



# West Central Health District Environmental Health

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## Application Requirements for an Existing System Evaluation

You are applying for an Existing System Evaluation. This service includes a review of our records to determine if a permit, inspection report and/or pump-out report exist for your system. We will also visit the site to determine if obvious signs of system failure are evident. Please be sure to comply with the following requests:

1. We must have access to the system. If there are locked gates that we will need to pass through, please make arrangements to have them open at the time of service.
2. Please restrain any dogs or other potentially hazardous livestock.
3. Grass or other vegetation must be cut to a height that will allow us to see the surface of the ground.
4. If the system is over five (5) years old, we must have proof that the tank has been pumped within the last five (5) years. This should be in the form of a Pump-Out Report from a certified septic tank pumper.

The purpose of this service is to verify that there is a septic system on the property and assure that it is not failing at the time of the evaluation. This is not an approval of the system. The Health Department makes no claim or guarantee that this system will function for any given length of time.