Mosquito Diversity Across Four Habitats in Jamaica

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OBJECTIVE

Characterise mosquito diversity and distribution across Jamaican habitats.

METHODS

Researchers collected and identified 7,620 mosquitoes from wetlands, forests, rural areas and mixed settings.

RESULTS

Preliminary findings identified nine genera. The species that predominated varied across bird resting sites, wetlands and rural–urban areas.

CONCLUSION

Habitat-specific surveillance can help guide vector control.