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PUBLIC HEALTH NOTICE



This community is at HIGH risk for Eastern equine encephalitis (EEE), a mosquito-borne disease.

Take action to prevent mosquito bites.

Stay inside. The Health Department strongly advises you to stay inside during the early evening to early morning hours (**dusk to dawn**), when mosquitoes are most active and biting.

Use protection. If you go outside when mosquitoes are biting:

- Always use insect repellent labeled effective against mosquitoes (DEET, picaridin or oil of lemon eucalyptus on your skin, permethrin on your clothing).
- Whenever possible, wear protective clothing to cover your skin (long sleeves, long pants, socks and shoes, a hat, mosquito netting).

For more information and other precautions to take:

EEE Information Line

800-913-1139

Web healthvermont.gov

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