

## Policy .885 Nutrient Pathogen Studies

South Central District Health (SCDH) complies with all statutes and administrative codes pertaining to the protection of ground waters of the State of Idaho. The Idaho Department of Environmental Quality (IDEQ) has delegated authorities to SCDH to coordinate and administer ground water quality protection rules within the district. These rules include:

- TITLE 39, CHAPTER 1 (Idaho Code) Health and Safety
- TITLE 50, CHAPTER 13 (Idaho Code) Plats and Vacations
- IDAPA 58.01.03 Individual/Subsurface Sewage Disposal Rules
- IDAPA 58.01.11 Ground Water Quality Rule
- IDEQ Technical Guidance Manual for Individual and Subsurface Sewage Disposal Systems (TGM), 11/2005.

The Nutrient Pathogen Study (N-P Study) is a methodology in which a consistent standard of demonstration is achieved; it allows a developer, IDEQ and SCDH the ability to empirically evaluate potential and future impacts of a proposed subdivision to ground water quality.

### Protocol .885A Requirement for a Nutrient Pathogens Study

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