

2021 Northern Shenandoah Valley Drinking Water Testing Clinics

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. Pick up a sample kit at the designated location for your county.
2. Participate in the live Kick-Off Session via Zoom.
3. Collect samples on designated date, and drop them off at the designated location for your county.
4. Samples are analyzed at Virginia Tech.
5. Participate in the in-person Results Meeting to help you understand your results. At the meeting, you will receive your confidential results and information about addressing any problems.



What does the water test include?

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

How much does it cost? \$60 per sample kit. **Financial Scholarships Available:** Cost reduction to \$10 per sample kit is available for those who have an annual household income of \$50,000 or less. Please contact the Virginia Cooperative Extension Frederick County Office at (540) 665-5699 to inquire and receive the discount code.

When is the deadline? Registration and payment is required by **Monday, October 11** – space is limited!

Register online (credit/debit card payment): <https://tinyurl.com/NorthernShenandoahWellTest2021>

Register by mail (check): Complete the Registration Form and mail as instructed.

Sample Kit Pick-Up and Sample Drop Offs will be offered in the counties of Clarke, Frederick, Page, Shenandoah, and Warren in October 2021.
Please see reverse for dates, times, and locations.

If you are a person with a disability and desire any assistive devices, services or other accommodations to participate in this activity, please contact your local Extension Office at the phone number listed on the next page during business hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. to discuss accommodations at least 5 days prior to the event. *TDD number is (800) 828-1120.



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| Location of Offering | Pick Up Sample Kit | Kick-Off Session via Zoom | Drop Off Samples |
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| Clarke County | Oct. 18 – between 8am-5pm or Oct. 19 – between 8am-6:30pm VCE - Clarke Extension Office 524 Westwood Rd. Berryville, VA Phone: 540-955-5164 | Oct. 18 – 6:30pm <i>A link will be emailed to those who register.</i> | Oct. 20 – between 7am-10am VCE - Clarke Extension Office 524 Westwood Rd. Berryville, VA Phone: 540-955-5164 |
| Frederick County | Oct. 25 – between 8am-5pm or Oct. 26 – between 8am-6:30pm VCE - Frederick Extension Office 107 N. Kent St. Winchester, VA (Next to receptionist desk on first floor.) Phone: 540-665-5699 | Oct. 25 – 6:30pm <i>A link will be emailed to those who register.</i> | Oct. 27 – between 7am-10am VCE - Frederick Extension Office 107 N. Kent St. Winchester, VA (Next to receptionist desk on first floor.) Phone: 540-665-5699 |
| Page County | Oct. 18 – between 8am-5pm or Oct. 19 – between 8am-6:30pm VCE - Page Extension Office 215 W. Main St. Stanley, VA Phone: 540-778-5794 | Oct. 18 – 6:30pm <i>A link will be emailed to those who register.</i> | Oct. 20 – between 7am-10am VCE - Page Extension Office 215 W. Main St. Stanley, VA Phone: 540-778-5794 |
| Shenandoah County | Oct. 25 – between 8am-5pm or Oct. 26 – between 8am-6:30pm VCE - Shenandoah Extension Office Shenandoah County Government Center 600 N. Main St. Woodstock, VA Phone: 540-459-6140 | Oct. 25 – 6:30pm <i>A link will be emailed to those who register.</i> | Oct. 27 – between 7am-10am VCE - Shenandoah Extension Office Shenandoah County Government Center 600 N. Main St. Woodstock, VA Phone: 540-459-6140 |
| Warren County | Oct. 25 – between 8am-5pm or Oct. 26 – between 8am-6:30pm VCE - Warren Extension Office 220 N. Commerce Ave. Ste. 500 Front Royal, VA Phone: 540-635-4549 | Oct. 25 – 6:30pm <i>A link will be emailed to those who register.</i> | Oct. 27 – between 7am-10am VCE - Warren Extension Office 220 N. Commerce Ave. Ste. 500 Front Royal, VA Phone: 540-635-4549 |

*****Results Meeting Date and Time is TBD*****

Your confidential results will be available at the Results Meeting in December 2021.

You can participate in any county (even if it's not your county residence), but you must be able to pick up and drop off samples to that location.

VCE DRINKING WATER TESTING CLINICS

Mail-In Registration Form

Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

County Property is Located: _____

To register by mail, please complete the section below and mail as instructed:

Which Water Clinic will you be attending:

Clarke Frederick Page Shenandoah Warren

Regular Registration Fee: \$60 per 1 kit per water source (well, cistern, or spring)

Payment Enclosed: \$60 x _____ 1 kit(s) per water source = \$ _____

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Which Water Clinic will you be attending:

Clarke Frederick Page Shenandoah Warren

Discounted Registration Fee: \$10 per 1 kit per water source (well, cistern, or spring)

Discount Code: _____

Payment Enclosed: \$10 x _____ 1 kit(s) per water source = \$ _____

Make check payable to:

Treasurer, Virginia Tech

Mail registration and check to:

Virginia Cooperative Extension – Frederick County
107 North Kent Street
Winchester, VA 22601

Registration is required.

There will be a \$50 charge for all Returned Checks. Refunds will be provided to those giving notice by Monday, October 11, 2021 at 5:00 p.m. Any refunds issued will incur a \$5 processing fee.