

**Environmental Health Division**

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<http://www.slh.wisc.edu/ehd>

**Public Environmental Testing Prices**

**Effective Date January 1, 2008**

*(Prices subject to change without notice)*

Test	Usual Testing Time In Business Days	Price Per Test
<b>Water Tests</b>		
Atrazine	10	\$ 25.00
Bacteria (Total Coliform)	1-2	\$ 25.00
Copper	10	\$ 20.00
Copper <b>RUSH</b>	2	\$ 40.00
E. coli Bacteria in swimming beaches	3	\$ 35.00
Fluoride	3	\$ 20.00
Iron Bacteria	7	\$ 52.00
Sulfate Reducing Bacteria	24	\$ 52.00
Arsenic	10	\$ 27.00
Arsenic <b>RUSH</b>	2	\$ 54.00
Lead	10	\$ 27.00
Lead <b>RUSH</b>	2	\$ 54.00
Nitrate	3	\$ 24.00
Nitrate <b>RUSH</b>	1	\$ 48.00
Nitrite	3	\$ 24.00
Nitrite <b>RUSH</b>	1	\$ 48.00
† HUD/FHA-VA Loan Package-includes: Coliform, E. coli, lead, nitrate, nitrite & nitrate+nitrite	7	\$ 100.00
† HUD/FHA -VA Loan Package <b>RUSH</b>	2	\$ 200.00
* Radon in Water	5	\$ 68.00
Helicobacter pylori	10	\$ 150.00
Pseudomonas aeruginosa	5	\$ 25.00
Heterotrophic plate count	4	\$ 28.00
<b>Other Environmental Tests</b>		
Asbestos in building material (tiles, ceilings)	7	\$ 35.00
Lead in paint chips, soil and surface dust	7	\$ 24.00
Mold Testing (household) Call for more information 608-224-6261	1 - 7	\$33.00 - \$51.00
Radon in Air	5	\$ 25.00

\* Radon in water tests are generally not called for unless air radon levels are high.

**† Special information regarding HUD/FHA Loan Requirements:**

United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) requires all of the above tests on private well water prior to accepting a house for FHA mortgage insurance. The Veteran's Administration has the same requirements. The test results must meet the minimal drinking water quality requirements specified by HUD based on EPA recommendations. Please see <http://www.slh.wisc.edu/ehd/> or your mortgage company for additional information.

**Kit ordering Information:**

You may order sampling kits by calling (800) 442-4618 (in Dane County call 224-6202). Sampling kits may also be ordered at our Customer Service desk in the lobby at 2601 Agriculture Drive.

## Water Testing Policy and Sample Requirements:

To ensure quality services, carefully follow all instructions and submit water samples in the containers provided by the WSLH. Failure to follow instructions or using unapproved sample containers could affect test quality and may result in rejection of your sample.

## Sampling Kits Available:

Test	Bottle Requirement
Atrazine	Opaque plastic, blue cap
Bacteria (Total Coliform), Nitrate, Fluoride *	Clear WSLH bottle
Pseudomonas aeruginosa	Clear WSLH thiosulfate bottle
Heterotrophic plate count	Clear WSLH thiosulfate bottle, Iced
Helicobacter pylori	2 -Clear WSLH bottles, Iced
E. coli in swimming beaches	Clear WSLH bottle, Iced
Bacteria (Total Coliform) in pools or chlorinated systems	Clear WSLH thiosulfate bottle
HUD/FHA-VA Loan Kit	3-Clear WSLH bottles, 2 forms & Iced
Lead, Copper	Clear WSLH bottle
Arsenic	Clear WSLH bottle
Radon	Call (800) 442-4618 for container
Iron Bacteria	Clear WSLH bottle
Sulfate Reducing Bacteria	Clear WSLH bottle, Iced

\* Can all be analyzed from the same bottle.

## Directions to WSLH - Environmental Health Division Lab at 2601 Agriculture Drive:

We are located on Madison's southeast side - just northwest of the intersection of Interstate Hwy. 90 and U.S. Hwys. 12 & 18. From Hwys. 12 & 18 (the south "Beltline"), take U.S. Hwy. 51 (Stoughton Road) north about one mile. Turn right (east) onto Pflaum Road. Proceed about one mile on Pflaum Road, and then veer right onto Agriculture Drive. Our building is on the hillside on the left. Customer parking is available near the entrance. Our Customer Service Department is just inside the entrance.

