

Dyer County Board of Education

Monitoring:

Review: **Annually, In
October**

Descriptor Term:

District Water Testing

Descriptor Code:

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Rescinds:

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1 *General*

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3 All district facilities built before January 1, 1998 shall be tested for lead in drinking water every two
4 (2) years.¹

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6 The Director of Schools shall develop appropriate administrative procedures to facilitate this testing
7 and address any necessary corrective action.

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9 **RESPONSE TO TESTING RESULTS¹**

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11 If test results show that lead levels exceed fifteen parts per billion (15 bbp) but are below twenty parts
12 per billion (20 bbp), that school shall conduct lead level tests on an annual basis. This shall continue
13 until tests show that the lead levels are under fifteen parts per billion (15 bbp).

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15 If test results show that lead levels equal or exceed twenty parts per billion (20 bbp), the school shall
16 immediately remove the drinking water source from service. The drinking water source shall not be
17 available for use until retesting confirms the water lead level does not exceed twenty parts per billion
18 (20 bbp). If corrective action is taken, retesting shall occur within ninety (90) days.

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20 The Director of Schools/designee shall notify the appropriate authorities within twenty-four (24) hours
21 of a test result showing that lead levels equal or exceed twenty parts per billion (20 bbp).
22 Parent(s)/guardian(s) shall be notified within five (5) business days of such test result

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Legal References

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