

Hydrant Finder App

Identify the water company area you are in, and locate your nearest approved hydrant in selected areas.



Use your phones location or enter a town or postcode to view the hydrants in your chosen area



View the hydrants in 'Map Mode' or even in 'Street View'

Available for free on [Google Play](#) and the [App Store®](#)



Create an account with your email address and input your Calm Network Training Certificate number to be able to view the hydrants



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How to operate a standpipe correctly and safely

- Complete Aquam's accredited Calm network training. <https://www.aquamcorp.co.uk/calm-networks>
- Lift the wash out hydrant cover using the appropriate lid lifting tools. ***Some water companies allow the use of fire hydrants, please check the rules for the area you are in***
- Remove debris and water from the hydrant pit using appropriate tools. ***Do not put your hands into the hydrant pit***
- Open the hydrant slowly using the Calm Network Method. ***Opening too quickly could cause damage to the network***
- Flush the hydrant of any debris until the water runs clear and then turn the hydrant off slowly.
- Disinfect the standpipe and hydrant outlet with a suitable disinfection solution.
- Attach the standpipe to the hydrant using the handles to tighten it to ensure a good seal.
- Open the hydrant slowly using the Calm Network Method. Do not fully open the hydrant. Depending on the hydrant, approximately half a turn will allow sufficient water from the network. ***Opening a hydrant fully and too quickly can cause damage to both the network and the standpipe, for which you will be charged for.***
- Extract the required amount of water. Do not let the water run to waste or leave the standpipe unattended.
- Once finished, slowly close the hydrant using the Calm Network Method. ***Closing quickly could result in damage to the network***
- Unscrew the standpipe from the hydrant using the handles and replace the hydrant cover.
- Empty any excess water in the standpipe by repeatedly inverting it until no more water comes out. ***During freezing conditions, water left in standpipe will freeze and expand and cause damage to the standpipe, for which you will be charged***



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