

Point-of-Use Units that are [ANSI/NSF 53 Certified for the Removal of PFOA and PFOS](#)

There are many water filters on the market, but not all filters reduce PFAS. If you choose to use a filter, be sure to get one that is certified to reduce PFAS in drinking water. As of April 2024, filter certifications focus on removing the chemicals PFOA and PFOS, which are two specific types of PFAS. A filter can cost as little as \$35 or more than \$1,000 (not including maintenance costs), with variations between types, brands, and whether they are pitcher filters, installed on your faucet, or for your entire home. There may also be maintenance-related and disposal-related costs that also vary between filters. Here are some of the types of filters that are currently available and certified to reduce PFAS:

- **Charcoal (Granular Activated Carbon or GAC):** These filters use carbon to trap chemicals as water passes through them.
- **Reverse Osmosis (RO) Systems:** Reverse osmosis is a process that forces water through an extremely thin barrier that separates chemicals from the water.
- **Ion Exchange Resins:** Resins are tiny beads that act like powerful magnets that attract and hold chemicals from passing through the resin.

Company	Type	Company Website	Cost*	Replacement Frequency**	Alternate Purchasing Locations
Culligan	Faucet Attachment	CFM-300CR Faucet Mount Filtration System (Chrome) CFM-300WH Faucet Mount Filtration System (White)	\$35	Approx. 300 gallons CRFM-001 Faucet Mount Replacement Filter (culligandiy.com) (\$20 every 3-4 months)	Amazon - Filter Amazon - Filter Replacement The Home Depot - Filter The Home Depot - Filter Replacement
ZeroWater	Pitcher 12-Cup Capacity	ZeroWater 12 Cup Ready-Pour™ 5-stage Water Filtration Pitcher	\$40	\$35 every two months ZeroWater 5-stage water filter replacement - 2 pack	The Home Depot - Filter Pitcher Lowes - Filter Pitcher The Home Depot - Filter Replacement Lowes - Filter Replacement
ZeroWater	Pitcher 32-Cup Capacity	ZeroWater 32 Cup Ready-Read 5-stage Water Filtration Dispenser	\$45	\$35 every two months ZeroWater 5-stage water filter replacement - 2 pack	Target - Filter Pitcher Target - Replacement Filter
ZeroWater	Pitcher 52-Cup Capacity	ZeroWater 52 Cup Ready-Read 5-Stage Water Filtration Dispenser	\$65	\$35 every two months ZeroWater 5-stage water filter replacement - 2 pack	Target - Filter Pitcher Target - Replacement Filter
ZeroWater	Pitcher 40-Cup Capacity	ZeroWater 40 Cup Ready-Pour™ Glass 5-stage Water Filtration Dispenser	\$75	\$35 every two months ZeroWater 5-stage water filter replacement - 2 pack	Walmart - Filter Pitcher Walmart - Replacement Filter
Clearly Filtered	Pitcher 80 oz / 10-Cup Capacity	Water Filter Pitcher Clearly Filtered Water Pitcher	\$90	Every 100 gallons Clearly Filtered Replacement Filter for the Clean Water Pitcher (\$55 every month or two)	Amazon - Filter Amazon - Filter Replacement
Aquasana	Under-the-Counter	2-Stage Under Sink Water Filter NSF Certified Aquasana	\$125	Every 500 gallons AQ-5200 Replacement Filters Under Counter Drinking Water Aquasana (\$60 every 6 months)	Amazon - Filter Amazon - Filter Replacement Walmart - Filter Walmart - Filter Replacement

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AO Smith	Under-the-Counter	A.O. Smith 2-Stage Carbon Block Under Sink Water Filtration System with Brushed Nickel Faucet in the Under Sink Filtration Systems	\$149	Every 500 gallons A.O. Smith 2-Stage System Carbon Block Under Sink Replacement Filter (Pack of-2) in the Replacement Water Filters & Cartridges (\$70 every 6 months)	Amazon - Filter Amazon - Filter Replacement
Brondell	Countertop (Requires additional hole)	Coral Three Stage Under Counter Water Filter System Brondell	\$180	Every 500 gallons Coral Water Filter System Replacement Filters Brondell (\$80 every 6 months)	Amazon - Filter Amazon - Filter Replacement
Multipure	Under-the-Counter	Under Counter Carbon Water Filter System Aquaperform (multipure.com)	\$590	Every 600 gallons Under Counter Carbon Water Filter System Aquaperform (multipure.com) (\$145 every 6 months)	Amazon - Filter
Amway	Under-the-Counter	eSpring™ UV Water Purifier Below Counter Model Water Treatment Amway	\$1,179	Approx. every 1,320 gallons eSpring™ UV Water Purifier Replacement Filter Cartridge With UV Technology Water Treatment Amway (\$259 annually)	N/A
Multipure	Countertop	The Ultimate Countertop Water Filter System Aqualuxe (multipure.com)	\$1,250	Every 500 gallons Aqualuxe Filter (CBLX) - Multipure (\$175 every 6 months)	Amazon - Filter
Amway	Diverter	eSpring Above Counter Unit Home Amway	\$1,299	Approx. every 1,320 gallons eSpring e3 Carbon Filter Home Amway (\$249 annually)	N/A
CBTech	Under-the-Counter	Arsenic Water Filters - Under Sink Arsenic Filter Carbon Block Technology	Contact	Approx. 600 gallons (semi-annually)	N/A
ZeroWater Link	5-Stage Water Filter Pitchers & Dispensers - Pure Tasting Water – ZeroWater (All 5-Stage Pitchers & Dispensers with exception to the Ecofilter 10 Cup Pitcher are NSF-53 Certified for PFOS and PFOA removal)			Replacement Water Filters & Cartridges for Pitchers ZeroWater	

Footnotes:

* **Cost** – Cost is based upon company/manufacturer website. Alternative Purchasing Locations may have increased or decreased costs for items.

** **Replacement Frequency** – Replacement Frequency is based on a four-member household.

IMPORTANT NOTES: The current certification standards for PFAS filters (as of April 2024) do not yet indicate that a filter will remove PFAS down to the levels the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has now set for a drinking water standard. EPA is working with standard-setting bodies to update their filter certifications to match EPA's new requirements. In the meantime, remember that reducing levels of PFAS in your drinking water is an effective way to limit your exposure. Filter maintenance is critical – filters are only effective if they are maintained according to the manufacturer's instructions. Not replacing a filter by the manufacturer's recommend schedule can increase your risk of exposure to PFAS.

DISCLAIMER: This list is ***not*** all-inclusive. This is only a summary of products that were (as of April 22, 2024) certified through the NSF laboratory for PFAS removal. This list can change with time. The information in this document is being provided ***for informational purposes only***. The Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) does not endorse any commercial product or service. Any reference to specific commercial entities or commercial products does not constitute or imply endorsement, recommendation, or favoritism by DEP.

For more information, please carefully read EPA's fact sheet, [*Reducing PFAS in Your Drinking Water with a Home Filter*](#).

For more information on filters certified to reduce contaminants from drinking water, please visit the following websites:

- CSA Group – www.csagroup.org/testing-certification/product-listing
- IAPMO R&T, Inc. – <https://pld.iapmo.org>
- NSF – <https://info.nsf.org/Certified/DWTU>
- UL – <https://productiq.ulprospector.com/en>
- WQA – <https://find.wqa.org/find-products#>