

Do you know what's in your water?

Do you have a well, spring or cistern? Learn about your water quality through affordable, confidential testing and become empowered to make decisions about system maintenance and water treatment!

The goal of the Virginia Household Water Quality Program is to improve the water quality and health of Virginians with private water supplies, including wells, springs and cisterns.

How does it work?

1. Receive directions about sample collection and a sample kit at the local Extension office.
2. Collect samples on designated date and drop off locally.
3. Samples are analyzed at Virginia Tech.
4. Receive your confidential results, an explanation of what they mean, and information about addressing any problems or concerns at a local meeting.



What does the water test include?

Iron	Manganese	Sulfate	Hardness
Sodium	Copper	Nitrate	Arsenic
Fluoride	pH	Total Dissolved Solids	
Coliform bacteria	<i>E. coli</i> bacteria	Lead	

How much does it cost? \$60 per sample kit (cash or check).

Make checks payable to Treasurer of Virginia Tech. There will be a \$50.00 service charge on all returned checks.

Please pre-register – space is limited!

To REGISTER or for questions, contact Rachel Henley or Allison Walters:

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OR REGISTER at the link: <https://tinyurl.com/GPwatertest2019>

	Date and Time	Location
Pick up sample kit and receive directions to collect samples	Tuesday, September 24, 2019 at 6pm	Powhatan Village Building Auditorium 3910 Old Buckingham Road Powhatan, VA 23139
Drop off samples	Wednesday, September 25, 2019 between 7am – 9am	Powhatan Extension Office (basement) 3910 Old Buckingham Road Powhatan, VA 23139
Results meeting	Tuesday, October 22, 2019 at 6pm	Central High Cultural & Educational Complex Auditorium 2748 Dogtown Road Goochland , VA 23063

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