

## **Tier 3 Frac. Parameters Well Sampling Instructions**

Well water to be tested for the recommended Tier 3 parameters should be collected from a non-treated point. Prior to all softening, reverse osmosis, carbon filters, or any other devices that treat your well water. A good recommended point of sampling is an outside spigot these are usually not treated prior to using this point double check to make sure this is true. Prior to filling the bottles you will want to open the spigot all the way and let the water flow for approximately 5 to 10 minutes to be sure that you are actually collecting water from the well and not what was sitting in the holding tank. Slow the flow of the water so that you do not overflow the bottles and remove any preservatives. Put on the gloves provided for sampling. Some of the bottles contain acids in small quantities please take caution when filling. Fill all bottles to the top. Make sure there are no air bubbles in the smaller vials for BTEX analysis. Once filled place bottles back into the bag. Make sure to fill out the chain of custody with the location, sampling point, date, time, and testing requirements. Place all samples in cooler with ice. Samples to be picked up by our courier service can be placed in a refrigerator until they are picked up. Any questions or concerns please feel free to contact us.

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Sincerely,

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