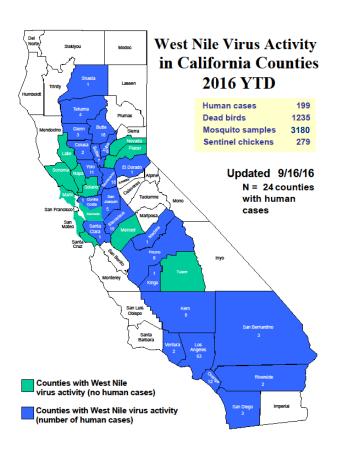


San Mateo County Health System

West Nile Virus Report



West Nile Virus Activity		
California (as of 9/16/16)	SMC ¹	CA ¹
Human Cases	0	199
Human Deaths	0	4
Dead Birds	10	1235
Mosquito Pools	5	3180
Sentinel Chickens	0	279
Nationwide (as of 9/13/16)	Activity	
Human Cases	662	
Human Deaths	18	
Human Activity*	39 states	
Non-Human Activity**	38 states	
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^{*}includes cases with West Nile neuroinvasive disease, West Nile fever; excludes asymptomatic infections

^{**}includes WNV veterinary disease cases and WNV infections in mosquitoes, birds, sentinel animals

San Mateo County Mosquito & Vector Control District Response		
Fogging Location (as of 9/16/16)	Date	
Redwood City and Atherton	7/29 PM—	
	7/30 AM	
Atherton and Unincorporated San	8/4 PM—	
Mateo County	8/5 AM	
San Mateo and Foster City	8/14 PM—	
	8/15 AM	

Note: Questions regarding mosquito fogging activities should be directed to the San Mateo County Mosquito & Vector Control District at (650) 344-8592.

Update on Zika in South Florida

The CDC has <u>updated guidance</u> about travel to the Wynwood-designated area. No additional cases of Zika virus infection have been linked to the designated 1.0-square-mile section of the Wynwood neighborhood since early August 2016, and active transmission of Zika virus is no longer ongoing in this area as of 9/18/2016. Pregnant women and partners of pregnant women who are worried about potential exposure to Zika virus may consider postponing nonessential travel to all parts of Miami-Dade County, including the Wynwood area. The guidance issued for the 1.5-square-mile section of Miami Beach <u>has been expanded</u> to 4.5-square miles due to continued active transmission.

To prevent mosquito-borne diseases, eliminate standing water around your home and take steps to protect yourself from mosquito bites.

DEAD BIRD REPORTING:

- All dead bird reports and pick up should be directed to the California Department of Public Health by:
 - o Calling 1-877-WNV-BIRD (877-968-2473), Sunday through Friday, 8 AM—4:30 PM

OR

- Online reporting at: <u>www.westnile.ca.gov/report_wnv.php</u>
- Birds or squirrels which are not picked up within 24 hours should be disposed of in the following manner:
 - o Use gloves, a plastic bag, or shovel to pick up the animal
 - Place into an outside trash can
 - Wash your hands
- There is no evidence that the WNV virus can be acquired by handling dead birds or squirrels

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES:

- CDC: www.cdc.gov/westnile
- CDPH WNV Website: www.westnile.ca.gov
- San Mateo County Health System: <u>www.smchealth.org/WNV</u>
- San Mateo County Mosquito and Vector Control District: www.smcmvcd.org or (650) 344-8592
- All inquiries from the press or politicians should be directed to the Public Information Officer at (650) 867-1661

Data Sources:

- (1) California Department of Public Health (CDPH), Vector-Borne Disease Section as of September 16, 2016 (www.westnile.ca.gov)
- (2) Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) as of September 13, 2016 (www.cdc.gov/westnile)