

## ELGIN, IL

ELGIN, IL | PWSID: IL0894380 | Population served: 114,797

Based on EPA UCMR 5 testing data (2023-2025) | Report generated May 25, 2026



### PFAS approaching the federal limit

The EPA set enforceable limits for six PFAS compounds in April 2024. Grade reflects the worst single compound result.

### Findings

| Compound | Detected (ppt) | EPA Limit (ppt) | Ratio | Status           |
|----------|----------------|-----------------|-------|------------------|
| PFBA     | 7.6            | -               | -     | No federal limit |
| PFPeA    | 4.1            | -               | -     | No federal limit |
| PFHxA    | 3.6            | -               | -     | No federal limit |

### What This Means

This water system serves 114,797 residents in ELGIN. EPA testing detected 29 PFAS compounds, 0 of which exceed federal drinking water limits. Residents served by this system should consider installing an NSF 53 or NSF 58 certified water filter.

### What You Can Do

- Request your utility's full Consumer Confidence Report (CCR) for additional water quality data
- Consider an NSF 53 (pitcher) or NSF 58 (reverse osmosis) certified filter if PFAS were detected
- Attend your local water board or city council meeting to ask about treatment plans