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News Advisory

Free Domestic Well Water and Biomonitoring Event in San Juan County

WHAT: The Utah Department of Health will offer free biomonitoring water tests to San Juan County residents. The purpose of the event is to test residents for the presence of metals in their well water and the presence of metals and other chemicals in the body.

Participants will be asked to submit a small sample of urine, a sample of their well water (if applicable), and fill out a questionnaire at the test site.

WHY: Participants will receive free water testing and suggestions about how to reduce harmful chemical and metal exposure. Test results will also be used to help scientists learn what levels of substances are safe and whether certain individuals have higher levels than others.

WHO: Utah Department of Health
Residents who wish to participate should contact Carrie Butler at (801) 347-6739 or email at cbutler@utah.gov

WHEN: May 19-22, 2016

WHERE: San Juan County

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