
From: Hanley, Farah (DHHS)
Sent: Monday, October 05, 2015 1:29 PM
To: Krisztian, George (DEQ)
Cc: Thelen, Mary Beth (DEQ)
Subject: RE: Pitcher Filters

Thanks. We can't find anyone who knows ...

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From: Krisztian, George (DEQ)
Sent: Monday, October 05, 2015 1:27 PM
To: Hanley, Farah (DHHS)
Cc: Thelen, Mary Beth (DEQ)
Subject: Re: Pitcher Filters

I'm sorry I do not know that. Is this something that DTMB can find out for us? If not I can see what I can find out after my current meeting.

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> On Oct 5, 2015, at 1:22 PM, Hanley, Farah (DHHS) <hanleyf@michigan.gov> wrote:

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> DO you know if Zero Water pitchers qualify?

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> https://www.google.com/?gws_rd=ssl#q=Zero+Water

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: Krisztian, George (DEQ)

> Sent: Monday, October 05, 2015 1:16 PM

> To: Hanley, Farah (DHHS)

> Cc: Thelen, Mary Beth (DEQ)

> Subject: Pitcher Filters

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> Hi Farah,

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> Per our phone conversation earlier here is my suggestion concerning pitcher filters for homes that have atypical faucets that cannot easily accommodate a faucet mounted filtration device.

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> The most critical thing is that the filter has been independently tested by a third party laboratory such as NSF International (National Sanitation Foundation). If I remember correctly the pertinent testing protocol is ANSI Standard 53.

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> It is also critical that the filter specifically state that it is rated for lead removal as there are many potential contaminants for which point of use filtration devices can be certified. The information on the box should contain a statement that it has undergone independent testing by Standard 53 and that the filter is rated for lead removal and for how many gallons the filter is rated to maintain its efficacy.

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> Please let me know if you need any additional information.

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> George Krisztian

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