Dental waterline test log

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Office: Treatment product and testing interval (from the IFU): Year:

Date sampled	Operatory or unit	Sample from (syringe, handpiece line)	Test type (in-office kit or lab)	Kit or lab lot no.	Date of result	Result (CFU/mL)	Pass (500 or less) Y/N	Action taken if failed	Retest date and result	Initials

CDC recommends dental unit water meet the EPA drinking water standard: 500 CFU/mL or less of heterotrophic bacteria. Test as often as your equipment or treatment manufacturer recommends and any state rule requires. After a failed test, treat the unit per the manufacturer's instructions and retest right away. Use sterile water or saline for surgical procedures. Source: CDC, Best Practices for Dental Unit Water Quality.