

Survey of peridomestic mosquito species of Jaffna peninsula in Sri Lanka.

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Abstract

Surveys of mosquitos in Sri Lanka have generally been confined to the South. A recent study in Jaffna peninsula in northern Sri Lanka reported on the biology of peridomestic mosquito species. The present survey indicates the predominant species to be *Armigeres durhami* (Edwards) and *Armigeres subalbatus* (Coquillett). *Aedes albopictus* (Skuse), *Ae. aegypti* (Linnaeus) and *Ae. noalbopictus* Barraud were recorded only occasionally during the survey. Sampling of ponds in the Jaffna peninsula recorded the presence of *Ae. aegypti*, *Anopheles* sp. and *Culex quinquefasciatus* (Say).

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