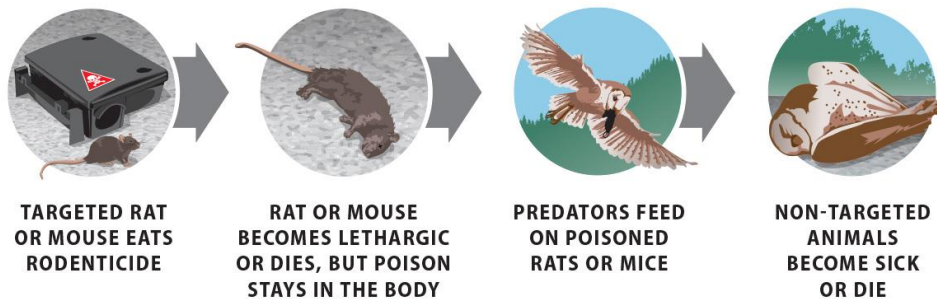


Temporary Ban of Certain Rodenticides

What is the Issue?

Wildlife, including owls, hawks and eagles, are being harmed by the use of second-generation anticoagulant rodenticides (SGARs).



What is Happening?

To reduce the risk of wildlife poisoning, SGARs are banned from **July 21, 2021** to **January 20, 2023** while the ministry develops long-term solutions.

SGARs contain any of the active ingredients:

- Brodifacoum
- Bromadiolone
- Difethioalone

Exemptions are being provided for “essential services” and agricultural operators.

What else can I do to control rodents?

An Integrated Pest Management (IPM) program with a focus on prevention is the only long-term solution to managing rodents. **For more information on rodent management:**

- **Ask a certified dispenser,**
- **Contact a licenced pest control company, or**
- **Visit the ministry website.**

For details of the ban and rodent control solutions:

www.gov.bc.ca/RodentIPM