

HISTORIES OF GUIDELINE DEVELOPMENT FOR THE FOURTH EDITION

12. Chemical fact sheets

12.1 Chemical contaminants in drinking-water

Nitrobenzene

History of guideline development

Nitrobenzene was first evaluated in the fourth edition of the *Guidelines for Drinking-water Quality*, published in 2011. It was concluded that because nitrobenzene occurs infrequently in drinking-water at concentrations above trace levels, it was not necessary to derive a formal guideline value.