



SPATIAL REPELLENTS

FOR CONTROL OF VECTOR-BORNE DISEASE

AN UPDATE

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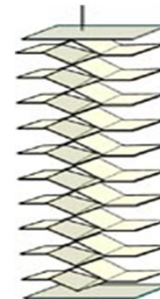


What are Spatial Repellents? Product Description and Paradigm Claim

- Spatial repellents are products designed to release volatile chemicals into the air and prevent human-vector contact within the treated space.

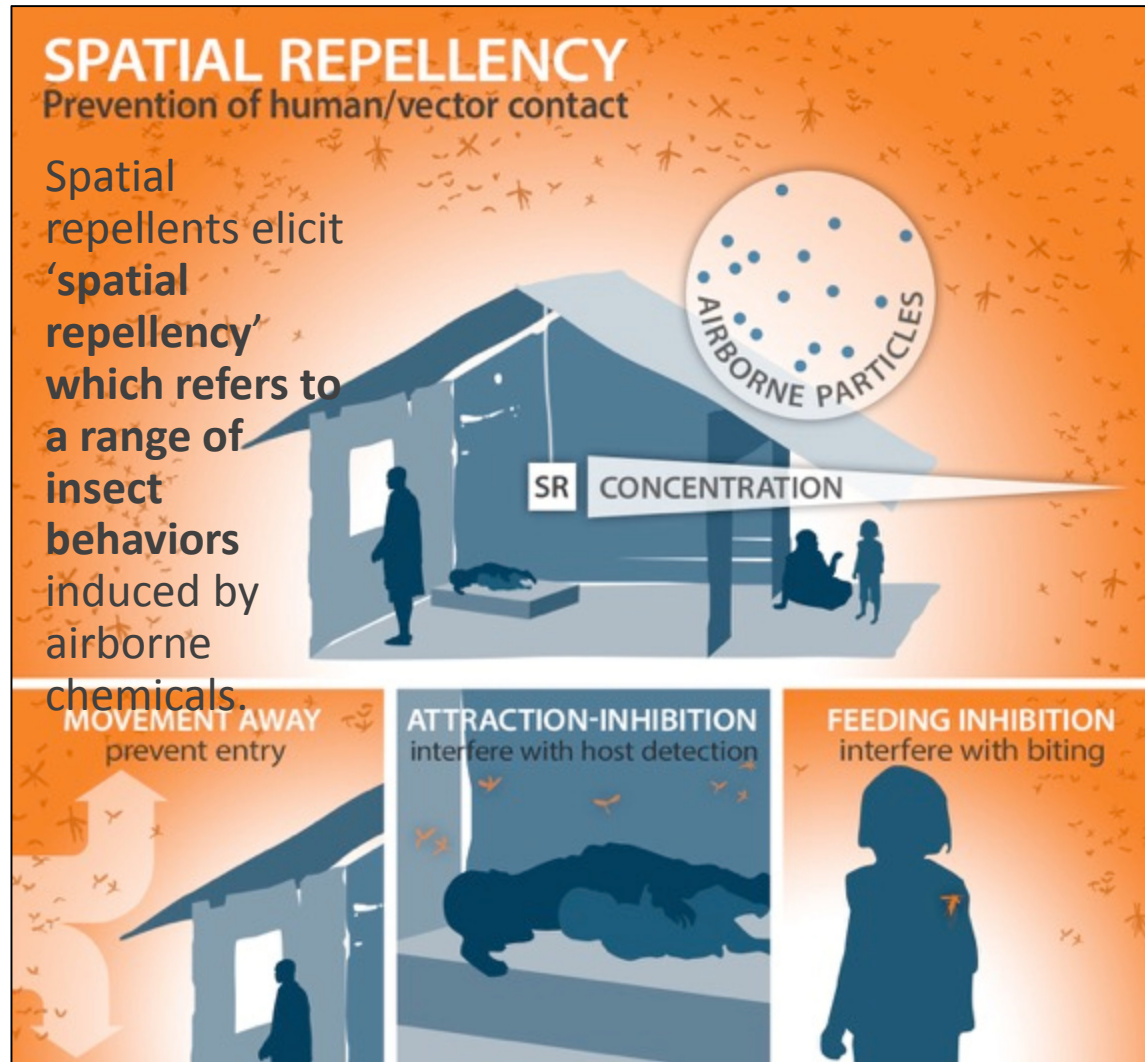
Deployment of spatial repellent products in enclosed and semi-enclosed spaces will reduce pathogen transmission.

PROTOTYPES



How Spatial Repellents are Expected to Function

Mechanism of Action



Continual Release

Chemical Exploitation



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Role of Spatial Repellents in Vector Control Filling Gaps

- Addresses vector behavior variability
 - day-time, early evening and/or outdoor biting
- Facilitate coverage and reduce delivery challenges
 - adding a consumer product distribution model (uptake enhancement)
 - top-down delivery during epidemics (dengue) and/or routinely (malaria)
 - less bulky than LLINs, IRS and/or space-spraying
- Tools for insecticide resistance mitigation
 - additional target sites, mode of action & functional doses beyond toxicity
- New paradigm to drive R&D for novel chemical actives /products

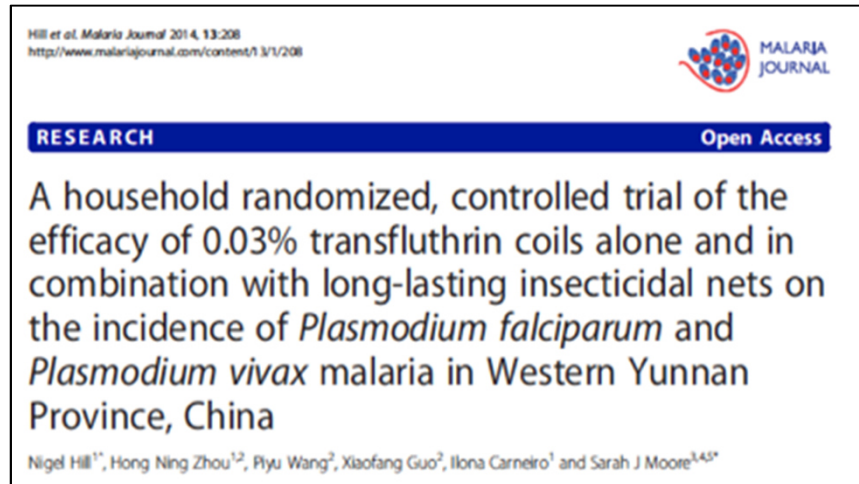




Evidence –
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Evidence of Spatial Repellents to Prevent Disease



Coils alone : 77% PE
LLINs alone: 91% PE
Coils + LLIN: 94% PE



Coils alone : 52% PE

32% lower outdoor landing in houses with SR



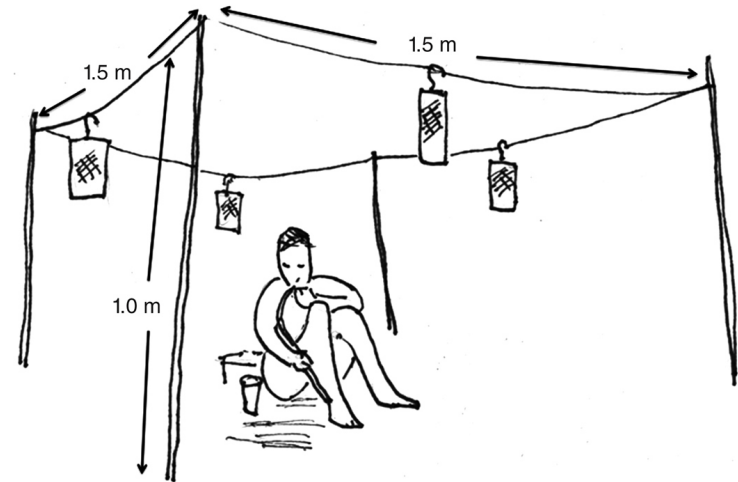
Effects of the spatial repellent metofluthrin on landing rates of outdoor biting anophelines in Cambodia, Southeast Asia

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- Metofluthrin
- Landing rates reduced by
 - 48% - 1 emanator
 - 67% - 4 emanators
- Similar results with tent traps and CDC-LTS
- Different results in Pailin, Pursat versus Koh Kong (no difference)



Modified mosquito landing boxes dispensing transfluthrin provide effective protection against *Anopheles arabiensis* mosquitoes under simulated outdoor conditions in a semi-field system

Marta Andrés^{1,2}, Lena M Lorenz^{2,3}, Edgar Mbeleya³ and Sarah J Moore^{3,4,5*}

- Modified odor baited trap used with repellent
- Transfluthrin
- 69% protection against bites / landing



A crossover study to evaluate the diversion of malaria vectors in a community with incomplete coverage of spatial repellents in the Kilombero Valley, Tanzania

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**Several studies to demonstrate Push-pull strategies might be useful
Chareonviriyaphap, Achee, Greico, Takken, Moore, Maia, etc**

Guidance on Operational Implementation

Primary VCAG Questions

- What is the product **coverage required** for protection?
- **How does efficacy vary** with geography or vector bionomics?
- Do repellents have either a **diversion or a community-wide protection effect**?
- Are current pyrethroid-based repellents **effective against resistant vector populations**?



Newly Funded Research Program (2014-2018)

Generating an Evidence Base



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GATES foundation

- **GOAL:**
- Evaluate the public health impact of one spatial repellent product to reduce and prevent transmission of *Plasmodium* spp. and dengue viruses.
- **OBJECTIVES:**
 - Provide a quantitative estimate of **protective efficacy (PE)**
 - Provide inputs into program-relevant questions of **optimization/application**
 - Confirm and measure the **entomological correlates** of reduced infection
 - Drive efforts to acquire **full recommendation** of spatial repellent products



Scale-back of Study from Africa sites (Indonesia and Peru only)

Present status of Primary VCAG Questions

- What is the product **coverage required** for protection?
 - Indonesia (malaria) and Peru (Dengue) only
- **How does efficacy vary** with geography or vector bionomics?
 - Indonesia (malaria) and Peru (Dengue) only. **Not possible in Africa**
- Do repellents have either a **diversion or a community-wide protection effect**?
 - **Not possible** (was planned as part of the Kenya study)
- Are current pyrethroid-based repellents **effective against resistant vector populations**?
 - **Not possible** at present (possible if insecticide resistance appears)



Program updates

- **Scale back from Africa sites (Zambia, Tanzania, Kenya)**
 - Team notified (March 2016) – funder directed
 - African sites closed down Dec 2016
- **Indonesia (malaria)**
 - Follow-up of 1240 subjects (from ~2,719 enrolled households) began May 2016. Intervention placed.
 - 12,449 Bloodspots collected (19x active + passive collections) since December 2016 (Intervention)
 - 19x HLC collections (at 4 sentinel sites in 12 clusters) have occurred following intervention.
- **Peru (Dengue)**
 - Weekly febrile surveillance in 13,994 persons for active virus infection has occurred as of Oct 2016
 - Baseline samples from ~1800 subjects for longitudinal sero-conversion have been collected as of Oct 2016

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