### FREE TESTING

# PRIVATE WELL WATER **QUALITY TESTING**



#### WHAT:

NMED and NMDOH will be offering up to 100 free water tests for private wells serving homes not connected to a water utility in Carlsbad and surrounding communities.

#### WHFN:

**April 15, 2023** 

9:30 am - 1:30 pm

#### WHERE:

**Carlsbad Public Library** 101 S Halagueno St Carlsbad, NM 88220

# **TESTS INCLUDE:**

pH, Electrical conductivity, Nitrate, Iron, Sulfate, Fluoride, and Arsenic



## How to Collect a Water Sample:

- Fill a clean glass or plastic container without any odors, with at least a quart or a liter (i.e. 32 OZ) of your well water.
- If the home has a whole house filtration system, collect the water at the well head prior to any filtration or softener systems, if possible.
- Let the water run 2-3 minutes before collecting the sample.
- Collect the sample as close to the time of testing as possible.

