



Notes:
 1) Only known impairments shown; waters may also be threatened or impaired by other pollutants or nonpollutants.
 2) All fresh surface waters in New Hampshire are impaired for fish/shellfish consumption by atmospheric deposition of mercury. See Approved Northeast Regional Mercury TMDL (December 2007); http://des.nh.gov/organization/divisions/water/wmb/tmdl/documents/northeast_final_tmdl.pdf
 3) For TMDL Reports see: <http://des.nh.gov/organization/divisions/water/wmb/tmdl/categories/publications.htm>
 4) For additional information see NH's Final 2008 305(b)/303(d) List and 2008 Surface Water Quality Watershed Report Cards: <http://des.nh.gov/organization/divisions/water/wmb/swqa/2008/index.htm>

NHEST600031001-04
 LOWER SAGAMORE CREEK
 FC - Polychlorinated biphenyls
 PCR - Enterococcus
 SCR - Enterococcus
 Sh - Dioxin (including 2,3,7,8-TCDD)
 Sh - Polychlorinated biphenyls

NHEST600031001-05
 BACK CHANNEL
 FC - Polychlorinated biphenyls
 Sh - Dioxin (including 2,3,7,8-TCDD)
 Sh - Polychlorinated biphenyls

NHEST600031002-01-01
 WITCH CREEK
 FC - Polychlorinated biphenyls
 PCR - Enterococcus
 Sh - Dioxin (including 2,3,7,8-TCDD)
 Sh - Fecal Coliform
 Sh - Polychlorinated biphenyls

NHEST600031002-02
 LITTLE HARBOR
 FC - Polychlorinated biphenyls
 PCR - Enterococcus
 Sh - Dioxin (including 2,3,7,8-TCDD)
 Sh - Polychlorinated biphenyls
 Sh - Fecal Coliform

NHEST600031002-01-02
 BERRYS BROOK
 FC - Polychlorinated biphenyls
 PCR - Enterococcus
 Sh - Dioxin (including 2,3,7,8-TCDD)
 Sh - Fecal Coliform
 Sh - Polychlorinated biphenyls

NHOCN000000000-02-18
 ATLANTIC OCEAN
 FC - Polychlorinated biphenyls
 Sh - Dioxin (including 2,3,7,8-TCDD)
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NHRIV600031002-01
 BERRY'S BROOK
 AL - Dissolved oxygen saturation
 AL - Oxygen, Dissolved
 AL - pH
 PCR - Chlorophyll-a
 PCR - Escherichia coli

NHOCN000000000-02-04
 ATLANTIC OCEAN - PIRATES COVE BEACH
 FC - Polychlorinated biphenyls
 PCR - Enterococcus
 Sh - Dioxin (including 2,3,7,8-TCDD)
 Sh - Polychlorinated biphenyls

NHOCN000000000-02-15
 ATLANTIC OCEAN - WALLIS SANDS
 WWTP OUTFALL
 FC - Polychlorinated biphenyls
 Sh - Dioxin (including 2,3,7,8-TCDD)
 Sh - Polychlorinated biphenyls

NHOCN000000000-07
 ATLANTIC OCEAN - PARSONS CREEK
 FC - Polychlorinated biphenyls
 PCR - Enterococcus
 SCR - Enterococcus
 Sh - Dioxin (including 2,3,7,8-TCDD)
 Sh - Fecal Coliform
 Sh - Polychlorinated biphenyls

NHOCN000000000-02-16
 ATLANTIC OCEAN - WALLIS SANDS
 STATE PARK BEACH
 FC - Polychlorinated biphenyls
 Sh - Dioxin (including 2,3,7,8-TCDD)
 Sh - Polychlorinated biphenyls

NHRIV600031002-03
 UNNAMED BROOKS
 TO ATLANTIC OCEAN
 AT CONCORD POINT
 PCR - Escherichia coli

NHOCN000000000-02-18
 ATLANTIC OCEAN
 FC - Polychlorinated biphenyls
 Sh - Dioxin (including 2,3,7,8-TCDD)
 Sh - Polychlorinated biphenyls

NHOCN000000000-11
 ATLANTIC OCEAN - RYE HARBOR
 FC - Polychlorinated biphenyls
 Sh - Dioxin (including 2,3,7,8-TCDD)
 Sh - Polychlorinated biphenyls

NHOCN000000000-02-14
 ATLANTIC OCEAN - FOSS BEACH
 FC - Polychlorinated biphenyls
 Sh - Dioxin (including 2,3,7,8-TCDD)
 Sh - Polychlorinated biphenyls

NHOCN000000000-02-05
 ATLANTIC OCEAN - CABLE BEACH
 FC - Polychlorinated biphenyls
 PCR - Enterococcus
 Sh - Dioxin (including 2,3,7,8-TCDD)
 Sh - Polychlorinated biphenyls

NHOCN000000000-02-18
 ATLANTIC OCEAN
 FC - Polychlorinated biphenyls
 Sh - Dioxin (including 2,3,7,8-TCDD)
 Sh - Polychlorinated biphenyls

NHOCN000000000-02-07
 ATLANTIC OCEAN - JENNESS BEACH
 FC - Polychlorinated biphenyls
 PCR - Enterococcus
 Sh - Dioxin (including 2,3,7,8-TCDD)
 Sh - Polychlorinated biphenyls

NHOCN000000000-03-01
 BASS BEACH BROOK OUTFALL AREA
 FC - Polychlorinated biphenyls
 PCR - Enterococcus
 SCR - Enterococcus
 Sh - Dioxin (including 2,3,7,8-TCDD)
 Sh - Fecal Coliform
 Sh - Polychlorinated biphenyls

Surface Water Quality Status (September 2008)

Rye, NH



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Waterbody Label
 State ID
 Waterbody Name
 Category 4a Designated Use-Pollutant
 Category 4b Designated Use-Pollutant
 Category 4c Designated Use-Impairment
 Category 5 Designated Use-Pollutant

Designated Use Abbreviations
 AL = Aquatic Life
 FC = Fish Consumption
 PCR = Primary Contact Recreation
 SCR = Secondary Contact Recreation
 Sh = Shellfishing

Surface Waterbody

- Category 2: Meets water quality standards
- Category 3: Insufficient data to make assessment for any use
- Category 4a: TMDL is completed
- Category 4b: TMDL not required because other pollution control requirements are reasonably expected to result in WQS attainment
- Category 4c: TMDL not required since impairment is not caused by a pollutant
- Category 5: Impaired or threatened for one or more designated uses and requiring a TMDL (303(d) listed waterbody)

Swamp/Marsh

MS4 Urbanized Areas (2000 Census)