



Revised Total Coliform Rule Requirements for Various Noncommunity Public Water Systems

(Three types of Seasonal; Non-Seasonal)

Type of System	Depressurized Seasonal	Partially-Depressurized Seasonal	Fully-Pressurized Year-Round Seasonal: closed for 90+ days*	Not Seasonal	
Description	Drains all waterlines in off-season	Partly drains waterlines in off-season	Never drains waterlines; <u>No access</u> to water during off-season	Never drains waterlines; <u>Access</u> to water during off-season	
Examples	Campground that drains all waterlines in winter	Golf course that drains waterline to restroom near tee 9 in winter	Ice cream shop closes in winter and has <u>no access</u> to water during off-season	Drive-in theater closes in winter but has <u>access</u> to water during off-season	
Required Total Coliform Sampling	Once/month (when open)	Operating season: Once/month Off-season: Once/quarter	Once/quarter (when open)	Once/quarter	
Example total coliform monitoring schedule if system's operating season is 4/1 to 10/31					
1st Quarter	Jan	x	Sample & Start-Up Procedure (includes Special Purpose sample)	Complete Simplified Start-Up Procedure, if required in writing by Ohio EPA	Sample
	Feb	x			Sample
	Mar	Start-Up Procedure (includes Special Purpose sample)			Sample
2nd Quarter	Apr	Sample	Sample	Sample	Sample
	May	Sample	Sample		Sample
	Jun	Sample	Sample		Sample
3rd Quarter	Jul	Sample	Sample	Sample	Sample
	Aug	Sample	Sample		Sample
	Sep	Sample	Sample		Sample
4th Quarter	Oct	Sample	Sample	Sample	Sample
	Nov	x	October sample counts for 4 th quarter		Sample
	Dec	x			Sample

*This PWS is only required to monitor in the quarters when serving water to the public. If the 90+ days falls in between two quarters, the PWS would be required to sample in all 4 quarters. For example, if the system is closed from October 15th until March 1st (closed 106 days), the PWS would be required to monitor in all 4 quarters because it was open in October for the 4th quarter and open in March for the 1st quarter. If the 90+ days encompass an entire quarter, then no sample is required during that quarter. For example, if the system is closed from October 15th until April 1st (closed 137 days), then no sample is required in the 1st quarter because no one has access to the water during the entire 1st quarter (i.e., January through March).