



Ochlerotatus infirmatus Biology

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Ochlerotatus infirmatus larvae develop from early spring to late fall in temporary pools following rains. They are often associated with *Oc. atlanticus/tormentor* and other woodland mosquito species.

Ochlerotatus infirmatus females are persistent biters attacking during the day in or near wooded areas. Typically this mosquito can be collected in smaller numbers from February through June with larger populations emerging from September through November in Brunswick County. They are occasionally encountered at night near dwellings, but seldom enter the buildings. We consider this mosquito to be of medium importance to the citizens of Brunswick County.

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