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### **How Serious Is West Nile Virus?** **Sedgwick County Takes Part in Presentation to Answer Your Questions**

(Sedgwick County, Kansas) -- Sedgwick County Extension and K-State University Research and Extension are sponsoring a community presentation with experts to share "everything you want to know" about mosquitoes and West Nile Virus on Tuesday, June 22, at the Sedgwick County Extension Center, 4-H Hall, 7001 W. 21<sup>st</sup> North, 6:30 p.m.

Mansoor Tahir, Senior Epidemiologist for the Sedgwick County Health Department will provide information about Sedgwick County's mosquito control plan. In addition, Dr. Lurek Zurek, K-State Assistant Professor, Medical and Veterinary Entomology, will speak about biology and the control of WNV, and Sharon Watson, Public Information Director for the Kansas Department of Health and Environment will share information about how Kansas compares to other states. Following the presentations, questions will be taken.

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