

POOLS, WATER PARKS, & SPAS GUIDANCE

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As the community moves through phased risk guidance, we encourage you to continue to implement protective measures to slow the spread of COVID-19 in our community. We understand that each facility is unique and operates under different circumstances. The guidance does not address every situation. Adaptation may be needed for your setting. Please work with your employees and patrons to implement the following:

PHYSICAL DISTANCING

- Open plunge operates at a reduced capacity that enables appropriate physical distancing to be maintained between household groups on pool deck
- Face coverings are worn by individuals on the pool deck when physical distancing is not feasible
- Lap swimming resumes to normal capacity
- Swim teams and swim lessons are allowed as long as physical distancing is allowed on pool deck
- Maintain signage that encourages physical distancing guidelines to be met at all times

CLEANING & HYGIENE

- Clean and sanitize seating areas, handles, and dressing room facilities regularly
- Maintain adequate disinfectant concentrations in the pool or spa as required by Utah Administrative Code R392-302 Design, Construction and Operation of Public Pools

STAFF & PATRON PROTECTION

- Employees working within 6 feet of patrons wear face coverings
- Employees go through symptom checking before every shift (checklist or verbal), including temperature checks when feasible
- Lifeguard training is allowable; safeguards encouraged as much as possible during training including symptom checking of trainees (checklist or verbal), including temperature checks when feasible
- Prohibit people from entry into the facility if they are sick or if they have had a recent exposure to someone with symptoms or diagnosis of COVID-19