

County	PWS #	Water System	Pop Served	Fluoridation Status	Natural F- level	Purchase ID	Date
CUYAHOGA	1800003	Bedford, City of	15,000	ADEQUATE		1801212	2003
CUYAHOGA	1800111	Berea, City of	18,970	ADJUST 1956	0.30		12/2003
CUYAHOGA	1800212	Chagrin Falls +	4,900	70% Adjusted	0.28	1801212	9/2002
CUYAHOGA	1800403	Cleveland Heights, City of	52,000	ADEQUATE		1801212	
CUYAHOGA	1800503	East Cleveland, City of	33,096	ADEQUATE		1801212	
CUYAHOGA	1800812	Greentree Water Company	70	DEFICIENT	0.33		2/2003
CUYAHOGA	1801003	Lakewood, City of	56,646	ADEQUATE		1801212	
CUYAHOGA	1801212	Cleveland Public Water System*	1,500,000	ADJUST 1956	0.15		12/2003

\* The city of Cleveland has four water plants: Baldwin, Crown, Morgan and Nottingham. All adjust the natural fluoride level to 1.0 ppm. City water plants directly serve 64 communities in the greater metropolitan area and 5 satellite systems noted on the table above. The city's website ([www.clevelandwater.com/AnnualReports/2001/facilities.htm](http://www.clevelandwater.com/AnnualReports/2001/facilities.htm)) lists the communities served by the city water system. Natural fluoride levels for all four locations are similar, since they all draw water from Lake Erie: fluoride levels of raw water were between 0.14 and 0.17 PPM in December 2003.

+ Chagrin Falls has a hybrid water system. 70% of the water is purchased from Cleveland and 30% is from wells that test 0.28 ppm. It may be advisable to contact the water system to ascertain whether your location receives fluoridated water from Cleveland or Chagrin Falls' non-fluoridated wells.

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### **Is My Water Fluoridated?**

All public water systems have a unique identification number (PWS ID #). If you know the name of your water system or its PWS ID# you will be able to determine what the fluoride level is in your water. The Fluoride Data Table provides the County name, name and ID # of each community water system, population served and its fluoridation status. Below are definitions for terms used in the column entitled "Fluoridation STATUS":

**Adjusted:** The natural fluoride level is adjusted to the optimum level of 1.0 ppm (parts per million or mg/l).  
***Please note:*** the "Natural F- level" column lists the natural fluoride level **before** it is adjusted to 1.0 ppm.

**Deficient:** The water system has less than 0.8 ppm fluoride.

**Natural:** This means that the fluoride level is naturally at optimum (0.8ppm) or higher levels.

**Adequate:** This means the water system purchases fluoridated water from another public water system.

Some water systems purchase water. The "Purchase ID" column lists the PWS ID# of the system from which water is purchased so that the customer can determine the source system.

***Please note:*** Some water systems have fluoride levels tested at commercial labs that report levels of fluoride that are less than 0.5 parts per million as "< 0.5 ppm". This is not specific enough for purposes of prescribing fluoride supplements. Health professionals should contact their local water plant in order to obtain more specific information on low fluoride levels.