

SAFER AT HOME

Pools

General Guidance for Public, Campground, or Commercial (where a fee is charged for use) Swimming Pools:

Employee Protection:

1. Follow [Universal Guidelines](#)
2. Follow [Restaurant and Food Service Guidance](#) where applicable.
3. Follow [CDC Guidance for Cleaning and Disinfecting](#)
4. Follow [Retail Guidance](#) where applicable.

Consumer Protection:

1. Where possible, people should maintain a distance of at least 6 feet from others at all times even while in the pool.
2. All congregate amenities e.g pools, hot tubs sauna and exercise facilities will follow the [Health and Fitness Guidelines and Pool Guidance](#).

Business Process Adaptations:

1. Elevators, if present in the facility, should be limited to one person or associated reservation group at a time.
2. Spectators can be allowed at swim events, but they must maintain social distancing, both seated and standing. While Emergency Executive Order #74 is active all spectators must wear a mask.
3. Centralized areas for congregating, such as benches, tables, chairs, or deck areas, should be avoided unless there is enough room to allow for at least 6 feet of space between staff, volunteers, and athletes.
4. The capacity of a pool deck is limited to the number of people who can sit in chairs or on towels around the pool deck and maintain at least 6 feet of distance from the pool edge and from other people. People who are members of the same household can sit together closer than 6 feet but they must maintain a distance of at least 6 feet from other people or groups
5. Chairs that are generally available for use by people, either by a first-come, first served basis or rental, must be cleaned and disinfected between each use. Businesses are responsible for ensuring that this cleaning occurs.
6. Tables must be placed with at least 6 feet of distance between each table. Chairs and tables must be cleaned and disinfected between each use. Businesses are responsible for ensuring that this cleaning occurs.
7. Water fitness classes (i.e. water aerobics) can continue as long as the facility is able to comply with the Gyms/Health and Fitness Centers guidance on classes.
8. Effective 5/28/21: Outdoor table spacing reduced to 3'

