

# **Chichester Raw Water Quality Data - September 2022**

## 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 and Chlorine Results for Chichester Raw Water at Dusodie#

Analyte			Sample Date					
	Unit	ADWG guideline value*	5/09/2022	12/09/2022	19/09/2022	26/09/2022		
Turbidity	NTU	5	21.7	18.3	14.2	12.6		
Chlorine**	mg/L	5	0	0.01	0	0		

#### E. coli Results for Chichester Raw Water at Dam Offtake Screens^

Analyte	Unit	ADWG guideline value*	Sample Date							
			5/09/2022	6/09/2022	12/09/2022	16/09/2022	19/09/2022	23/09/2022	26/09/2022	30/09/2022
E. coli	MPN/100mL	should not be detected in 100mL	816	579	81	28	10	6	20	11

#### Potentially Toxic Blue Green Algae Results for Chichester Raw Water at Dam Offtake Screens^

Potentially Toxic Blue Green Algae	Unit	ADWG Alert Levels	Sample Date					
		ADWG Aleit Levels	5/09/2022	12/09/2022	19/09/2022	26/09/2022		
Dolichospermum	cells/mL	20,000	0	0	0	0		
Microcystis	cells/mL	6,500	0	0	0	0		

#### Protozoa Results for Chichester Raw Water at Dam Offtake Screens^

Protozoa	Unit	Sample Date							
		5/09/2022	6/09/2022	12/09/2022	16/09/2022	23/09/2022	26/09/2022	30/09/2022	
Cryptosporidium	Oocysts/L	<0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	
Giardia	Cysts/L	<0.1	<0.1	0.1	<0.1	<0.1	0.1	<0.1	

<sup>#</sup> Samples are collected from Chichester Trunk Gravity Main (CTGM) at Dusodie prior to treatment by Dungog WTP.

<sup>\*</sup> Australian Drinking Water Guidelines 2011 (ADWG) guideline values are applicable to drinking water samples.

<sup>\*\*</sup> The Chlorinator is only operated periodically to assist in removal of dissolved Manganese.

<sup>^</sup> Samples are collected from Chichester Screens prior to treatment by Dungog WTP.