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Certified Well Contractors – The Iowa Department of Natural Resources will provide a list of certified well contractors in your area. The Iowa Water Well Association (515) 243-1558 will also provide information on well contractors in your area.

Iowa Department of Natural Resources – For information about state regulations, well permits, and a listing of certified well contractors call (515) 725-0275 or www.iowadnr.com/. For forecasts on well depth, water availability and quality, contact the Iowa Geological Survey at (319) 335-1575 or www.igsb.uiowa.edu.

Iowa Department of Public Health – For information about health effects of contaminants found in drinking water and regulations regarding the sale of water treatment systems in Iowa call (515) 281-7726 or www.idph.state.ia.us.

Local health departments (county sanitarians) – Information about local regulations for water well construction, water testing, well plugging, and well inspection services.

Local Iowa State University Extension offices – Publications about water testing and well construction.

U.S. Geological Survey – Information on surface water resources in Iowa and water level records from groundwater monitoring networks; District Office in Iowa City at (319) 337-4191 or <http://ia.usgs.gov>.

University of Iowa Hygienic Laboratory – For information about testing your water, the interpretation of test results, and water treatment systems, call (319) 335-4500 or www.uhl.uiowa.edu.