

# WELL CHLORINATION PROCEDURE

## Private Water Well

1. Make sure the entire family knows that they will be without water for 24 hours. Set water aside for emergency use.
2. Bypass the water conditioning equipment and shut off the Reverse Osmosis System.
3. Carefully remove cover from well and pour 1 gallon of 12% chlorine or liquid pool shock into well. It is also beneficial to add a few small chlorine tablets. Be careful around the electrical equipment for the pump.
4. Place garden hose into well and run for ½ hour. This will circulate the solution throughout the entire well system.
5. Open the cold water faucets only throughout the home until chlorine odor is noticed. Do not run excessive amounts of chlorine into the septic system. Flush toilets twice.
6. No water should be used for 24 hours. Toilets can be used sparingly.
7. After contact time, flush system by running hose outside away from lawn and shrubbery. Continue running water until clear and free of chlorine odor. Let run approximately 1 hour or more.
8. After system is flushed run all cold water faucets in home until chlorine odor is gone.
9. Now water conditioning equipment can be returned to service.

**THIS PROCEDURE MAY BE REQUIRED AGAIN DEPENDING ON THE AMOUNT OF FOREIGN MATERIAL IN THE WATER SYSTEM. IT IS ADVISED BY MANY HEALTH AUTHORITIES THAT THE ABOVE PROCEDURE BE PERFORMED YEARLY.**

**THIS PROCEDURE IS PROVIDED AS A PUBLIC SERVICE TO PROMOTE SAFE AND CLEAN PRIVATE WATER SUPPLIES.**

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