

## MALARIA MOSQUITOES – THE PROBLEM

A tiny parasite in the blood causes malaria. It kills over a million people per year – mostly children



Malaria is only transmitted by certain species of mosquito (*Anopheles spp.*)



Malaria mosquitoes enter houses through open windows, cracks and holes in walls and roofs. They bite at night mostly when people are asleep



Mosquitoes breed in the still water of ponds, ditches and even in puddles, old buckets or discarded car tyres.

