



Florida Mosquito Control Association (FMCA)

FMCA serves the public need by:

- Promoting effective and environmentally sound control of disease-transmitting mosquitoes and other arthropods of public health importance.
- Developing and enhancing public interest, awareness, and support for the control of mosquitoes.
- Scientific advancement of members through training and education.

Celebrating 100 Years

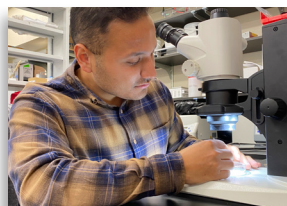
A History of Protecting Florida's Health and Economy

- Following a 1922 epidemic of dengue fever in Miami, a conference was held in Daytona Beach to discuss the problems of mosquito control in Florida.
- On December 7, 1922, the Florida Anti-Mosquito Association (FAMA) was formally organized.
- Today, there are 15 independent Mosquito Control Districts and 42 county/municipal programs.



Boosting Florida's Economy

- Every sector of the state's economy depends on the health of workers, residents and visitors. The state's two largest business sectors, tourism and agriculture, could not grow without the professional control of mosquitoes.



Scientific Experts

- Successful mosquito control requires cutting-edge scientific knowledge from many fields, including public health, biology, chemistry, entomology, chemical engineering, physics, genetics, and geology.
- Highly trained, licensed public servants control mosquitoes using a number of tools including airplanes, helicopters, drones, natural predators, impoundments and more.



"World's Deadliest Animal"

- Ensuring the health and well-being of the Florida public is one of FMCA's top priorities. Mosquitoes transmit a multitude of diseases that can cause great harm – including Zika, West Nile virus, Chikungunya, as well as Dengue fever.



Public Servants

- Mosquito control districts are led by officials elected by Floridians, ensuring open and transparent operations and prudent stewardship of tax dollars.
- Like law enforcement, healthcare workers, and others, mosquito control workers are always on call to help.
- Due to Florida's sub-tropical and tropical climates, ranging from the Panhandle to the Florida Keys, mosquito control programs work all year long.

Thank You! Your support of mosquito control districts provides an unmatched return on investment for business, public health and quality of life. Please contact us anytime we can be of service.

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