

Taking Water Samples

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Hazards Present:	PPE or Devices Required:	Additional Training Required:
Sample Contamination	Safety Boots	
Spill/Leaks	High Vis Vest	
Incorrect Records	Hard Hat	

Safe Work Procedure:

- 1) If required attach a clean plastic hose to flushing port
- 2) Inspect for leaks as the line is turned on
- 3) Allow line to flush for a minute to wash out any contamination
- 4) Open sample bottle with finger, take care not to touch mouth of bottle
- 5) Fill sample bottle from mid-stream on the top of the flow, keep away from face
- 6) Close the bottle ASAP to not allow contaminants to contact water
- 7) Record location, time and date of sample on bottle

If an emergency situation occurs while conducting this task, or there is an equipment malfunction, engage the emergency stop and follow the lock out procedure

REPORT ANY HAZARDOUS SITUATIONS TO YOUR SUPERVISOR

<p style="text-align: center;">Guidance Documents/Standards:</p> <p>MB Workplace Safety & Health Act & Regulations:</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Part 6 Personal Protective Equipment</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">This Safe Work Procedure will be reviewed any time the task, equipment or materials change and at a minimum of every three years</p> <p>Reviewed By WSH Committee:</p> <p>Date:</p>
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