

ATTENTION

NEW UNIT 30 SAMPLE CONTAINER FOR BACTERIA TESTING

Effective June 24, 2019, the Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy (EGLE) Drinking Water Laboratory is sending out a newly designed Unit 30 bacteriological sample bottle to our customers. This new bottle with two fill lines will help provide clearer guidance to properly submit Unit 30 sample bottles for bacteriological testing. We understand that some of our customers may still have the older style bottle without two lines. The illustration below demonstrates the proper fill range using the older style bottle on the left and the new style bottle on the right.

Effective September 24, 2019, the EGLE Drinking Water Laboratory will no longer accept samples that are overfilled above the 100ml line using the older style one-fill line bottle or above the MAX FILL line using the new style two-line bottle. Samples that are underfilled below the 100ml line for either bottle are also rejected for analysis.

Please see below diagram and guidance on how to fill your bacteriological sample bottle to ensure acceptance for testing. Contact the EGLE Drinking Water Laboratory at **517-335-8184** or with additional questions regarding this new sample bottle.

