

2022 HOUSEHOLD WATER TESTING

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.

- In **Lancaster**, call **804-462-5780** to pre-register. (Limited number of test kits available)
- \$65 payment per kit required by September 30, 2022.
- Pick up your water sample kit Tuesday, October 4, 2022 9:00 a.m.-noon at the Lancaster Extension office parking lot via drive-thru event.
- Collect your water samples early morning on Wednesday, October 5, 2022 and drop off samples from 8 -10:00 a.m. via the drive-thru event.
- Samples transported to and analyzed at Virginia Tech.
- Confidential results emailed or mailed to you with an explanation of what they mean and information about addressing any problems. A recorded video presentation will be available to help you understand your results.



What does the water test include?

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

How much does it cost? \$65 per water testing sample kit.

Pre-registration and pre-payment are required. Money will not be collected at the drive thru event.

To register or for more information, call the **Lancaster County office of Virginia Cooperative Extension at 804-462-5780.**

	<i>Date and Time</i>	<i>Location</i>
\$65 payment per water sample	September 2022	Call 804-462-5780 to register. <i>Payment due before September 30, 2022</i>
Drive-thru to pick up sample kit	October 4, 2022 9:00 am – Noon	Parking lot across from old Courthouse 8311 Mary Ball Rd, Lancaster, VA
Drive-thru water sample drop-off	October 5, 2022 8:00 am-10:00 am	Parking lot across from old Courthouse 8311 Mary Ball Rd, Lancaster, VA
Results will be mailed or emailed	Mid-Late November	Resources will be provided via email and staff are available by phone to answer questions.

If you are a person with a disability and desire any assistive devices, services or other accommodations to participate in this activity, please contact Tara Brent at 804-462-5780 during business hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. to discuss accommodations 5 days prior to the event. *TDD number is (800) 828-1120.



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