PRIVATE WATER SYSTEM

MAINTENANCE & TIPS

GET A CONTRACTOR

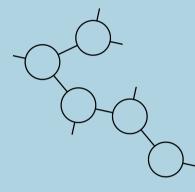


Always use a **registered** contractor to construct a well, install a pump, and for other service needs.

ANNUAL MAINTENANCE

Have an annual maintenance check that includes a bacterial test. Test for Total Coliform and E.Coli.





CHEMICALS

Be sure to keep hazardous chemicals far away from the well. This includes materials such as paint, fertilizers, pesticides, motor oil, etc.

PROPER SEPARATION

Maintain proper distance between the well and buildings, waste systems, and chemical storage facilities.





BE CAUTIOUS

When mowing or working near the well, be sure to not cause any damage to the well cap. Avoid piling yardwaste or snow on the cap, as well.

KEEP RECORDS

Keep and maintain all records related to your water system in a safe place.



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