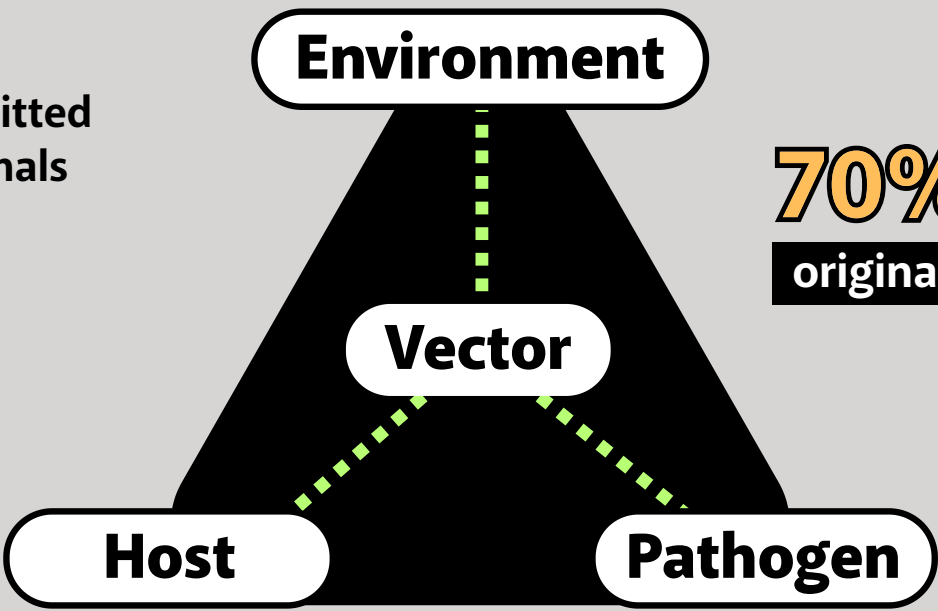


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Awareness & Actionable Responses

ZOONOSSES
Infectious diseases naturally transmitted between people and vertebrate animals



70% of zoonotic diseases originate in wildlife

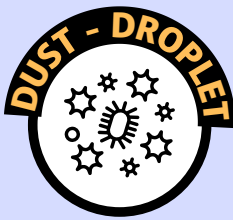
Be Aware of the transmission routes



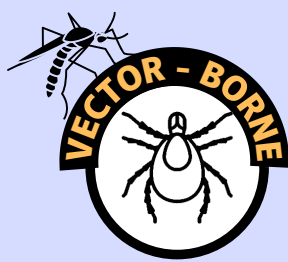
Bites, scratches, or contact with tissues or fluids including saliva, blood, feces, and urine



Contact with contaminated objects or surfaces (fomites) including the environment



Mucous membrane contact or inhalation of aerosolized materials, fluids, or droplets



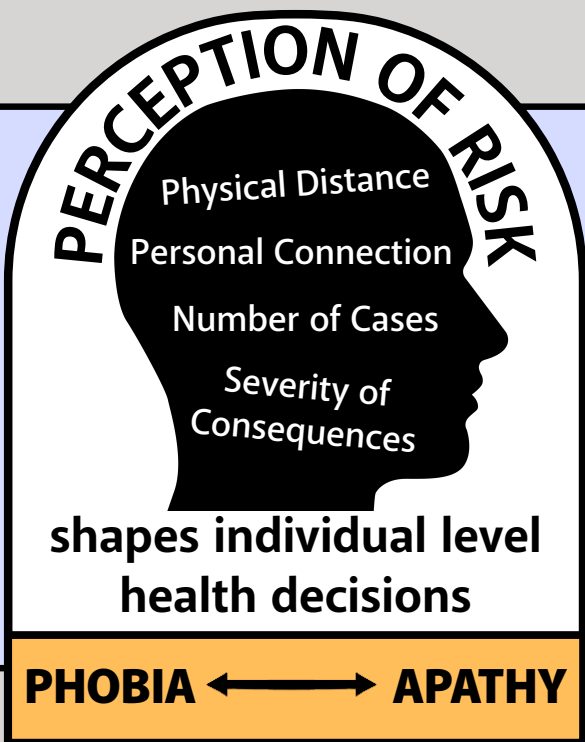
Bites or contact with arthropods including mosquitoes, ticks, fleas, flies and triatomine

Be Cognizant of the risks of zoonoses in the region

Even rare zoonoses have a **non-zero probability of infection** and have the potential to result in **fatal long-term consequences**



Be Proactive and implement preventive measures



Common sense preventive measures like hand washing, insect repellent, and personal protective equipment **only work when practiced**

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