



To: **PUBLIC SWIMMING POOL OWNERS/OPERATORS**

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From: Jennifer L. Hatley, REHS, Environmental Health

Subject: 2021 Pool Operation Season and Permitting Requirements

There are no new rules or changes to the 15A NCAC 18A .2500 Public Swimming Pool Rules for 2021.

*Please note that if your pool pump/motor has been replaced (every time the bonding wire is reconnected to the motor), an electrical inspection by Cabarrus County Construction Standards is required by law. This work must be completed by a licensed electrician. Verification will be required.

*If your pool or facility uses well water, you must call or email to schedule your yearly water sample. This must be completed and results verified before your permit can be issued.

*Nighttime inspections are required to determine lighting for pools before they can be allowed to operate at night. These inspections can be scheduled after the **\$50 night light inspection fee** has been received by our office.

The operation permit application can be found on the Cabarrus Health Alliance website <http://www.cabarrushealth.org/133/Swimming-Pools>, along with a blank Pool Drain Safety Compliance (PDSC) data form, pool operator log sheet, NCAC .2500 rules, and other information. A new PDSC form must be submitted each year, provide any updated information and be signed with a current date (rule .2539 (c)). A separate PDSC form is required for each pump at your facility. If a flow reduction is used, there must be supporting documentation provided. ***Flow meters must be operational or your permit will not be issued if using a flow reduction.**

*Your emergency phone must be working and have the correct address and phone number posted. This must be the correct call back number that 9-1-1 will use.

*Permits cannot be issued if your cyanuric acid level is >100ppm or if the information on your submitted PDSC form does not match the equipment onsite at your facility.

Your 2021 Operation Permit Application, current PDSC data sheet and permitting fees can be submitted by mail to the address below, email to jennifer.hatley@cabarrushealth.org or fax to 704-933-3379. Please make checks payable to: **Cabarrus Health Alliance**. Credit card payments can be processed by phone with the front desk administrative assistant by calling: 704-920-1207.

MAIL TO:

**Cabarrus Health Alliance
Environmental Health
300 Mooresville Road
Kannapolis NC 28081**

PERMIT FEES:

**Seasonal Swimming Pool - \$250 Annual - \$300
Wading Pool - \$60
Spa - \$100
Wet deck - \$100**

Appointments are made on a first come first serve basis. **Your pool must be 100% ready before your scheduled appointment. There will be a \$50 return visit fee for pools that cannot be permitted on the initial scheduled visit.** Call or email to schedule an opening inspection at your facility. I look forward to working with you this pool season.

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