## US AIR FORCE ACADEMY 2023 Drinking Water Quality Report Covering Data For Calendar Year 2022

#### Public Water System ID: CO0121845

### Esta es información importante. Si no la pueden leer, necesitan que alguien se la traduzca.

We are pleased to present to you this year's water quality report. Our constant goal is to provide you with a safe and dependable supply of drinking water. Please contact SSGT LEYLAN UMBLAS at 719-333-4825 with any questions or for public participation opportunities that may affect water quality. Please see the water quality data from our wholesale system(s) (either attached or included in this report) for additional information about your drinking water.

#### **General Information**

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- Microbial contaminants: viruses and bacteria that may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations, and wildlife.
- Inorganic contaminants: salts and metals, which can be naturally-occurring or result from urban storm water runoff, industrial or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining, or farming.
- Pesticides and herbicides: may come from a variety of sources, such as agriculture, urban storm water runoff, and residential uses.
- Radioactive contaminants: can be naturally occurring or be the result of oil and gas production and mining activities.
- Organic chemical contaminants: including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals, which are byproducts of industrial processes and petroleum production, and also may come from gas stations, urban storm water runoff, and septic systems.

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### Lead in Drinking Water

Lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. We are responsible for providing high quality drinking water and removing lead pipes, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components in your home. You share the responsibility for protecting yourself and your family from the lead in your home plumbing. You can take responsibility by identifying and removing lead materials within your home plumbing and taking steps to reduce your family's risk. Before drinking tap water, flush your pipes for several minutes by running your tap, taking a shower, doing laundry or a load of dishes. You can also use a filter certified by an American National Standards Institute accredited certifier to reduce lead in drinking water. If you are concerned about lead in your water and wish to have your water tested, contact SSGT LEYLAN UMBLAS at 719-333-4825. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available at <u>epa.gov/safewater/lead</u>.

### Source Water Assessment and Protection (SWAP)

The Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment may have provided us with a Source Water Assessment Report for our water supply. For general information or to obtain a copy of the report please visit wqcdcompliance.com/ccr. The report is located under "Guidance: Source Water Assessment Reports". Search the table using system name or ID, or by contacting SSGT LEYLAN UMBLAS at 719-333-4825. The Source Water Assessment Report provides a screening-level evaluation of potential contamination that <u>could</u> occur. It <u>does not</u> mean that the contamination <u>has or will</u> occur. We can use this information to evaluate the need to improve our current water treatment capabilities and prepare for future contamination threats. This can help us ensure that quality finished water is delivered to your homes. In addition, the source water assessment results provide a starting point for developing a source water protection plan. Potential sources of contamination in our source water area are listed on the next page.

Please contact us to learn more about what you can do to help protect your drinking water sources, any questions about the Drinking Water Quality Report, to learn more about our system, or to attend scheduled public meetings. We want you, our valued customers, to be informed about the services we provide and the quality water we deliver to you every day.

## **Our Water Sources**

<u>Sources (Water Type - Source Type)</u>	Potential Source(s) of Contamination
PURCHASED FROM CO121150 CSU (Surface Water-Consecutive Connection)	There is no SWAP report, please contact SSgt Leylan Umblas at 719-333-4825 with
	questions regarding potential sources of contamination.

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## **Detected Contaminants**

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	Disinfectants Sampled in the Distribution System TT Requirement: At least 95% of samples per period (month or quarter) must be at least 0.2 ppm <u>OR</u> If sample size is less than 40 no more than 1 sample is below 0.2 ppm Typical Sources: Water additive used to control microbes									
Disinfectant Name	Time Period	Results	Number of Samples Below Level	Sample Size	TT Violation	MRDL				
Chlorine	January, 2022	Lowest period percentage of samples meeting TT requirement: 93.33%	1	15	No	4.0 ppm				

	Lead and Copper Sampled in the Distribution System												
Contaminant Name	Time Period	90 <sup>th</sup> Percentile	Sample Size	Unit of Measure	90 <sup>th</sup> Percentile AL	Sample Sites Above AL	90 <sup>th</sup> Percentile AL Exceedance	Typical Sources					
Copper	09/22/2021 to 09/22/2021	0.15	30	ppm	1.3	0	No	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of natural deposits					

Disinfection Byproducts Sampled in the Distribution System										
Name	Year	Average	Range Low – High	Sample Size	Unit of Measure	MCL	MCLG	MCL Violation	Typical Sources	
Total Haloacetic Acids (HAA5)	2022	43.9	30.7 to 59.2	16	ppb	60	N/A	No	Byproduct of drinking water disinfection	

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Name	Year	Average	Range Low – High	Sample Size	Unit of Measure	MCL	MCLG	MCL Violation	Typical Sources		
Total Trihalomethanes (TTHM)	2022	64.22	41.9 to 89.7	16	ppb	80	N/A	No	Byproduct of drinking water disinfection		

### Unregulated Contaminants\*\*\*

EPA has implemented the Unregulated Contaminant Monitoring Rule (UCMR) to collect data for contaminants that are suspected to be present in drinking water and do not have healthbased standards set under the Safe Drinking Water Act. EPA uses the results of UCMR monitoring to learn about the occurrence of unregulated contaminants in drinking water and to decide whether or not these contaminants will be regulated in the future. We performed monitoring and reported the analytical results of the monitoring to EPA in accordance with its Unregulated Contaminant Monitoring Rule (UCMR). Once EPA reviews the submitted results, the results are made available in the EPA's National Contaminant Occurrence Database (NCOD) (<u>epa.gov/dwucmr/national-contaminant-occurrence-database-ncod</u>) Consumers can review UCMR results by accessing the NCOD. Contaminants that were detected during our UCMR sampling and the corresponding analytical results are provided below.

Contaminant Name	Year	Average	Range Low – High	Sample Size	Unit of Measure
oring-Rule-UCMR. Learn mo	ore about the E	were included in UC PA UCMR at: <u>epa.go</u> Irinking-water.	MR monitoring can be found at: drinkt w/dwucmr/learn-about-unregulated-con	ap.org/Water-Info/Whats-in-My-Wate ntaminant-monitoring-rule or contact tl	r <u>/Unregulated-Contaminant-</u> he Safe Drinking Water Hotline a

## Violations, Significant Deficiencies, and Formal Enforcement Actions

	Description	Time Period
STORAGE TANK RULE	FAILURE TO MEET STORAGE TANK REQUIREMENTS - F330	08/30/2021 - 01/31/2022
LEAD & COPPER RULE	FAILURE TO INFORM HOMEOWNER OF LEAD RESULTS	01/01/2022 - 01/10/2022
DISINFECTION BYPRODUCTS	FAILURE TO MONITOR AND/OR REPORT	07/01/2022 - 09/30/2022
-	Additional Violation Information ple who drink this water, especially those who may not have received this notice directly y posting this notice in a public place or distributing copies by hand or mail.	(for example, people in apartments, nursing
ines, schools, and businesses). Tou can do uns c	and the anticipated resolution date	

Disinfection Byproducts: USAFA Bioenvironmental Engineering office contacted SGS Lab to verify the samples had been received for the third quarter. It was determined that the samples had been received, however the results had not been uploaded to the state in the required timeframe. The results have since been uploaded and procedures have been developed to mitigate this issue from reoccurring.

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# <u>Our Water Sources</u>

Sourc e s (Water Type - Source Type)	Poten ti al Sourc e (s) of Conta mination
INTAKE MONUMENT CREEK PIKEVIEW RESERVOIR (Surface Water- Intake) INTAKE PUEBLO RESERVOIR DAM C (Surface Water- Intake) INTAKE NORTH CATAMOUNT RESERVOIR DAM (Surface Water- Intake) INTAKE SOUTH CATAMOUNT RESERVOIR DAM (Surface Water- Intake) INTAKE SOUTH CATAMOUNT RESERVOIR DAM (Surface Water- Intake) INTAKE NORTH AND SOUTH CASCADE CREEK (Surface Water- Intake) INTAKE FRENCH CREEK (Surface Water- Intake) INTAKE FRENCH CREEK (Surface Water- Intake) INTAKE WEST MONUMENT CREEK (Surface Water- Intake) INTAKE RESERVOIR BIG TOOTH DAM (Surface Water- Intake) INTAKE ADD CREEK (Surface Water- Intake) INTAKE SHEEP CREEK (Surface Water- Intake) INTAKE GABIN CREEK (Surface Water- Intake) INTAKE GOLD CAMP RESERVOIR DAM (Surface Water- Intake) INTAKE GOLD CAMP RESERVOIR DAM (Surface Water- Intake) INTAKE SOUTH SUBUBAN DAM CREEK (Surface Water- Intake) INTAKE RAMPART RESERVOIR (Surface Water- Intake) INTAKE RAMPART RESERVOIR (Surface Water- Intake) INTAKE RAMPART RESERVOIR (Surface Water- Intake) INTAKE RAMPART RESERVOIR (Surface Water- Intake) INTAKE CRYSTAL RESERVOIR DAM (Surface Water- Intake) INTAKE CRYSTAL RESERVOIR DAM (Surface Water- Intake) INTAKE ROSEMONT RESERVOIR (Surface Water- Intake) INTAKE NAND S CHEYENNE CREEK (Surface Water- Intake) INTAKE PIKEVIEW RESERVOIR (Surface Water- Intake) INTAKE NAND S SLOPE RSVR FOUNTAIN VALLEY 121300 (Surface Water- CONSEUTIVE CONCETION) INTAKE NAND S SLOPE RSVR FOUNTAIN C (Surface Water- Intake) INTAKE NAND S SLOPE RSVR FOUNTAIN C (Surface Water- Intake) INTAKE PUEBLO RESERVOIR FOR SDS WTP (Surface Water- Intake) INTAKE PUEBLOR RESERVOIR FOR SDS WTP (Surface Water- Intake)	EPA Superfund Sites, EPA Abandoned Contaminate d Sites, EPA Hazardous Waste Generators, EPA Chemical Inventory/ Storag e Sites, EPA Toxic Release Inventory Sites, Permitted Wastewate r Discharg e Sites, Aboveground, Undergrou n d and Leaking Storage Tank Sites, Solid Waste Sites, Existing/Abandone d Mine Sites, Concentra t e d Animal Feeding Operations, Other Facilities, Commercial/Indust r i al/ Transport a tion, High Intensity Residential, Low Intensity Residential, Urban Recreational Grasses, Quarries / Strip Mines / Gravel Pits, Row Crops, Fallow, Small Grains, Pasture / Hay, Deciduous Forest, Evergre e n Forest, Mixed Forest, Septic Systems, Oil / Gas Wells, Road Miles

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Disinf e c t a nt Nam e	Time Period	Results	Nu mb er of Sampl e s Below	Samp le	TT Violati	MRD L
iit Naiii e	i enou		Level	Size	on	L
Chlorine	Decembe r , 2022	<u>Lowest period</u> percent ag e of samples meeting TT requirement: 100 %	0	234	No	4.0 ppm

	Lead and Copper Sampl e d in the Distrib u t i o n Syste m												
Conta m i n ant Nam e	Time Period	90 th Perce n tile	Sampl e Size	Unit of Meas u re	90 <sup>th</sup> Perce n tile AL	Sampl e Sites Above AL	90 <sup>th</sup> Percentil eAL Exceedan ce	Typical Sourc e s					
Copper	06/09/202 1 to 07/16/202 1	0.18	73	ppm	1.3	0	No	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of natural deposits					
Lead	06/09/202 1 to 07/16/202 1	6.8	73	ррЬ	15	2	No	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of natural deposits					

	Disinfe c t i o n Byprodu c t s Sampl e d in the Distrib ut io n Syste m												
Nam e	Yea r	Avera ge	Rang e Low – High	Samp le Size	Unit of Measu re	MCL	MCLG	MCL Violatio n	Typical Sourc e s				
Total Haloace tic Acids (HAA5)	202 2	27.51	11.4 to 44.1	48	ppb	60	N/A	No	Byproduct of drinking water disinfection				
Total Trihalo	202 2	36.64	20 to 58.1	48	ppb	80	N/A	No	Byproduct of drinking water				

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Nam e	Yea	Avera	Rang e	Samp	Unit	MCL	MCLG	MCL	<b>Typical Sourc e s</b>				
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(TTHM)													

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Conta m i n ant Nam e	Yea r	Avera ge	Rang e Low – High	Samp le Size	Unit of Meas ur e	TT Minim u m Ratio	TT Violatio n	Typical Sourc e s
Total Organic Carbon Ratio	202 2	1.25	1 to 2.06	16	Ratio	1.00	No	Naturally present in the environme n t
*If minimum alternative c		ot met and	no violation id	entified	then the sy	stem achieved c	ompliance u	sing

Conta m i n ant Nam e	Sampl e Date	Level Found	TT Require m e n t	TT Violati on	Typical Sourc e s
Turbidity	Date/ Mon th: May	<u>Highest single</u> measure m e n t : 0.334 NTU	Maximum 1 NTU for any single measur e m e n t	No	Soil Runoff
Turbidity	Month: Dec	Lowest monthly percent a g e of samples meeting TT require m e n t for our technology: 100 %	In any month, at least 95% of samples must be less than 0.3 NTU	No	Soil Runoff

	Radi	ion u c l id	es Sampleda	t the Ent	ry Point to	the Dist	trib utio	on Syste m	
Conta m i n ant Nam e	Yea r	Avera ge	Rang e Low – High	Samp le Size	Unit of Meas ur e	MCL	MCL G	MCL Violati on	Typical Sourc e s
Gross Alpha	202 0	0.32	0 to 1.02	5	pCi/L	15	0	No	Erosion of natural

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Combined Radium	202 0	1.2	0 to 1.9	5	pCi/L	5	0	No	deposits Erosion of natural
Combined Uranium	202 0	0.8	0 to 4	5	ppb	30	0	No	deposits Erosion of natural

Inor	ga nic	Conta mi	n a n t s Sampl	edat the	e Entry Po	int to th	ne Distril	outionSy	vste m
Conta mi n ant Nam e	Yea r	Avera ge	Rang e Low – High	Samp le Size	Unit of Meas ur e	MCL	MCL G	MCL Violati on	Typical Sourc e s
Barium	202 2	0.02	0.01 to 0.05	5	ppm	2	2	No	Discharge of drilling wastes; discharg e from metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits
Chromium	202 2	0.3	0 to 1.5	5	ррЬ	100	100	No	Discharge from steel and pulp mills; erosion of natural deposits
Fluoride	202 2	0.52	0.14 to 1.46	5	ppm	4	4	No	Erosion of natural deposits; water additive which promotes strong teeth; discharg e from fertilizer and aluminum factories
Nitrate	202 2	0	0 to 0	5	ppm	10	10	No	Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks, sewage; erosion of natural

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									deposits
Selenium	202 2	0.7	0 to 3.5	5	ррЬ	50	50	No	Discharge from petroleu m and metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits; discharg e from mines

Synth et i	c Orgai	nic Conta	m i n a n t s Sa	mpl e d a	t the Entry	Point t	o the Dis	stribu tio	n Syste m
Conta mi n a nt Nam e	Yea r	Avera ge	Rang e Low – High	Samp le Size	Unit of Meas ur e	MCL	MCL G	MCL Violati on	Typical Sourc e s
Di(2- ethylhexyl) phthalate	202 2	0.2	0 to 1.6	8	ррb	6	0	No	Discharge from rubber and chemical factories

Conta mi n a nt Nam e	Yea r	Avera ge	Rang e Low – High	Samp le Size	Unit of Meas ur e	MCL	MCL G	MCL Violati on	Typical Sourc e s
Xylene s	202 2	0.34	0 to 1.6	8	ррЪ	10,0 00	10,00 0	No	Discharge from petroleu m factories; discharg e fron chemical factories

0	es for conta	mina ntsthat m	av cause cosmetic effects								
	**Seco nda ry standar ds are <u>non- enforcea ble</u> guidelines for contamina nts that may cause cosmetic effects										
(such as skin, or tooth discoloration) or aesthetic effects (such as taste, odor, or color) in drinking water.											
Conta min a n t         Yea         Avera         Range         Sampl         Unit of         Second ary Standard											
Rang e	Sampl	Unit of	Seco n d ary Standard								
Low – High	e Size	Meas ur e									
7.6 to 22.5	5	ppm	N/A								
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-				nes for conta	mina ntsthat m	ay cause cosmetic effects olor) in drinking water.
Conta mi n a n t	Yea	Avera	Rang e	Sampl	Unit of	Seco n d ary Standard
Nam e	r	ge	Low – High	e Size	Meas ur e	
	2					
CHLORINE	201 9	0.54	0.15 to 0.88	214	MG/L	

EPA has implement e d the Unregulate d Contaminan t Monitoring Rule (UCMR) to collect data for

contaminants that are suspected to be present in drinking water and do not have health-based standards set under the Safe Drinking Water Act. EPA uses the results of UCMR monitoring to learn about the occurrence of unregulated contaminants in drinking water and to decide whether or not these

contaminants will be regulated in the future. We performed monitoring and reported the analytical results of the monitoring to EPA in accordance with its Unregulated Contaminant Monitoring Rule (UCMR). Once EPA reviews the submitted results, the results are made available in the EPA's National Contaminant

Occurren ce Databas e (NCOD) (<u>epa. gov/dwuc mr/national-contamina nt-occurrenc e-database-ncod</u>) Consume r s can review UCMR results by accessing the NCOD. Contaminant s that were detected during our UCMR sampling and the corresponding analytical results are provided below.

Conta m i n a n t Nam e	Year	Averag e	Rang e Low – High	Sampl e Size	Unit of Meas ur e
**More information about the					

\*\*\*More information about the contaminant s that were included in UCMR monitoring can be found at: <u>drinktap.org/Water-Info/Whats-in-My-Water/Unregulated-Contaminant-Monitoring-Rule-UCMR</u>. Learn more about the EPA UCMR at: <u>epa. gov/ dwucm r/lea rn- about- unregulated- contaminan t- monitoring- rule</u> or contact the Safe Drinking Water Hotline at (800) 426- 4791 or <u>epa. gov/ groun d- water- and- drinking- water</u>.

## Violations, Signific ant Deficiencies, and Formal Enforcement Actions

## No Violation s or Formal Enforce m ent Action s