

# Read the LABEL!

*"Have you put  
on your  
insect  
repellent?"*

**Insect  
Repellent**

**with DEET  
or picaridin**

**! WARNING!**

**Mosquitoes  
Can Carry  
Disease**

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# protect yourself

- ✓ Avoid mosquito bites, avoid disease
- ✓ Wear insect repellent whenever you are outdoors
- ✓ Keep repellent wipes with you - in your car, bag or pocket
- ✓ When weather permits, wear long sleeves, pants and socks
- ✓ Spray clothing and exposed skin with EPA recommended repellent

*"I like to bite humans day and night!"*



## repellent facts

### Read Repellent Label Before Applying

- Children 2 months and older, use a repellent  $\leq$  30% DEET
- Treat clothing with permethrin

### Look for these EPA Registered Ingredients for Mosquitoes

- DEET, picaridin, IR 3535
- Oil of lemon eucalyptus or PMD (para-menthane-diol products)

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