

Psorophora horrida (Dyar and Knab)

OVERWINTERING STAGE: Egg.

PHENOLOGY: Multivoltine.

LARVAL HABITAT:

Larvae live in temporary, shaded pools following heavy and prolonged summer rains.

HOST PREFERENCES:

As with other *Psorophora*, these are primarily mammalian feeders.

VIRUS TESTING RESULTS:

Virus	# specimens tested	# pools tested	# positive pools	MIR
WNV	72	4	0	0
EEE	0	0	0	0
La Crosse	0	0	0	0

COMMENTS:

Adult females are similar in appearance to *Ps. ferox* and can be easily confused with them if the specimens are in poor condition. Very few specimens were collected, mostly in July.

