

## INTRODUCTION TO MARCH 2020 DRINKING WATER SAMPLING REPORTS

The following reports are from a sampling event in March 2020 where samples of drinking water were collected at representative fixtures throughout the Goodfellow Federal Center. A total of 126 samples were collected from within 15 buildings. Samples were analyzed for lead and copper, as per the EPA Lead and Copper Rule. The testing was part of GSA's continual check for drinking water quality, which occurs at least twice a year. All but 2 samples resulted in levels less than the Action Levels for lead and copper. There was one sink where the sample exceeded the Action Level for lead and one drinking fountain where the sample exceeded the Action Level for copper. Both of these fixtures were taken out of service as soon as the sample results were available. The drinking fountain is scheduled for replacement, but the sink will be permanently removed. Follow-up sampling of the drinking water will be performed after installation of the fixture is completed.

If you have any questions concerning these data, please email [r6environmental@gsa.gov](mailto:r6environmental@gsa.gov) and GSA will provide responses from the appropriate experts.