



WAYNE COUNTY  
**Health Department**

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**Starting October 28, 2024**

**The Wayne County Health Department will start testing Private Well Water**

- \$25 must be paid to the Wayne County Health Department prior to scheduling.
- Customer must pay the Lab directly for testing
- We will only test drinking water.
- We will not test ground water and pool water.
- Testing will be scheduled on defined days, and we will not test on any days not defined.

***Please contact the WCHD to schedule your test***

***765-973-9245 ext. 1286 or 1511***



## **Health Department Well Testing**

The Wayne County Health Department (WCHD) offers private drinking well water testing services for county residents. This service is designed to ensure that your well water meets safety standards and is free from harmful contaminants. By testing your water, we can help identify any potential health risks and provide guidance on necessary actions if issues are found. Residents can contact the Health Department to schedule testing and receive further information on maintaining safe drinking water from private wells.

### **Cost:**

- The WCHD charges a \$25 administrative fee in addition to the lab cost. The lab cost is paid directly to the lab by the property owner or representative. **There is no courier fee.**
- The lab sets the price for each test.
  - **Nitrate \$27.00**
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  - Fluoride \$27.00
  - Sulfate \$35.00
  - Arsenic \$30.00
  - Lead \$30.00
  - Copper \$20.00
  - Iron \$25.00
  - Manganese \$20.00
  - Sodium \$20.00
  - **Total Coliform (Present/Absent) (including Fecal Coliform & E. coli) \$25.00**
  - **Total Coliform w/Count (MPN) including Fecal Coliform & E.coli \$35.00**

### **Testing**

- Testing must be scheduled with the WCHD by calling 765-973-9245 ext. 1286 or 1511
- The \$25.00 administrative fee must be paid to the WCHD prior to the scheduled test.
- A property owner or representative must be present during testing.
- **The property owner or representative must remove the aerator from the sink faucet. The WCHD will not remove or reinstall the faucet aerator.**
- **We will not test swimming pools or groundwater, only private well water.**

### **Lab**

- The WCHD will use Hoosier Microbiological Laboratories (HML) for testing.
- 3304 N Linden St. Muncie, IN 47304
- (765) 288-1124 *Questions on pricing and results.*
- <https://hml.com/>