

# MOSQUITO CONTROL

Take steps to control mosquitoes inside and outside your home.

- Use screens on windows and doors. Repair holes in screens to keep mosquitoes outside.
- Sleep under a mosquito bed net if air conditioned or screened rooms are not available or if sleeping outdoors.
- Once a week, empty and scrub, turn over, cover or throw out items that hold water, such as tires, buckets, planters, toys, pools, birdbaths, flowerpots, or trash containers. Check inside and outside your home. Mosquitoes lay eggs near water.

## Mosquito Checklist:

- Empty buckets and turn them over.
- Check garbage and recycling cans for standing water.
- Change kiddie pools and bird baths every 5-7 days.
- Dry off plastic toys to prevent standing water if needed.
- Keep gutters clean.
- Keep any tarps tight and refit them if water collects.
- Fix leaky hose spigots.

