



How to Incorporate DPH Videos onto Your Website or Blog

There are two versions of each video on the DPH Mosquitoes and Ticks webpage: one is YouTube and the other is Windows Media File (WMV).

The YouTube version is the one that's displayed front and center, with a "Play" icon in the middle of the image.

The WMV version appears as a hyperlink, below the YouTube clip.

The easiest way to use and share our videos is to copy the Embed Code from the YouTube version of the video from our website.

The YouTube version is closed-captioned to ensure accessibility for all users.

How to Embed YouTube Videos

If you're looking at the video on the DPH website, here's how to grab the video's YouTube embed code, which you'll need to place the video onto your website:

1. Right-click on the "Share" icon  at top right of video image.
2. In the dropdown menu, click on "Copy Embed Code"
3. Paste the embed code into your blog or website. If you're unclear on how to embed videos onto your website, talk with your city or town's website administrator.
4. If you left-click on the "Share" icon  you can also easily share the video via social media platforms by clicking on the icons for Facebook, Twitter, or Google+.

If you're looking at the video on the DPH YouTube channel, rather than on the DPH website, here's how to grab the embed code:

1. Click the Share link under the video.
2. Click the Embed link.
3. Copy the code provided in the expanded box.
4. Paste the code into your blog or website. If you're unclear on how to embed videos onto your website, talk with your city or town's website administrator.
5. From the "Share" screen, you can also easily share the video via social media platforms by clicking on the icons for Facebook, Twitter, or Google+.

Using Window Media Video Files (WMV)

Alternatively, you can also download the Windows Media Video (WMV) file and place that file on your website. Due to file size limitations, the WMV clip must be uploaded to a FTP site by DPH, which you can then download onto your computer. If you would like to use this option, please contact John Jacob, Risk Communications Manager at DPH, at john.jacob@state.ma.us.