

So far we have heard the nation is on track to witness the worst outbreak of West Nile Virus ever. But La Crosse County Vector Control Agent, Dave Geske, says as people are aware of the old virus.....here comes the new.

While it is unclear why this year has been harder hit than others, many think it is possibly because of the weather. It is possible that the mild winter and the hot summer also increase the number of mosquitoes, which spread the virus. Only one bird has been found in our county with the virus so far.