

QUIZ

HOW RATS TAKE ADVANTAGE OF HUMAN FAILURE



Fill the gaps with suitable words from the video.

Bobby Corrigan is an **1.** _____ rodentologist. On a tour of Chinatown and Manhattan, he shows how we create conducive conditions for rats by leaving trash in the **2.** _____ or the street. Wire-frame litter baskets provide them with a **3.** _____ that they can climb to get in and out again. They find it easy to get under **4.** _____, although an inexpensive **5.** _____ would prevent them from doing this. They also create danger because they gnaw any exposed **6.** _____ . Bobby says that humans are lazy, and usually take action after the fact by hiring exterminators or buying **7.** _____. He says that it is not true that you can never **8.** _____ rats, but thinks we make it easy for them, and fears they will **9.** _____ us.

Answers : 1. urban - 2. gutter - 3. ladder - 4. doors - 5. rat strip - 6. wires - 7. traps - 8. get rid of - 9. outlive.