

# Update On Success Of Newberry PFAS Treatment

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Dear Valued SUEZ Customer,

We hope you are healthy and well during these unprecedented times. As part of our commitment to providing safe, reliable drinking water to all of our customers, we are happy to provide an update on the success of the PFAS treatment that was implemented in our Newberry Water System in April 2019.

While the Lifetime Health Advisory Level for PFOS and PFOA combined is 70 parts per trillion, our standard regulated test results for the Newberry Water System have been well below that guideline, with PFOS/PFOA consistently reading at nondetect, meaning there is no presence of the contaminant in the treated water.

The PFAS removal treatment in place is a granular activated carbon system, which uses a carbon media to absorb contaminants and remove them from the water. The removal system is closely monitored by our water quality experts and maintenance is provided as needed. Carbon media exchanges are a standard maintenance practice and the process is done seamlessly without water service interruptions for our customers.

To view frequently asked questions and find out more about our treatment process and PFAS, you may visit our Newberry System page here:

<https://www.mysuezwater.com/pennsylvania/water-in-my-area/newberry-water-system>  
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Our team of water quality experts will continue to monitor and manage the PFOS/PFOA removal treatment system for the customers of Newberry Township. Thank you for being a valued SUEZ customer and please continue to stay safe.

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