CMMCP WEEKLY SURVEILLANCE REPORT



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Central Mass. Mosquito Control Project Weekly Report- 6/7/20-6/13/20 EPI Week #24

Cumulative Surveillance Summary

Target Species	Ae. vex	Cq. per	Cs. mel	Oc. can	Culex	All Species
No. Pools	17	25	28	56	38	540
Total Specimens	128	294	186	833	163	3074
No. Pools WNV +	0	0	0	0	0	0
No. Pools EEE +	0	0	0	0	0	0

Weather Summary (Northborough, MA): The weather for this particular week averaged 67.27°F with a recorded high temperature of 85.60°F and a recorded low temperature of only 50.30°F. For this week there was also a total of 0.35 inches of rain observed. Compared to the previous week, it was approximately 1.58°F warmer on average, and rained about 0.03 inches more. There has been 0.67 inches of rain accumulated in June, after 1.68 inches for the month of May.

CMMCP Mosquito Summary-

Target Species	Δ From	Δ From	Predominant Trap Site(s)	
	Last Week	Last Year		
Aedes vexans	-72.92%	-68.29%	Acton, Wilmington	
Coquillettidia perturbans	+4700%	+39.81%	Marlborough, Westford	
Culiseta melanura	+425.0%	+13.08%	Wilmington, Westford	
Ochlerotatus canadensis	-60.94%	-74.62%	Sturbridge, Wilmington	
Culex Species	+2920%	+29.06%	Shrewsbury	
All Species	-1.55%	-33.31%	Marlborough, Wilmington	

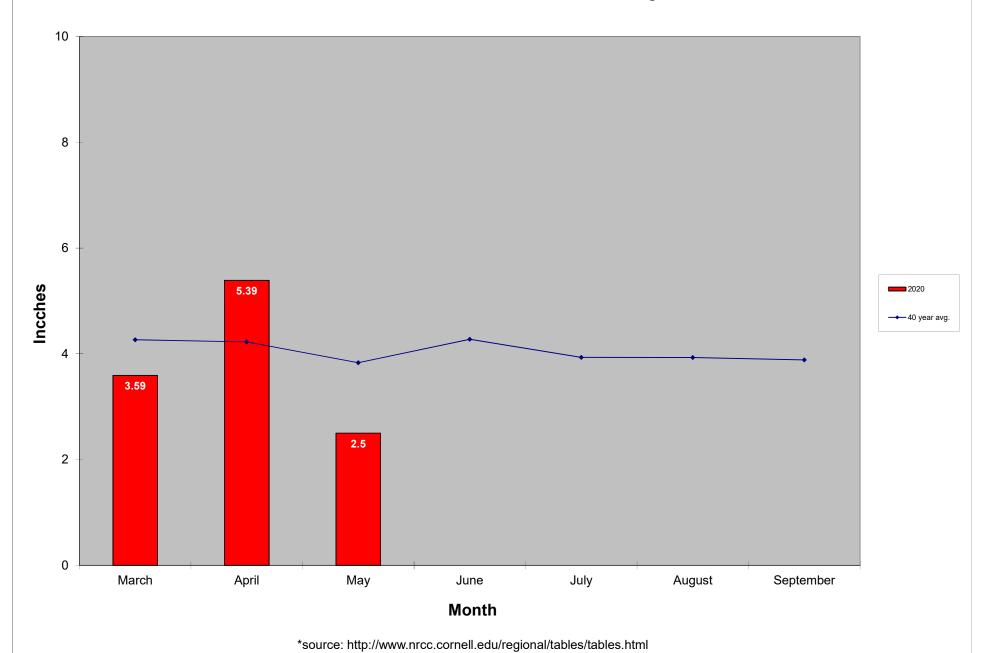
The predominant mosquito for the week was Coquillettidia perturbans, followed by Ochlerotatus canadensis.

General narrative: The temperatures for EPI week 24 averaged approximately 1.58°F warmer than the previous week, with 0.35 inches of precipitation observed. Increased emergence was observed for *Coquillettidia perturbans*, *Culiseta melanura*, and *Culex spp. Coquillettidia perturbans* was most abundant mosquito species for the week, followed by *Ochlerotatus canadensis*. Increasing temperatures and additional emergence *Coquillettidia perturbans* should contribute to higher collections moving forward. Compared to the 2019 season, overall mosquito surveillance numbers are down this year. Collections from EPI week 24 will be submitted to MDPH for arbovirus testing. *Aedes albopictus* surveillance using ovitraps has not yet started.

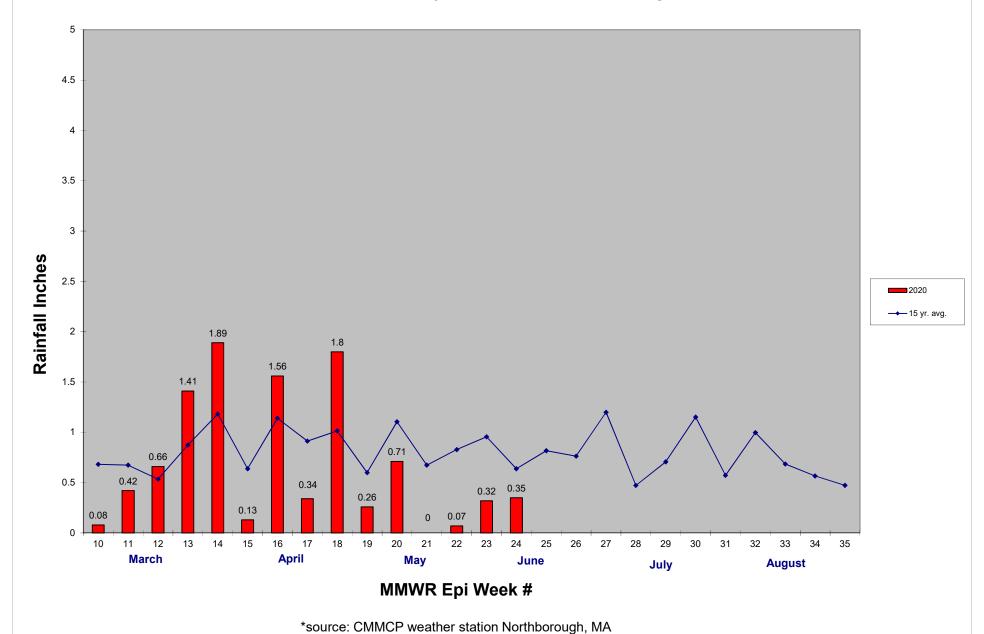
Service requests are 47.9% greater than the 17-year average (1,013 vs. 1,499) and 12.7% higher than Epi week 24 numbers from 2019 (1,499 vs. 1,329). Services requests dropped 39.6% from Epi week 23. Work crews are performing catch basins treatments in

all member communities for *Culex* control. 4,770 catch basins were treated in Epi week 24, bringing the total for the year to 17,879 basins. Water sampling in areas of enhanced larval control for *Cs. melanura* that was done in May have been underway for 3 weeks; drying conditions may force the end of sampling a bit prematurely. Results are pending from the analysis laboratories.









ULV Service Request History Comparison 2003-2020

