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2.0	Sample protocol followed and reviewed If more than one person collecting samples, use multiple tables							
	Person who collected samples:	Location Code(s)/Date(s):						
For more guidance of proper sampling protocol, refer to the New England States' Drinking Water Sample Collection and Preservation Guidance Manual (pages 36-37) found at: http://www.epa.gov/sites/production/files/2015-06/documents/NE-States-Sample-Collection-Manual.pdf								
	Assessment Elements	Issue and/or Description						
	For any <u>shaded box</u> checked, it should be considered an issue and a description must be included.	* If any element has not been reviewed, you must include an explanation.		Yes	No	Not Reviewed*		
2.1	Were samples collected according to the approved Coliform Sampling Plan?							
2.2	Was the tap flushed prior to sampling?							
2.3	Was the tap properly disinfected prior to sample collection? (not flaming)							
2.4	Were there any suspected issues with the sample containers?							
2.5	Was appropriate preservative used?							
2.6	Was the aerator removed from the tap?							
2.7	Were proper storage procedures used? (temperature, kept on ice during transport to lab)							
2.8	Was chain of custody properly completed and accurate?							
2.9	Other comments on sample collection procedures.							
	List all sample protocol corrective actions (including date). Include assessment element number.							