Vector-Borne Diseases

A former graduate student from the CSC, Kelly Neely, was featured in New York Times for her work done at Texas Tech University on assessing the impacts of climate on two mosquitoes that transmit vector-borne diseases. Kelly collected data in two neighborhoods in Brownsville, TX. With this data she used two different climate models to create a range of potential future climates to determine how each scenario would impact mosquito populations. Most of her results concluded that mosquito populations increased and showed a longer season. LEARN MORE

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