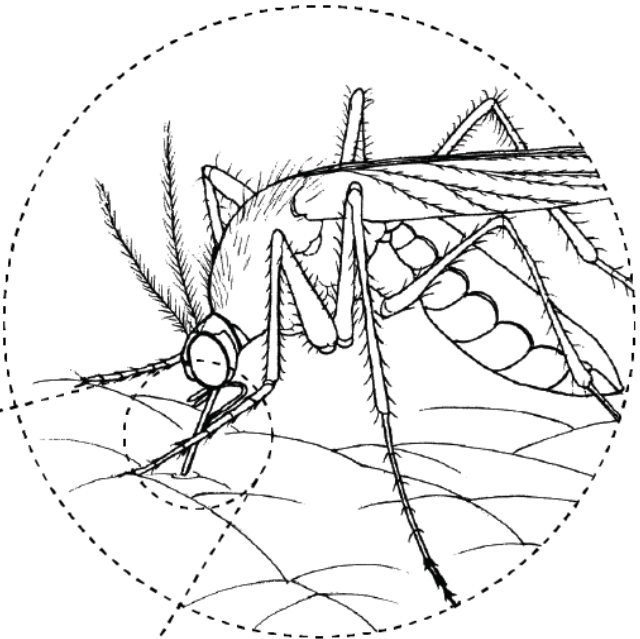
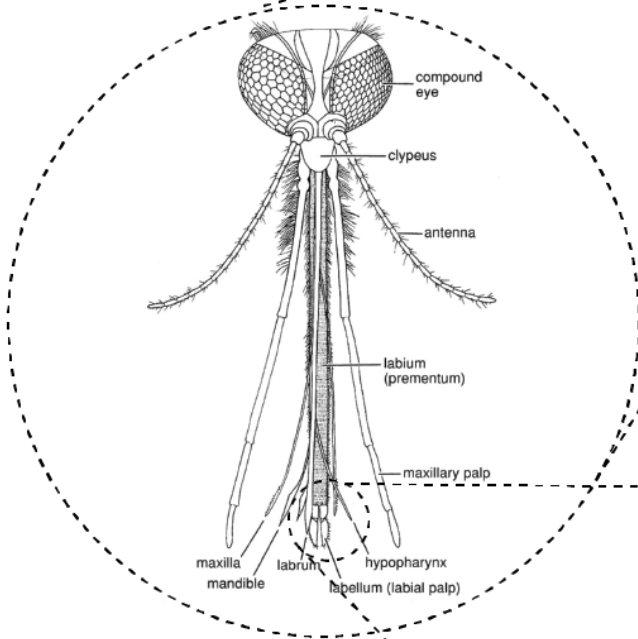


# Why are Mosquitoes Dangerous?

In female mosquitoes,  
the \_\_\_\_\_ pierces  
the skin of a person or animal  
and sucks out blood.



Mosquitoes are known as \_\_\_\_\_ which means  
they are organisms that can  
transmit infectious pathogens.



The \_\_\_\_\_ of the mosquito,  
which prevents blood from clotting  
during feeding, can possibly contain  
microscopic parasites and virus that  
were picked up from the last person  
or animal the mosquito fed on.

