

# Video: Can coronavirus be transmitted by mosquitoes?

23 April 2020

---



Credit: CC0 Public Domain

Can coronavirus be transmitted by mosquitoes? Mosquitoes are a vector for some of the world's deadliest diseases, like malaria, West Nile virus, and dengue fever, so it's natural to worry if they can also spread COVID-19.

CIDD Director Elizabeth McGraw, a professor of entomology at Penn State and a leading expert on mosquito disease transmission, explains what the best science available says about coronavirus and mosquitoes.

Provided by Pennsylvania State University

APA citation: Video: Can coronavirus be transmitted by mosquitoes? (2020, April 23) retrieved 6 August 2022 from <https://medicalxpress.com/news/2020-04-video-coronavirus-transmitted-mosquitoes.html>

*This document is subject to copyright. Apart from any fair dealing for the purpose of private study or research, no part may be reproduced without the written permission. The content is provided for information purposes only.*