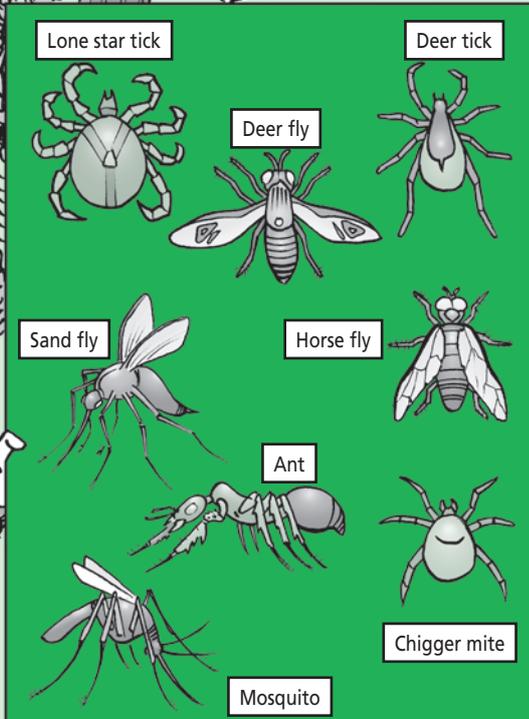


WEAR IT RIGHT TO BATTLE BUGS

WEARING YOUR FLAME-RESISTANT ARMY COMBAT UNIFORM-PERMETHRIN (FR ACU-P) PROVIDES **SAFE, EFFECTIVE, PERMANENT** PROTECTION AGAINST INSECT BITES AND INSECT-BORNE DISEASES FOR THE LIFE OF THE UNIFORM.



Remember these tips:

- Your ACU acts as a physical barrier against insects. In a field environment, keep your sleeves rolled down. Close all openings that might let in insects. Tuck pants into your boots or use your trouser drawstrings. Tuck your undershirt into your pants.
- Wear your ACU loosely because some insects, like mosquitoes, can bite through fabric that is pulled too tightly against the skin.
- Apply a thin coating of an insect repellent (DEET) to all exposed skin. Use the following NSNs to order your product of choice, and follow label directions for each one:
 - NSN 6840-01-284-3982 (3M Ultrathon™)
 - NSN 6840-01-584-8598 (Backwoods Cutter®)
 - NSN 6840-01-584-8393 (LipoDEET)
- Sleep or rest under a bed net treated with permethrin.
- Take malaria prophylaxis pills if you are directed to do so by your medical authority.
- Do not use aftershave lotions, colognes, perfumes, scented deodorants or perfumed soaps in the field. They may attract insects.
- Wash and inspect your body daily for insects and their bites or as often as the tactical situation permits.
- Use the buddy system to check your clothing for ticks.
- Wash your ACU routinely following factory care label instructions to remove insects and their eggs. See washing instructions in PS 706, page 54.



Your FR ACU-P can be worn in many environmental conditions!

