

Stage 5_Unit 2_Listening_Mosquitos and malaria

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Exercise 1: Listen to the talk. Fill in the gaps with the words you hear.

Did you know that there are more than _____ (1) of mosquito? They can live in most environments apart from _____ (2). They prefer warm, wet weather and are common in hot, _____ (3) such as: the Americas, Asia and Africa. They live near water where the females can _____ (4). They like eating nectar from _____ (5), but only the females bite humans. Females live longer for _____ (6) but males only live for a week.

A mosquito bite is sometimes just uncomfortable, but they can be extremely dangerous because they can cause malaria which infects _____ (7) people every year. This is why you need to be careful when you visit these countries. You should always use _____ (8) and you must use a special cream called _____ (9) to protect yourself from _____ (10).