

Provincial Legislation

Minimum Distance To	From	Distance (m)	Notes
Probable Source of Contamination	Drinking Water Well	30	Health Hazards Reg s. 8(1)(a)
Private Dwelling	Drinking Water Well	6	Health Hazards Reg s. 8(1)(b)
Cemetery or Dump	Drinking Water Well	120	Health Hazards Reg s. 8(1)(c)
Drinking Water Well	Holding Tank	15	Sewerage System Reg s. 3.1(2)(a)
Drinking Water Well	Sewerage System	30	Sewerage System Reg s. 3.1(2)(b) Reductions allowed: SSR 3.1(3) by professional assurance letter
Drinking Water Well	Existing Drinking Water Well	15	GWPR s.18(1) Unless same owner or existing well is not in use

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source of probable enteric viral contamination	Drinking Water Well	300	B4: source of probable enteric viral contamination without a barrier to viral transport

Standard Practice Manual (version 3) (note: Holding Tanks are NOT governed by the SPM)

Minimum Distance To	From Dispersal System (m)	From Watertight Treatment or Pump Tank (m)	Notes
Surface Drinking Water	30	15	
Domestic Water Well	30	30	Includes excavated, dug, or drilled wells
High Pumping Rate Water Well (Unconfined Aquifer)	60 (90)	30(30)	High pumping rate: supplying more than 500 persons OR pumped at 190L/min for more than 3 months
Drinking Water Suction Line	30	15	Sleeved line values are 7.5 and 3, respectively
Drinking Water Pressure Line	3	3	Sleeved line values are 1 and 1, respectively
Below Ground Cistern	15	3	
Above Ground Cistern	1	1	
Permanent Fresh Water Body	30	10	Distance to high water mark
Intermittent Fresh Water Body	15	10	Distance to high water mark
Marine Water Body	15	7.5	Distance to mean high tide
Break-out Point or Downslope Drain	7.5	0	Includes a perimeter drain.
Property Lines	3	1	
Building without perimeter drain	1	1	Includes swimming pool
Other dispersal system	6	3	
Buried Utility	1	1	Gas, storm, power, cable, phone