Heat stressed or deceased bats may fall from trees and may be found on the ground during heatwaves.

A bite or scratch from a bat that's carrying Australian bat lyssavirus can be fatal.

The best protection is to never touch bats.

Only trained and vaccinated bat handlers should ever touch bats.

**If you find a sick or injured bat,
call the RSPCA on 1300ANIMAL (1300 264 625)**



Scan the QR code to find out more about ABLV.

For more information, contact your local public health unit or call 13 HEALTH (13 43 25 84).

