

WELL WATER TESTING REQUIREMENTS !!

The Connecticut Department of Public Health, through the action of the Connecticut General Assembly, adopted requirements for testing well water. Specifically, the requirements are:

1. **ALL water samples must be collected by an individual under the direction of a licensed laboratory, a state certified operator as defined in Section 25 32 7a(c) of the regulations of state agencies, or a licensed sanitarian;**

2. **The well water MUST meet the maximum contaminant levels (MCL'S) of the Connecticut Public Health Code;**

3. **The water has to be analyzed for:**

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| a. Total Coliform bacteria | j. pH |
| b. Nitrate | k. Sulfate |
| c. Nitrite | l. Apparent Color |
| d. Sodium | m. Odor |
| e. Chloride | n. Volatile Organic Chemicals (VOC'S) |
| f. Iron | o. Seven listed pesticides, if
the nitrate level is over 10.0 |
| g. Manganese | |
| h. Hardness | |
| i. Turbidity | |

- ❖ When the results are mailed or faxed to the Farmington Valley Health District, a Water Certification Form with signature of the person who took the sample must be included. This is a State Regulation.

APPROVED LOCAL WATER TESTING LABORATORIES

Averill Environmental Laboratory
100 Northwest Drive
Plainville, CT 06062
860 747 0676

Vallid Labs
295 Silver Street
Agawam, MA
413 789 2206

Envirotech Laboratory
77 Cook Hill Road
Windsor, CT 06095
860 688 7249

Northeast Laboratories
129 Mill Street
Berlin, CT 06037
860 828 9787
www.nelabsct.com

Torrington Laboratory
339 Main Street
Torrington, CT 06790
860 496 8378
www.tahtd.org/water-air-soil-testing.html