

Stream Assessment Goals

1. DEP's current aquatic life 100% assessment goal is all stream miles within Pennsylvania.
2. DEP's current water supply 100% assessment goal is based on the number of public surface water supply withdraws.
3. DEP's current recreation 100% assessment goal is all stream miles within Pennsylvania.
4. Pennsylvania has issued a statewide fish consumption advisory of one meal per week for recreationally caught fish. More strict advisories constitute impairment. DEP's current fish consumption 100% assessment goal is streams miles that have high recreational fishing potential and where fishing for subsistence is likely.

Note: Source and cause total miles may not match the total impaired mileage for each use, because each stream can have more than one source and cause of impairment.