## **ORKIN® MOSQUITO SERVICE**

### HELP YOUR BUSINESS BITE BACK



Mosquitoes thrive in warm weather, with mosquito season reaching its peak during the hot summer months. Right when your employees, guests and customers are looking forward to spending more time outdoors, the threat of mosquitoes sets in as they are first drawn to standing water on your property and then become attracted to body heat, making those in and around your business a target. Mosquitoes aren't only a nuisance, they are capable of transmitting harmful diseases including, Chikungunya, Dengue, West Nile Virus and Zika virus.







# HOW CAN ORKIN'S MOSQUITO SERVICE HELP YOUR BUSINESS?

#### Can help prevent an infestation from occurring.

While one mosquito may not seem like a big deal in comparison to the rest of your responsibilities, that one mosquito can multiply into as many as 400 in just 7–14 days. And that puddle by the gutter? That's all these pests need to breed.

#### Minimizes negative customers experiences.

Your customers are your priority, so when they begin to avoid your business due to mosquitoes, these pests start to hurt your bottom line.

**Reduces health hazards.** Protecting your people from health threats is critical. And these pests can cause more than the red, itchy bites they are known for—they can transmit serious diseases.







#### **CUSTOMIZED SOLUTIONS**

Effective mosquito prevention starts with eliminating the source, specifically sites where they develop and breed. Your Orkin Commercial Pest Specialist will assess your situation quickly and customize a program to fit your business's needs.

**Inspection.** On the first visit, your Orkin Commercial Pest Specialist will conduct a comprehensive site inspection to evaluate possible breeding sites, such as standing water formed by excessive rain, leaks or clogged drains.

Mechanical Control. To help keep mosquitoes away from your building, your Orkin Commercial Pest Specialist recommends installing sodium vapor bulbs or yellow bulbs in outdoor lights, since they are less attractive to many flying insects. To effectively attract and help remove adult *Aedes* mosquitoes, larvae and pupae, the Orkin Eclipse™ service uses mosquito traps with green ingredients strategically placed on your property.

**Exclusion.** Mesh screens should be installed on all doors and windows to help prevent mosquitoes from entering your business through openings.

**Habitat Modification.** We will work with you to identify things you can do to minimize the chance for potential mosquito breeding sites, as well as measures to help prevent mosquitoes from getting inside your business.

**Chemical Control.** As a last resort, your Orkin Commercial Pest Specialist may use products, such as an insect growth regulator (IGR) to help prohibit larvae maturation.

**Ongoing Monitoring and Maintenance.** Your Orkin Commercial Pest Specialist will continue to monitor and adjust your mosquito treatment program as necessary. This includes reliable, ongoing inspections of your entire property to help stop existing infestations and help minimize future invasions.

Don't worry about mosquito control again.



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