

Glenquarry Public School

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Dear staff and parents/carers,

Water quality testing was recently conducted Glenquarry Public School as part of planned maintenance.

Initial findings have detected some bacteria in samples collected from the water tank and some water usage points throughout the school.

Precautionary safety measures have been put in place to ensure there is no risk to students, staff or the local community. This includes restricting access to the affected outlets and the installation of signage to warn users not to drink the water. The school was already on bottled water prior to the testing and these arrangements will continue.

School Infrastructure NSW will now work with the independent occupational hygienist and the school to undertake any remediation work required. All work will be carried out by qualified contractors and School Infrastructure NSW will undertake additional testing at the school following the work to ensure water is safe for use.

The health and safety of students and staff is the priority for the school and the NSW Department of Education. Department staff will continue working closely with NSW Health and the school leadership, to keep you updated on this matter.

If you have any questions about the testing program or work, please contact School Infrastructure NSW on 1300 482 651 or email schoolinfrastructure@det.nsw.edu.au

