

## Reporting a Dead Bird

The state is divided into regions. You call your Texas Department of Health Regional Zoonosis Control Office. For Ellis County you will need to contact the Arlington Office at (817) 264-4920.

### Information needed when reporting a dead bird.

Your name, address, phone number, Zip Code, and the location of the dead bird will be collected, so that the location can be mapped and they can contact you for follow-up if required. They will also ask about the number of dead birds and the species.

### Will My Bird Be Tested?

This depends on several factors; your location in the state, the bird's species, its condition, the number of birds from the county already tested, etc. In most cases, testing of birds will be restricted to crows, bluejays, or hawks. The contact person will go over all these requirements with you at the time of your call.



**Crows**



**Hawk**



**Bluejay**