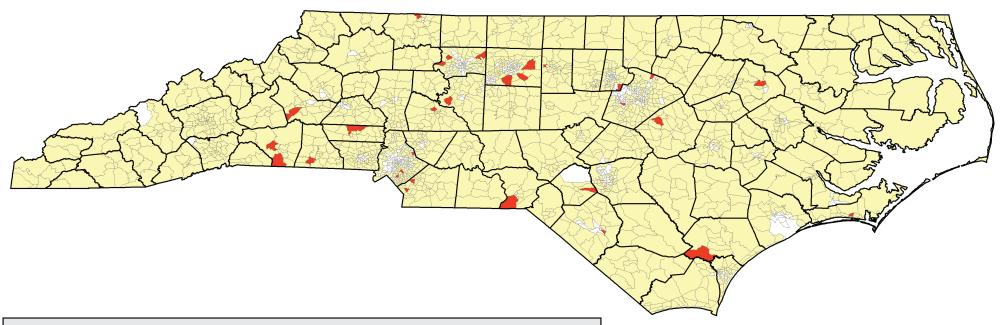
CHROMIUM

Average concentration (ppb) detected in NC private well water, 1998-2019



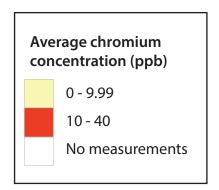
The NC 2L for chromium is 10 ppb.

NC 2L Groundwater: Set by NC DEQ as the highest levels of contaminants allowed in groundwater,* which may be tolerated without creating a threat to human health or which would otherwise make the groundwater unsuitable for its intended best usage, such as a drinking water.

Parts per billion (ppb): Unit of measurement. Equal to μg/L (micrograms per liter).

Map shows averages across geographic locations. For number of wells tested in each county, refer to county table.

*Well water quality is not regulated in North Carolina.





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