

Managing Mosquitoes Without Pesticides

The Health Risks of Using Pesticides

Spray Programs are Harmful & Ineffective

Peer-reviewed studies show that pesticide spray programs are largely ineffective in targeting adult mosquito populations and they pose health and environmental risks—especially to children, pets, pollinators, wildlife—even when they are used as directed.

Respiratory Risks

Exposure to mosquito control pesticides containing synthetic pyrethroids, used in ground applications, can cause and worsen respiratory symptoms, especially for those at-risk including people with ragweed allergies and asthma.



Children's Health Risks



Pyrethroid exposure in children is linked to brain damage, ADD/ADHD, autism, childhood cough and asthma.

Lifelong Health Risks

Organophosphates are often used in aerial applications and are linked to Parkinson's disease and other neurodegenerative diseases.

Both pyrethroids and organophosphate have endocrine disrupting effects, with links to breast cancer and infertility.



Environmental Damage



Toxic to bees, pollinators, beneficial insects, birds, fish, amphibians, these pesticides kill off the natural predators of mosquitoes, creating a dependence on spraying.

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