

DRINKING WATER SAMPLE COLLECTION

	HOLD TIME
Plastic 1000ml Unpreserved Bottle	
pH, pH with Stability	15 minutes
PLASTIC 500ML UNPRESERVED BOTTLE	
Nitrite	48 hours
PLASTIC 1000ML NITRIC ACID (HNO₃) PRESERVED BOTTLE	
Lead & Copper Rule	6 months
PLASTIC 500ML NITRIC ACID (HNO₃) PRESERVED BOTTLE	
Iron	14 days
Manganese	14 days
Hardness	14 days
****All can go in one bottle****	
120ML STERILIZED SODIUM THIOSULFATE PRESERVED BOTTLE W/SCREW TOP	
Total Coliform	30 hours
PLASTIC 500ML SULFURIC ACID (H₂SO₄) PRESERVED BOTTLE	
Nitrate	28 days
3- 40ML SODIUM THIOSULFATE VIALS	
TTHM	14 days
****NO headspace!****	
AMBER GLASS 240ML AMMONIUM CHLORIDE	
HAA5	14 days
3- 40ML ASCORBIC ACID VIALS	
Chlorinated VOC	14 days
****Add 8 drops HCl****	
****NO headspace!****	
3- 40ML HYDROCHLORIC ACID (HCL) VIALS	
Non-chlorinated VOC	14 days
****NO headspace!****	
2-AMBER GLASS 1000ML SODIUM SULFITE	
SOC	14 days
****Add 1 vial HCl****	
PLASTIC 500ML (1/EA)- UNPRESERVED, HNO₃, ASCORBIC ACID + NAOH	
Inorganics	14 days
Sb, As, Ba, Be, Cd, Cr, Hg, Ni, Se, Tl, Cyanide, Fluoride	