

Chichester Raw Water Quality Data - November 2017

Chichester Raw Water is not suitable for drinking. Chichester Raw Water is treated at Dungog Water Treatment Plant (WTP) before supplying treated drinking water to customers.

Turbidity, E. coli and Chlorine Results for Chichester Raw Water at Dusodie#

Analyte	Unit		Sample Date (week beginning)			
		ADWG guideline value*	6/11/2017	13/11/2017	20/11/2017	27/11/2017
E. coli	MPN/100mL	should not be detected in 100mL	<1	<1	<1	<1
Turbidity	NTU	5	3	2.6	2.8	2.4
Chlorine	mg/L	5	0.91	0.73	0.75	0.16

[#] Samples are collected from Chichester Trunk Gravition Main (CTGM) at Dusodie prior to treatment by Dungog WTP.

Potentially Toxic Blue Green Algae Results for Chichester Raw Water at Screens[^]

Potentially Toxic Blue Green Algae	Unit	ADWG Alert Levels	Sample Date (week beginning)			
		ADWG Aleit Levels	7/11/2017	14/11/2017	21/11/2017	28/11/2017
Dolichospermum	cells/mL	20,000	50	0	45	0
Microcystis	cells/mL	6,500	0	0	0	0

[^] Samples are collected from Chichester Screens prior to treatment by Dungog WTP.

Protozoa Results for Chichester Raw Water at Dungog WTP**

Protozoa	Unit	Sample Date (week beginning)		
		6/11/2017		
Cryptosporidium	Oocysts/10L	<1		
Giardia	Cysts/10L	<1		

^{**} Samples are collected from CTGM at Dungog WTP prior to treatment by Dungog WTP. Robust treatment processes are in place at Dungog WTP for removal of cryptosporidium and giardia.

^{*}Australian Drinking Water Guidelines 2011 (ADWG) guideline values are applicable to drinking water samples