

State Action Levels for PFAS in Drinking Water and Ground Water

State	ACTION LEVEL, in parts per trillion (ppt)						Type	Status
	Total PFAS	PFOS	PFOA	PFHxS	PFNA	PFHpA		
NH	-	15	12	18	11	-	Enforceable Standard (MCL)	Adopted July 2019. Stayed by court pending new cost-benefit analysis
VT	20	included	included	included	included	included	Enforceable Standard (law)	Adopted May 2019 by law (S.49); MCLs must also be adopted
MA	20	included	included	included	included	included	Enforceable Standard	Adopted Dec. 2019 (ground water), proposed (as MCLs). Also includes PFDA with the other five.
NY	-	10	10	-	-	-	Enforceable Standard (MCL)	Proposed July 2019
NJ	-	13	14	-	13	-	Enforceable Standard (MCL)	Adopted Sept. 2018 (PFNA); Proposed April 2019 (PFOS, PFOA)
MI	-	16	8	51	6	-	Enforceable Standard (MCL)	Proposed Oct. 2018. Also includes MCLs for PFHxA, PFBS, and GenX
ME	-	70 (combined)		-	-	-	Advisory Level	Based on USEPA Health Advisory Level, <i>not</i> on the more protective USDHHS, ASTDR proposed levels

MCL = Maximum Contaminant Level, a drinking water standard enforceable under the Safe Drinking Water Act

Sources:

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MA: <https://www.bostonglobe.com/metro/2019/12/13/massachusetts-issues-new-standards-for-forever-chemicals-water-supply/dz25i9Sk92QfiDI5TeSJFL/story.html>

NY: <https://www.governor.ny.gov/news/governor-cuomo-announces-availability-350-million-water-system-upgrades-statewide-and-directs>

NJ: https://www.nj.gov/dep/newsrel/2019/19_0021.htm; <https://www.asdwa.org/2018/09/07/new-jersey-adopts-new-pfas-drinking-water-standard-for-pfna/>

MI: <https://www.michigan.gov/egle/0,9429,7-135--509830--,00.html>