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Legionella Testing

Legionella bacteria killing thousands of people each year is a prime example of how properly monitoring water quality helps prevent many deaths and many more illnesses. Legionella is a common bacteria that thrives in cooling towers and can be transferred to the public by the aerosol droplets produced by the cooling towers which are then inhaled by people in that area. Monitoring for the legionella bacteria is the only way to know for sure that treatments used to eliminate the bacterial growth have been, and continue to be successful.

The **Legiolert test method offered by Accurate Labs is superior to current methods being used.** Less complicated procedures and no need for analyst identification leads to **more accurate and precise** concentrations being reported. **Stringent quality control standards** ensure that all data produced by **Accurate Labs** is always the highest quality possible. Be certain you are protecting the public from harmful Legionella by monitoring your water with the best testing method currently available.

Reminder: E. Coli Monitoring

Schedule IV systems should have begun monitoring for E. Coli in October 2017. If you operate a public water system using surface water or ground water under the direct influence of surface water and serving fewer than 10,000 people, then you are part of this group. This EPA program will determine if monitoring for cryptosporidium is needed, and whether additional treatment will be required.

Due to the relatively **short holding time for E. Coli samples (30 hours)**, it is important to **communicate with Accurate Labs to coordinate your sampling and drop off or pick up times**, while still allowing enough time for analysis within the limited time frame. *This is even more important if Accurate Environmental Field Services will be picking up your samples.*

If you have any questions about **Accurate Labs'** testing services, need a quote, or need to coordinate your sampling plan with your testing needs, **contact Danny Chance at**

Danny@accuratelabs.com or call **(800) 516-5227.**



**Congratulations
Tom Prag!**



Hard work pays off. Tom scored a 100% on his "D" Wastewater Operator exam in December. Thanks to his efforts, Tom has earned a free class from Accurate Training Center for his outstanding performance.

Great job, Tom!



To learn more about the wide range of services offered by Accurate Environmental, visit us on the web at

www accuratelabs.com

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Accurate Stillwater Operator/Lab Classes

D Water & Wastewater Operator

February 6 – 8, March 6 – 8, April 3 – 5

C Water Operator

March 12 – 13

C Wastewater Operator

February 12 – 13

A/B Wastewater Operator

April 9 – 12

C Water Laboratory

April 23 – 26

C Wastewater Laboratory

February 19 – 22

A/B Water Laboratory

February 26 – March 1

Open Exam Sessions

February 2, March 2, April 6

Accurate Tulsa Operator Classes

D Water & Wastewater Operator

February 20 – 22, March 27 – 29, April 17 – 19

C Water Operator

February 14 – 15

C Wastewater Operator

March 14 – 15

B Water Operator

March 19 – 22

Open Exam Sessions

February 9, March 9, April 13

IMPORTANT: Certification exams are offered on the last day of class. You must submit an exam application to the ODEQ at least 3 weeks before your scheduled test date. Copies of the DEQ application can be downloaded from the Accurate Labs and Training Center website at

www accuratelabs.com/training-center

You can also register for classes online, download copies of the DEQ operator study guides and lab manuals, and explore the wide range of services Accurate offers.

For more information, or to register for training contact Jeff Clarke at (800) 516-5227 or email Jeff@accuratelabs.com