

OUTDOOR PERSPECTIVES Exploring Barriers to Getting Outside



3 IN 5

Americans are spending more time outdoors-and as a result, half of them are experiencing an increase in mosquito bites.



52%

of Americans say the potential itch from insect bites prevents them from enjoing themselves at the beach, lake, or pool as





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often as they would like.



58%

of people reveal the itch from mosquito bites prevents them from enjoying picnics and outdoor dining at their preferred frequency.



1/2 * of Americans report the

anticipation of itchiness caused by mosquito bites prevents them from exercising outdoors as often as they'd like.

TOP PLACES PEOPLE ENCOUNTER BUG BITES



59%

of Americans say they encounter the most insect disturbances in their backyards.



32%

of Americans reveal frustrations with insect bites and stings while hiking.



32%

of Americans say they get eaten up by insects



14%

of Americans say insect bites and stings create apprehension around going to the beach.

while at the lake.



TOP OBSTACLES TO GETTING OUTSIDE

Mosquitoes & insects are the greatest non-weather related barrier to the outdoors!



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TYPES OF MOSQUITO PEOPLE

How much do mosquitoes bug you?







Human Mosquito Repeller

Mosquitoes always bite other people. I have no fear of bites, even during mosquito season.

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Avid Indoor Person

Mosquito bites are the bane of my existence, they prevent me from enjoying time outside, especially during mosquito season.

Slightly Annoyed

I can deal with a few bites, but they don't prevent me from enjoying time outside, even during mosquito season.

Mosquito Magnet

Mosquitoes love me! But I still love the outdoors.

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