Beach Posting Form

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Please immediately fax or email this form to the MDPH Beach Program at (617) 624-5183 or [dph-beach@massmail.state.ma.us](mailto:dph-beach@massmail.state.ma.us) when:

The beach has been posted

The posting has been removed (with the second half of the form filled out)

Do not submit beach testing updates between the posting and posting removal. Also, please indicate if the beach’s swim season has ended after a posting.

**City/Town:**

**Name of Beach:**

**Sample Location (if beach has more than one):**

**►Date Posted:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Please fill in with the date on which the beach was actually posted, *not* the date on which the exceeding sample was collected.

**Type of Beach Water:**  Fresh  Marine

**Public/Semi-Public:**  Public  Semi-Public

**Reason Posted:**  Bacteria  Rainfall  Other

**Indicator Organism:**  E. Coli  Enterococci

**Bacteria Count:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Single Count  Geometric Mean (Geo Mean)

**►Reported by local health official:**

**►Date Posting Removed:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Bacteria Count:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Single Count  Geometric Mean (Geo Mean)