



Indicator Sites

Indicator sites are case study sites specifically chosen by MDEQ to develop an understanding of how the “indicated condition” affects water quality. Indicator sites are the flexible component to focus on specific problems and new and emerging issues. There are no fixed indicator sites. Each year MDEQ will prioritize their data needs and pick indicator sites accordingly. While MDEQ data requirements will gravitate indicator sites toward the 5-year NPDES targeted basins, these sites may be anywhere statewide.