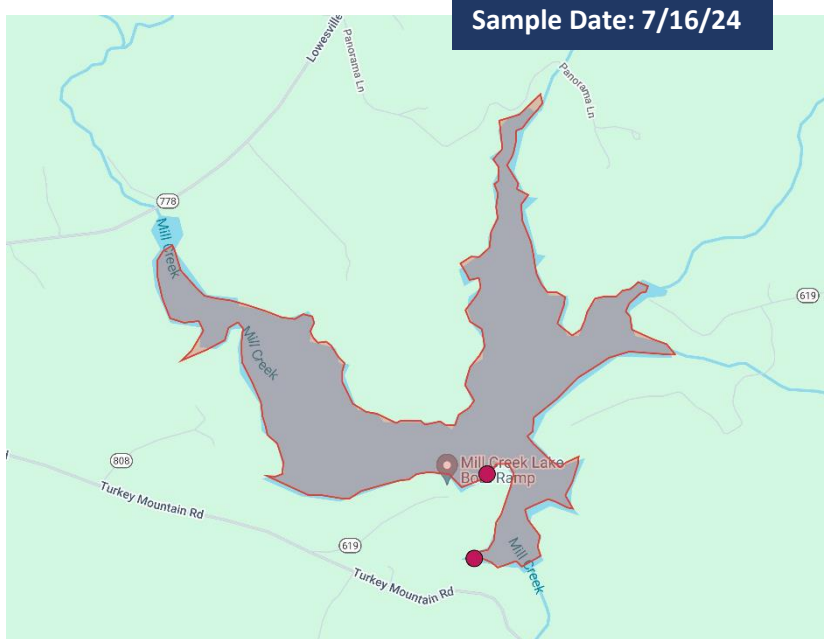


Mill Creek Lake HAB Status Report – Advisory in Effect

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Next Issue: on or about week of August 5 (weather dependent)



HELPFUL TIP:

Visit www.SwimHealthyVA.com and click on the Harmful Algae Bloom Map to review sample results near you!

Expand the map using the symbol in the upper right hand map title bar, then click on the magnifying glass. You can search by location name or address.

-  Harmful algal (cyanobacteria) concentrations at unsafe levels
-  Algal concentrations at acceptable levels
-  Lake area of HAB swimming advisory

Samples collected 7/16/24 at 2 sites in Mill Creek Lake indicated a cyanobacteria bloom with cell concentrations at unsafe levels. Cyanotoxins were also detected at both sites, but below threshold criteria. The HAB map and this status report have been updated and are posted at www.SwimHealthyVA.com. The next sample event is planned for the week of July 29 (weather dependent).

People & pets should avoid swimming in the “red” areas of the map.



When in doubt, stay out!

For more information or to report an algae bloom visit:
www.SwimHealthyVA.com

To report a HAB-related illness contact the HAB Hotline at 888-238-6154.