The Minnesota Department of Health (MDH) monitors mosquito populations in six counties in western and southwestern Minnesota: Big Stone, Murray, Ottertail, Redwood, Traverse, and Wilkin. MDH no longer routinely tests birds for West Nile virus (WNV) in Minnesota.

The Metropolitan Mosquito Control District (www.mmcd.org, 651-645-9149) monitors mosquitoes and birds in the seven-county Twin Cities area for its local control activities.