

Human-Mosquito Interaction Project Short Interviews

INFORMATION FOR RESEARCH PARTICIPANTS

SHORT TITLE OF RESEARCH PROJECT: Human-Mosquito Interaction Project (H-MIP)

FULL TITLE OF RESEARCH PROJECT: Human-Mosquito Interaction Project: Host-vector networks, mobility, and the socio-ecological context of mosquito-borne disease

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The Human-Mosquito Interaction Project (H-MIP) is an academic study about the mosquitoes that bite you – and, particularly, about mosquitoes that can carry disease like dengue and Zika. The goal of the project is to better understand the interactions between humans and mosquitoes so that public health authorities can better reduce the risk of these types of diseases. We are particularly interested in learning where and when you tend to be bitten by mosquitoes and how often. If you are at least 18 years old, you may participate by volunteering for a short interview by researchers. The interview will focus on things like on your experiences of being bitten by mosquitoes, the types of places where you may be exposed to mosquitoes, and how you deal with containers of water in which mosquitoes may be laying eggs around your home and other places you spend your time. You have no obligation to answer any or all of the questions and you may stop the interview at any time. Notes will be taken by the researcher during the interview but you will not be asked to provide any personally identifying information. If you provide any such information it will not be written down.

You may address any questions you have to the interviewer or to the project coordinator, Dr. John Palmer, by phone at 93-542-2346 (office) or by email at john.palmer@upf.edu.

If you participate in the study, you will be contributing to the fight against mosquito-borne diseases but you will not receive any material compensation for your participation.

If you have any questions, please visit the project website at <http://h-mip.com> or contact:

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