## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

## Ticks, Mosquitoes, & Our Health

## March 3, 2020 Webinar for Local Public Health and Tribes

## *Remember these top 10 messages from today's presentation:*

- 1. % of blacklegged ticks in MN are infected with a disease agent.
- 2. Since the mid-1990s, the annual number of reported tickborne disease cases has .
- 3. West Nile virus risk is highest in the area of Minnesota.
- 4. MDH collects \_\_\_\_\_\_ and information on all reported vectorborne diseases.
- 5. To prevent mosquitoborne illness, people can check and repair their .
- One good message for preventing tickborne disease is encouraging people to add to their daily routines.
- In addition to English, factsheets on vectorborne diseases are available in the following languages: \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_.
- 8. EPA-registered repellents such as \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ are safe and effective for preventing tick and mosquito \_\_\_\_\_.
- 9. A goal of the Indian Health Service tick sampling is to identify tribes that have dense populations of .
- 10. The MDH Vectorborne Disease Unit is part of a larger network of scientists and public health professionals called the \_\_\_\_\_\_.

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