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## Cottage Food Operators on Private Wells Water Sampling Information

The following must be sampled and results provided to EHD prior to registration/permit:

<b>Name of Test</b>	<b>Testing Frequency</b>
Total Coliform Bacteria (Fecal Coliform & E-Coli)	Initially and quarterly
Nitrate as NO <sub>3</sub>	Initially and annually
Nitrite	Initially and every three years

Obtain the services of a State-certified laboratory to perform water sampling, analysis and reporting services. Approved laboratories are listed at the following California Department of Public Health link:

<http://www.cdph.ca.gov/certlic/labs/Documents/ELAPLablist.xls>

Laboratory results must be provided to:

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