

Public Water Supply Type Summary

Public Water Supply: Any water supply serving drinking water to other than a single family residence.

Type I or Community: Year-round water service to 25 or more residents, or 15 or more service connections. Examples are municipal systems, apartments, mobile home parks.

Type II or Noncommunity: Non-residential water supplies that serve water for drinking or "household" purposes to at least 25 persons per day at least 60 days per year or have at least 15 service connections.

Type IIa: Average daily water production for the maximum month greater than or equal to 20,000 gallons per day. Examples are large seasonal resorts (possibly those with golf courses) and industries.

Type IIb: All other Type II supplies. Average daily water production for the maximum month is less than 20,000 gallons per day. Examples are food service establishments, campgrounds, many golf courses, potentially lawn care companies that are not served by municipal water.

Type II wells may be transient or nontransient:

Type II nontransient water supplies routinely serve the same 25 or more people on a daily basis at least six months per year. Examples are schools, daycare centers, offices and other work sites.

Type II transient water supplies (noncommunity) serve 25 or more people any 60 days per year. Examples include motels/restaurants with less than 25 employees, churches, and parks.

Type III: All public water supplies which are not Type I or Type II. Examples are small businesses, gas stations, Grade A dairies.