

Well Water Testing, Certified Water Labs

**MN Administrative Rule 9502.0445. Subpart 1. Water**

There must be a safe water supply in the residence. **Water from privately owned wells must be tested annually** by a Minnesota Health Department certified laboratory for **coliform bacteria and nitrate nitrogens** to verify safety. The provider shall file a record of the test results with the agency. Retesting and corrective measures may be required by the agency if results exceed state drinking water standards or where the supply may be subject to off-site contamination.

Water Testing clients are referred to the following certified water testing laboratories. Please contact them directly.

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| **Minnesota Department of Health**  Accredited Labs in Minnesota Accepting Drinking Water Samples from Private Well Users <https://www.health.state.mn.us/communities/environment/water/docs/wells/waterquality/labmap.pdf> | |
| **Traut Water Analysis Lab** | **Hubbard County Soil Water** |
| 32640 County Road 133 | 603 North Central Ave, Suite 100 |
| St. Joseph, MN 56374 | Park Rapids, MN 56470 |
| 320-251-5090 | 218-732-0121 ext. 4 |
| <https://www.trautcompanies.com/services/residential/water-analysis-lab> | <https://www.hubbardswcd.org/portfolio/monthly-nitrate->[testing-for-private-wells-at-the-swcd-office/](https://www.hubbardswcd.org/portfolio/monthly-nitrate-testing-for-private-wells-at-the-swcd-office/) |
| **A.W. Research Laboratories** | **Water Laboratories Inc.** |
| 314 Charles Street | 333 East Main St |
| Brainerd, MN 56401 | Elk River MN 55330 |
| 218-829-7974 | 763-441-7509 |
| <https://awlab.com/> | <https://waterlabs.net/> |
| **RMB Environmental Lab** | **Steven M. Traut Wells** |
| 22796 County Highway 6 | 754 Cross Country Lane SW |
| Detroit Lakes, MN | Alexandria, MN 56308 |
| 218-846-1465 | 320-762-1528 |
| [https://www.rmbel.com/#gsc.tab=0](https://www.rmbel.com/#gsc.tab%3D0) | <https://www.trautwellsalex.com/> |
| **AC Analytical & Consulting LLC** |  |
| PO Box 248 |
| Bemidji, MN 56619 |
| 218-243-3328 |
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