



Protect • Check • Remove • Watch

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# BeTICK Smart



- Wear repellent.
- Check for ticks daily.
- Shower soon after being outdoors.
- Call your doctor if you get a fever or rash following a tick bite.



## How to Remove a Tick

- 1 Use fine-tipped tweezers to grasp the tick as close to the skin's surface as possible.
- 2 Pull upward with steady, even pressure to remove the tick. Avoid twisting or jerking.
- 3 Clean the bite area and your hands with rubbing alcohol, iodine scrub, or soap and water.

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## Actual Size Comparison

## Ohio Tick ID Card

Blacklegged (deer) tick



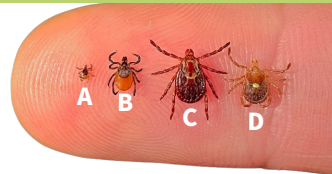
American dog (wood) tick



Lone Star Tick



Female, Male, Nymph, Larva



A B C D

(Enlarged to show detail)

- A. Blacklegged tick, nymph
- B. Blacklegged tick, female
- C. American dog tick, female
- D. Lone star tick, female