

PROVISION OF SAMPLING AID & ANALYSES OF FOOD SAMPLES

Lejweleputswa District Municipality hereby requests quotations from reputable and reliable service SANAS-accredited laboratories to supply analyses for water samples.

Specifications:

- Prove of SANAS accredited testing laboratory and required tests must be provided
- Quotations must be based on the number and frequency of sampling in the Sampling Plan which is obtainable from the Lejweleputswa District Municipality
- Service providers must be able to present sample data results/analyses in Excel formats and graphical illustrations to reflect quality trends
- Quotations must be inclusive of collection costs to collect samples at Welkom.
- The service provider must have its own in-house courier services equipped with cold keeping equipment to preserve and maintain the temperature of the samples
- Adequate number of sterilized containers and ice bricks of appropriate sizes need to be available at all times for sampling and the costs of these containers should be included in the analyses costs and should not reflect as a separate item.
- Labels must be provided for each sample container. The label must have enough space for the EHP to write the sample identification number, name of EHP and sample type. These labels must be provided with an adhesive at the back and must be able to stick to the sample container.
- Seals need to be provided for each container that could be used by an EHP to secure the content of the sample. These seals should ensure the integrity of the sample and should prevent anyone from tampering with the sample.
Each seal should bear a unique sample number
- Sample submission forms need to be provided by the service provider, costs for these forms should be included in the sample analyses costs.
- All sample results should be accredited against ISO/IEC 17025.
- Sample results must be released within 5 working days by e-mail after submission of samples for analysis in the prescribed format