

MD - Jeannine Dorothy

- 1) 2010
 - a) 3 distinct regions
 - i) Eastern Shore
 - (1) Spring larvicide
 - (2) Bone dry until late August
 - (3) Zero mosquitoes caught in traps over a long period
 - ii) Southern MD
 - (1) Driest summer in years
 - (2) Complaints down 50%
 - iii) Central/Western MD
 - (1) Very wet Spring
 - (2) Ground spray up 50%
 - (3) Rainfall into Oct
 - (4) Large numbers of mosquitoes
 - b) Highest WNV years since 2003
 - c) No EEE+ from problem refuge that typically breeds lots of *Cq perturbans* with lots of positives usually detected -
 - i) Refuge is now dropping water levels in ponds
 - ii) Mosquito numbers have dropped somewhat
- 2) 2011
 - a) Problem - no work, no money
 - b) Will be starting later than normal in 2011
 - c) Probably dropping 4 county programs in 2011
- 3) http://www.mda.state.md.us/plants-pests/mosquito_control/index.php