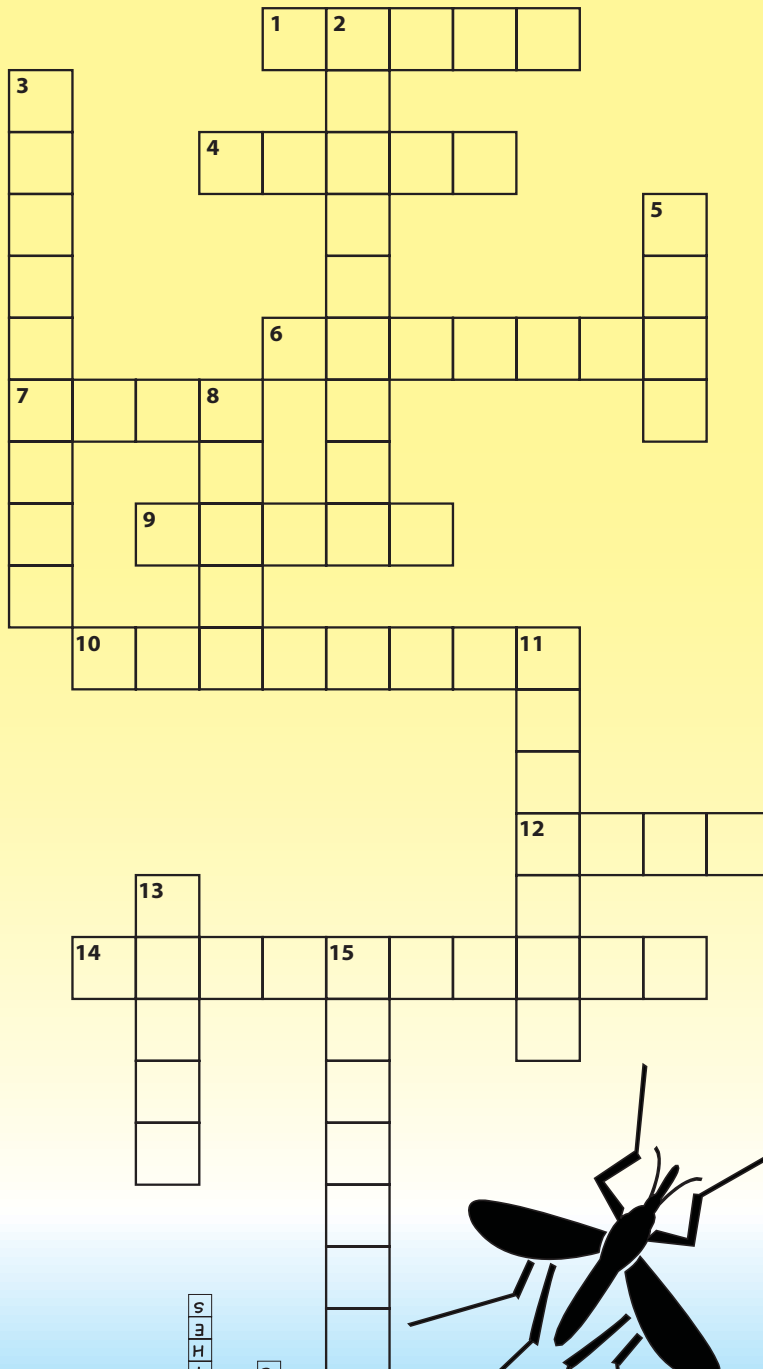


West Nile Virus

Use the following words and clues to fill in the crossword.

tires	blood	outdoor
long	clothes	screens
dusk	larvicide	dawn
grass	water	mosquito
repellent	virus	directions



ACROSS

- Some birds carry the West Nile Virus in their _____.
- West Nile is a _____ that mosquitoes carry to birds, animals, and people.
- Check window _____ for holes and cracks to keep mosquitoes out of your home.
- Wear _____ sleeves to protect yourself from mosquitoes when outside.
- Empty items that collect _____ to prevent mosquitoes from laying their eggs.
- West Nile Virus is spread to people from an infected _____.
- _____ is an early morning time when mosquitoes are very active.
- Follow the _____ when using insect repellent.

DOWN

- Treat garden ponds and fountains with _____ or stock them with fish to keep mosquitoes from laying eggs.
- Use insect _____ to keep mosquitoes from biting you.
- _____ is a time at night when mosquitoes are very active.
- Cut tall _____ and weeds because mosquitoes like to make their homes in them.
- Limit _____ activity from dusk to dawn.
- Empty sources of standing water from outdoor items, such as bird baths, toys, and old _____.
- Wear light-colored _____ to keep mosquitoes off of you.



Answer Key:

