

WORLD HEALTH DAY 2014

Small creatures, big threat

VECTOR-BORNE DISEASES

How do vector-borne diseases such as malaria, dengue and yellow fever affect your health? Hands-on activities will showcase how the Department of Defense is working to combat these diseases around the world.

FAMILY PROGRAM:

Saturday, April 12, 2014

10 AM - 12 PM



PARTNERS:

Walter Reed Army Institute for Research
Armed Forces Pest Management Board
Naval Medical Research Center
U.S. Army Medical Research and Materiel Command
National Museum of Health and Medicine

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Adult female *Psorophora ferox* mosquito, partially blood-engorged. Photograph by Graham Snodgrass with the Entomol. Svcs. Program, USAPHC(P), APG. Image courtesy of the Armed Forces Pest Management Board.

Capt. Keith Blount, entomologist at USAF School of Aerospace Medicine separating sand flies from mosquitoes and other arthropods collected in surveillance traps in Iraq, 2003. Photograph by Master Sgt. Lance Cheung. Image courtesy of the Armed Forces Pest Management Board.

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