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Qualité de l'eau — Recherche et dénombrement d'espèces thermotolérantes du genre Campylobacter



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#### Introduction

*Campylobacter jejuni* subsp. *jejuni* and *Campylobacter coli* are common causes of intestinal infections in humans. *Campylobacter upsaliensis* may be of like importance. *Campylobacter lari* is less frequently associated with human infections. The vehicles for campylobacter infections are usually food, farm animals, pets and person-to-person contact, but water is also important.