

The following are labs that have offered water sample bottles to Grant County Health District for the public:

Bacteria & Nitrate Testing Information:

Cost:

Cascade Analytical, Inc. 3019 GS Center Rd. Wenatchee, Wa. 98801 (509) 662-1888 1-800-545-4206	Testing Monday thru Thursday	Nitrate \$42.00 Bacteria \$25.00
	Courier pick-up service Mon-Thur returned to Ephrata GCHD by 12:00 pm Client may deliver to Cascade Analytical by 5 pm Mon-Thur	

Kuo Testing Labs, Inc. 337 South 1st Othello, Wa. 99344 (509) 488-0112 1-800-328-0112	Samples must be received by 5:00pm at Kuo Testing Monday thru Thursday	Nitrate \$25.00 Bacteria \$21.00
	Courier pick-up at the Health District in Moses Lake on Monday thru Thursday by 12:00pm Ephrata on Tuesday ONLY by 12:00pm	

A.V. Labs, Inc. 64 N Broadway Ave Othello, WA 99344 (509) 488-2468	Courier pick-up at the Health District in Moses Lake Tuesdays & Thursdays by 12:00pm Client may deliver to lab on Friday by 4:30 pm	Nitrate \$20.00 Bacteria \$20.00

Nitrate Testing Information ONLY:

Soiltest Farm Consultants, Inc. 2925 Driggs Drive Moses Lake, Wa. 98837 (off of I-90, Exit 176) (509) 765-1622 1-800-764-1622	Samples must be received by 5:00pm Monday thru Thursday <u>Delivered in person only</u>	\$20.00

Instructions For Filling Water Sample Containers:

1. Remove screen and aerator from faucet.
2. Run water for 3 to 6 minutes.
3. Open the container
 Do not use if the seal is broken.
 Do not rinse out the container.
4. Fill Bacteria container to 100 ml mark and Nitrate container to top.
5. Complete **ALL** information on forms that applies to your well or water system.

All water samples should be kept cold in a cooler or baggy with ice, but do not freeze. Water samples should be taken right before delivering to the lab or Health District office. (Samples should not exceed 24 hour holding period.)

Please do not use your own bottles or jars to take water samples, they have not been sterilized properly and could cause false results. This means you would have to retest and pay the cost again.

For Water Availability applications:

For a private well the health department needs a copy of your well log, bacteria, and nitrate samples with satisfactory results. The following are names and telephone numbers where you may be able to get a copy of your well log:

- * Washington State Department of Ecology
Eastern Regional Office
N. 4601 Monroe St. Suite 100
Spokane, WA. 99205-1295
(509) 329-3400 TTY Only (Speech and Hearing Impaired) (509) 458-2055
<http://apps.ecy.wa.gov/welllog/>

You will need your Section, Township, and Range of your property for DOE to find a copy.

- * The well driller that installed the well.
- * The Health District office in Ephrata has a very limited number of well logs on file and may have a copy.

If you are going to be connected to a community water system you will need to contact the purveyor (manager) of the water system and obtain all of the information required on the water availability form.

**If you have any questions please call the Grant County Health District or the lab that you intend to deliver to. Ephrata Office: 754-6060 or 1-800-708-6646
Moses Lake: 766-7960 or 1-800-708-6651**