



Prevent Water Contamination

Homeowners can prevent cross connections and contaminants from entering their drinking water through an outdoor hose and in-ground irrigation systems.

- Never submerge the end of a hose in a substance that can be sucked back into the drinking water.
- Always turn off the tap after using the hose and drain hose water.
- Ensure a Hose Connection Vacuum Breaker is attached to your outside tap prior to attaching the hose (see image on right).



Toilet Leaks Cost Money

Would you know if your toilet was leaking?

Toilets use about 27% of household water. However, toilet leaks are invisible, waste water, and cost you money.

Toilet Leak Test

- Put a drop of food colouring in the toilet tank.
- After 10 min, your toilet bowl water should still be clear.
- If the water is not clear, then you have a leak. If you have a leak, repair it.

For information about the Water & Sewer Utility, visit www.fredericton.ca/water-sewer, or contact Service Fredericton: 506-460-2020, service@fredericton.ca.

