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“West Nile Virus Cases Continue to Increase” Public Service Announcement

West Nile Virus season is upon us and there have been 12 cases of West Nile Virus fever and 2 cases of West Nile Virus meningoencephalitis so far in 2014. Most human cases of West Nile virus are reported during August and September. North Central District Health Department would like to remind everyone to protect themselves against West Nile Virus by:

- Putting on mosquito repellent containing DEET, picaridin or oil of lemon eucalyptus;
- Wearing long-sleeved shirts, pants and socks;
- Avoid going out at dawn and dusk when mosquitoes are most active; and
- Getting rid of standing water to reduce mosquito breeding sites.

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