

Legionella bacteria closes 2 campus buildings

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CHANDLER, AZ (KPHO) -

The Town of Gilbert closed its municipal library Monday night as a precautionary measure following positive test results for Legionella bacteria, a type of pneumonia.

On the heels of the closure, the Chandler Unified [School](#) District decided to close Perry High School on Tuesday. School officials said they would conduct independent testing.

"While there have been no reports of illness (at the school), we are taking extra precaution to ensure the safety of our students and staff," Superintendent Camille Casteel said.

Town of Gilbert library is on the same [campus](#) as the school.

The library was tested after a Maricopa County Library District employee tested positive for a different infection, Whooping Cough. The closure will allow the facility to be treated and retested.

The Town will announce its reopening and provide updates at www.gilbertaz.gov.

Meantime, district officials will provide families with additional information as it becomes available at the Perry High School and CUSD website at ww2.chandler.k12.az.us.