



# BOIL WATER ADVISORY

## HANDWASHING STATION REQUIREMENTS

When a fecal indicator is found in water that is an indication that the current water treatment is not effectively removing harmful waterborne microorganisms from the water.

To safely use the water for handwashing in your area, follow these guidelines.



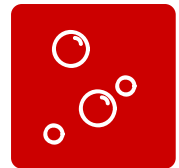
### Potable Clean Water

Use treated or bottled water with a constant flow for washing with two hands



### Coolers or Jugs

Clean coolers or jugs with free-flow spigot and a catch basin



### Soap and Paper Towels

Have a trash can available

## Cleaning a Water Jug

1. Sanitize with 2 tbsp of unscented bleach in 1 gallon of water – Slosh to cover all surfaces.
2. Let stand 5 minutes and drain. Do not rinse.
3. Fill with potable water.

For more details, see Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's Drinking Water Advisory Communication Toolbox, [go.ncsu.edu/cdcwateradvisory](https://go.ncsu.edu/cdcwateradvisory)

For questions and specific information, contact your local Environmental Health Department