

Instructions for Home Tap Sample Collection

The samples collected are to determine contaminate levels in your tap water. **It is important to collect samples from a faucet that has not been used for a minimum of 8 hours.**

1. There must be a minimum of 8 hours where there is no water used from the tap where the sample is collected from. Early morning is the best sampling time.
2. You can use other water in the home during this time of no use.
3. Test your primary faucet used for drinking water and food preparation.
4. Use cold water only.
5. Do not intentionally flush the water line. You will want to collect the very first drops of water into the sample container.
6. Place opened sample container under the faucet. Turn on faucet and fill the container to the shoulder of the bottle not overfilling the container.
7. Tightly cap the bottle.
8. Label your container and paperwork with the same sample name, date and time.
9. Return the container to Analytical Resources LLC. with paperwork.
10. ARI collects payment upon sample receipt. It normally takes about ten business days to perform the analysis and issue the report. Reports are issued via email.

If you have any questions, please call Phillip Bates at 206-695-6212.

To be completed by resident.

Water was last used: Date: _____ Time: _____

Sample was collected: Date: _____ Time: _____

Street Address: _____

Sample Location and Faucet (e.g. Kitchen Sink) _____

Printed Name: _____ Phone: _____

Email: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____