

UPDATE: INITIAL MONITORING REDUCTIONS
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Please note that the Bureau of Safe Drinking Water (Bureau) is reviewing a large volume of monitoring schedules for possible reductions. The Bureau is working through this as quickly as possible and is asking water systems to review the information below before contacting us regarding monitoring reductions.

123TCP, EDB, and DBCP: Initial monitoring reductions have been granted to most eligible systems at this time. The Bureau of Safe Drinking Water (Bureau) will be reviewing the schedules for those systems that recently submitted 4th quarter data and will be issuing reductions to eligible systems shortly. Therefore, water systems do not need to request a reduction at this time. Any water system with four (4) consecutive quarters of non-detected results for 123TCP, EDB, and DBCP may be eligible for an initial reduction.

Radiologicals (Nontransient noncommunity water systems): We anticipate updating monitoring schedules within the next 2 weeks. Letters will be sent out shortly thereafter.

Perfluorononanoic acid (PFNA): The Bureau will be reviewing these monitoring schedules and granting reductions to eligible systems as soon as possible. Any water system with four (4) consecutive quarters of non-detected results for PFNA may be eligible for an initial reduction. If a water system collects a 1st quarter sample and is subsequently granted a monitoring reduction to annual, that 1st quarter sample will satisfy the annual requirement.

If you believe that your system is eligible for a reduction for any of the above analytes and have not received a notification from the Bureau by March 15, 2020 please contact the Bureau at (609) 292-5550 and ask for your County Manager.

Please note that If your water system has incurred a Monitoring & Reporting violation for any of these contaminants, you will not receive an initial monitoring reduction. Additionally, if your water system has had any detections for 123-TCP/EDB/DBCP or PFNA you will not receive an automatic reduction. The Bureau will be posting a form for these systems to use to request monitoring reductions.