West Nile Virus activity* detected recently in the following  
Bronx zip codes: 10464, 10465  

Neighborhoods: Pelham Bay, Spencer Estates, Throgs Neck  

Now is the time for New Yorkers – especially people over 50 – to take personal precautions to prevent mosquito bites:  
- Use repellents that contain DEET, Oil of Lemon Eucalyptus, IR3535, or Picaridin and ALWAYS follow label instructions.  
- If outside from dusk to dawn, wear protective clothing if possible, such as loose-fitting pants, long-sleeved shirts, and socks.  
- Make sure that your doors and windows have tight-fitting screens. Fix or replace screens that have tears or holes.  

Reduce mosquito exposure around your home:  
- Eliminate any standing water that collects on your property.  
- Remind or help neighbors to eliminate standing water on their properties.  
- Call 311 to report standing water.

For more information about West Nile virus, call 311, or go to www.nyc.gov/health.  

*Source: Mosquito West Nile virus surveillance data, New York City Department of Health and Mental Hygiene  
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