

Saskatchewan West Nile Virus (WNV) Weekly Surveillance & Transmission Risk Report

WEEK OF JULY 22, 2017

Highlights:



Culex tarsalis numbers continue to rise in southern Saskatchewan.



WNV transmission risk has increased to moderate in zone 4 and to low in zone 2.



WNV positive mosquitoes have been found in southern Saskatchewan.



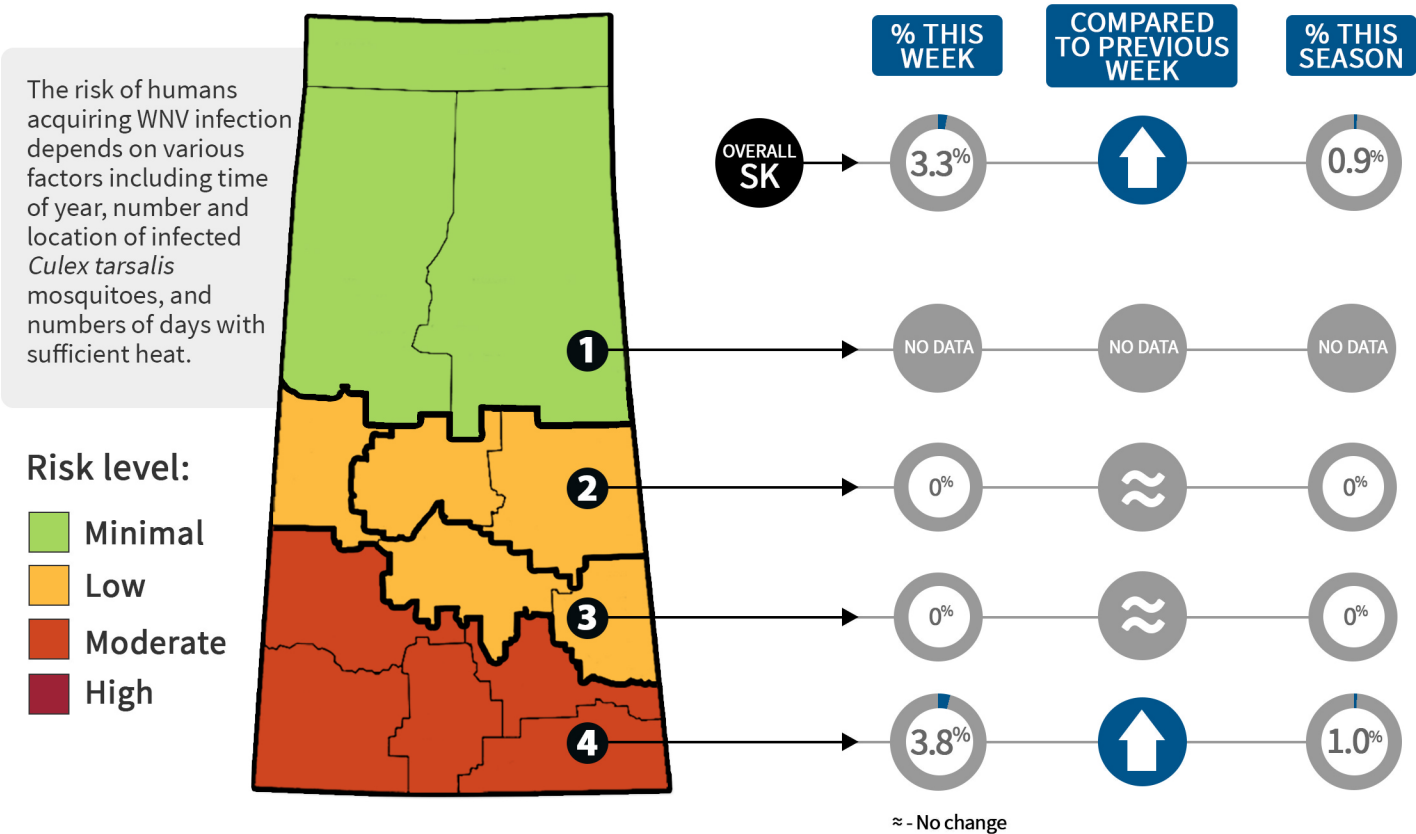
Mosquitoes are most active on warm evenings and between dusk and dawn. Take precautions against getting bitten.



Risk of being bitten by an infected mosquito this week by zone



Percentage of mosquito pools that tested positive for WNV this week and this season

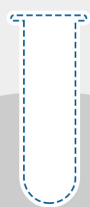


Human surveillance

THIS WEEK

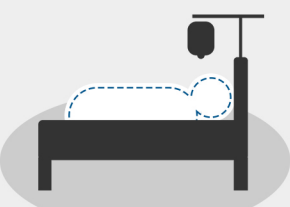
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WNV positive laboratory test



0

cases of WNV neuroinvasive disease



0

deaths due to WNV



THIS SEASON

1 positive lab test

0 neuroinvasive cases

0 deaths due to WNV

A positive lab test does not necessarily indicate a new current WNV infection. It may indicate a WNV infection from a previous year or a cross-reaction with other viruses.