GROUND WATER UNDER DIRECT INFLUENCE OF SURFACE WATER GROUND WATER AT RISK OF CONTAINING PATHOGENS



Flowchart:



WATER SYSTEM NAME:	WELL NAME:	
BC MoE Well ID Plate Number:	BC MoE Aquifer: / 🗆	none / 🗖 unknown
Well Log: DExamined DAttached DN/A	Sanitary Survey Conducted	Verbal / Measured
Latitude: ° N , Lon	gitude:° W	
Well Depth: 🗖 feet or 🗖 metres	below ground <i>or</i> 🗖 unknown	
Water Level in Well:	Imetres below ground <i>or</i> Dunknown	
Well Casing Diameter:	<i>or</i> □mm or □unknown	





STAGE 1: SCREENING TOOL CHECKLIST FOR GUDI/GARP

RISK FACTORS and CRITERIA	At Risk	Low Risk	Unknown	Comments
AQUIFER TYPE and SETTING				
Shallow well with intake depth < 15m below ground	_			PHE can review well log / mapped aquifers.
and in an unconfined aquifer, or any karst well [e.g. sand & gravel or bedrock from intake to surface]				Aquifer
WELL LOCATION				* Public Health Act, Health Hazards Regulation
Well situated inside setback distances of the HHR* or from a possible source of contamination <i>incl. septic</i> [contam: 30 m ; dwelling: 6 m ; dump: 120 m; septic system 300 m]				Separation from known <i>Contaminant Sources</i> Setbacks
Well located within 150m of high water mark or natural boundary of surface water feature [e.g. top of bank], and with intake < 15m below either: a) ground surface (i.e. "shallow" well) or b) normal water level (NWL)				Separation from <i>Surface Water Bodies</i> Refer to Figure below. 15m guideline may be <i>increased</i> (sand) or <i>decreased</i> (clay) depending on the surrounding soil type.
WELL CONSTRUCTION				** Ground Water Protection Regulation
does <i>not</i> meet GWPR** (s7) re <i>surface sealing</i> . [5 m sealant underground along casing, no visible gaps at surface]				Disregard if SW cannot reach the wellhead. Seal
does <i>not</i> meet GWPR (s10) re <i>well cap/cover</i> . [secure cap/cover, prevent entry by people or animals, stop artesian flow]				"Secure" \rightarrow not removable by hand Cap
does not meet GWPR (s11) re <i>floodproofing</i> . [prevent contam entering, well pit/house must drain or have sump pump, grading to prevent ponding of water at wellhead]				Flood
does <i>not</i> meet GWPR (s11) re <i>wellhead protection</i> . [protect from physical damage, stickup 0.3 m above ground/floor, no plastic casing at ground]				Stickup
WATER QUALITY RESULTS				
Well shows recurring unsatisfactory bacti results. [any <u>confirmed</u> <i>E.coli</i> or e.g. ≥3 total coliforms in last 24 samples]				[usually requires >24 samples] Bacti
Water system has seasonal turbidity problems associated with the well. $[e.g. \geq 5 \text{ NTU }^*]$				Turbidity
Water system has a confirmed history of disease outbreaks associated with surface water pathogens. [check paper file, HealthSpace, experienced staff]				[none in NH pre-2014] Outbreaks



* If new well has high turbidity, mark "unknown" and recommend redevelopment & resampling.



Did any risk factor suggest that the system is At Risk (as opposed to Low Risk or Unknown)?

- □ If **Yes** then consider disinfection or remediation (see remediation options below), or
 - □ proceed to Stage 2/3 Hydrogeological Investigation.
- □ If **Unknown** because information is unavailable for any factor(s) or criteria of the assessment, then *consider* moving to Stage 2/3 Hydrogeological Investigation.
- □ If **No**, move to Stage 4 Long-term Water Quality Monitoring.

Remediation Options:

- Disinfection to meet Health Authority surface water treatment objectives requirements (43210)
- Disinfection to meet Health Authority groundwater treatment objectives
- Disinfection to meet Health Authority "virus only" groundwater treatment objectives
- Provide alternate source of water
- □ Well alteration / correct deficiencies in well construction
- Relocate the well
- □ Eliminate source(s) of contamination
- Stage 2 Preliminary Hydrogeological Investigation
 Specific concerns
- □ Stage 4 Long-term Water Quality Monitoring
- Other

Assessment Comments:

Completed by:	DATE:	
Health Authority Review Comments:		
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