

**THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS  
DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION AND RECREATION  
DCR Beaches**

**SWIM BEACH TESTING REPORT – 2023 BATHING SEASON**

**From** ChemServe

**To** To DCR Staff

**DATE** 8/25/2025

**TIME:** 12:50

**BASED UPON BACTERIAL RESULTS OF SAMPLES COLLECTED ON**

8/24/2023

**MASSPARKS IS POSTING A WARNING TO THE PUBLIC AT THE FOLLOWING BEACHES:**

<b>POST</b>	<b>CONTINUE TO POST</b>	<b>UNPOST</b>
	Otter River Camp / Otter River Day Use	Wallum Lake
	Hopkinton Main / Hopkinton Upper	
	Damon Pond	
	Pearl Hill	
	Regatta Point	
	Ashland	
	Quinsigamond Lake Park	
	Walker Pond	

A HEALTH RISK MAY BE ASSOCIATED WITH SUBMERSION OR INGESTION OF POLLUTED WATERS. A beach is posted, “**No Swimming**” as per order of the MADPH and DCR when results equal to or exceed the Single Day Maximum Standard for Enterococci of 104 (marine) and 61 (freshwater) or the 5-test Geometric Mean Standard for Enterococci of 35 (marine) and 33 (freshwater). Postings will remain in force until Enterococci levels of subsequently collected water samples drop below the safe recreational water standards above.

**GENERAL NOTES:**

**Department of Conservation and Recreation  
Beach Analytical Results**

Reporting Lab: Chemserve

Analytical Results

Sample Collection Date 8/24/2023 8:00:00 AM  
 Sample Recieved Date and Time 8/24/2023 3:49:18 PM  
 Sample Analysis Date and Time 8/24/2023 12:35:00 PM

**Lab ID:** 23080309  
**Date:** 8/25/2023

Method SM 9230D Units MPN Index/100ml Analyst TaylorL

Beach Name	Client Sample Identity	Loc. ID.	Collection Time	Enterococci Result	Geo Mean	Weather	Water Temp (F)	Posting Reason
Wallum Lake Beach	Wallum Lake Beach, Douglas SF	DOUG	8/24/2023 8:00:00 AM	34 MPN Index/100ml	16.4	R	72	UN

**All Posting Notifications are sent to:**

**Shawn DeRosa**

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Posting Abbreviations: Blank:Not Posted, Un:Unposted, PGM:Posted Due To Geometric Mean, PSDM:Posted Due To Single Day Max. PR:Posted Due to Rain  
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