

APPENDIX 2. NOTIFICATION TEMPLATE

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER

Este informe contiene información muy importante sobre su agua potable.
Por favor hable con alguien que lo pueda traducir.

Bacteriological Monitoring Requirements Not Met for Quaker Center During December 2017

Our water system recently violated a drinking water standard. Although this is not an emergency, as our customers, you have a right to know what happened, what you should do, and what we did to correct the situation.

We are required to monitor your drinking water for specific contaminants on a regular basis. Results of regular monitoring are an indicator of whether or not our drinking water meets health standards. During December 2017, we did not meet all monitoring requirements for bacteria and therefore cannot be sure of the quality of our drinking water during that time.

What should I do?

- **You do not need to boil your water or take other corrective actions.**
- The table below lists the contaminant we did not properly test for during December 2017, how many samples we are required to take and how often, how many samples we took, when samples should have been taken, and the date on which follow-up samples were taken.

Contaminant	Required sampling frequency	Number of samples taken	When all samples should have been taken	When samples were taken
Coliform	4 distribution repeats following a routine total coliform positive result	1 routine sample	4 distribution repeats & 1 sample from Well 01 were due sampled during December 2017	5 distribution samples & 1 sample from Well 01 were collected during January 2018

- If you have health issues concerning the consumption of this water, you may wish to consult your doctor.

What happened? What is being done? It is likely that a routine sample was contaminated, during the collection process at the hose bib or via a contaminated sample bottle. Quaker Center collected five distribution samples and one well sample during January of 2018 in order to ensure that the contaminated sample was not representative of the system as a whole and that the contamination was an isolated event.

The problem has been resolved. The required four repeat distribution samples and one Well 01 sample were not collected within 24 hours of notification of the positive total coliform result in December 2017. This resulted in a citation being issued. Correct number of routine samples were taken in January 2018.

For more information, please contact:

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Please share this information with all the other people who drink this water, especially those who may not have received this notice directly (for example, people in apartments, nursing homes, schools, and businesses). You can do this by posting this public notice in a public place or distributing copies by hand or mail.

Secondary Notification Requirements

Upon receipt of notification from a person operating a public water system, the following notification must be given within 10 days [Health and Safety Code Section 116450(g)]:

- **SCHOOLS:** Must notify school employees, students, and parents (if the students are minors).
- **RESIDENTIAL RENTAL PROPERTY OWNERS OR MANAGERS** (including nursing homes and care facilities): Must notify tenants.
- **BUSINESS PROPERTY OWNERS, MANAGERS, OR OPERATORS:** Must notify employees of businesses located on the property.

This notice is being sent to you by the Quaker Center water system in compliance with the California Domestic Water Quality and Monitoring Regulations as a means of keeping the public informed.

State Water System ID: [4400701](#).

Date distributed: [April 12, 2018](#)

APPENDIX 3. COMPLIANCE CERTIFICATION

Citation Number: 02_05_18C_002

Name of Water System: Quaker Center

System Number: 4400701

Certification

I certify that the users of the water supplied by this water system were notified of the bacteriological monitoring violation of California Code of Regulations, Title 22, Sections 64424(a)(1) and 64430 for the compliance period of December 2017 and the required actions listed below were completed.

Required Action	Date Completed
<i>(Citation Directive 2) Public Notification Method(s) Used:</i>	
<i>(Citation Directive 4) Complete and Submit Level 1 Assessment</i>	

Signature of Water System Representative

Date

Attach a copy of the public notice distributed to the water system's customers.

THIS FORM MUST BE COMPLETED AND RETURNED TO THE STATE WATER BOARD, DIVISION OF DRINKING WATER, NO LATER THAN [APRIL 23, 2018](#)

Disclosure: Be advised that the California Health and Safety Code, Sections 116725 and 116730 state that any person who knowingly makes any false statement on any report or document submitted for the purpose of compliance with the Safe Drinking Water Act may be liable for, respectively, a civil penalty not to exceed five thousand dollars (\$5,000) for each separate violation or, for continuing violations, for each day that violation continues, or be punished by a fine of not more than \$25,000 for each day of violation, or by imprisonment in the county jail not to exceed one year, or by both the fine and imprisonment.