



GWINNETT, NEWTON AND ROCKDALE
HEALTHY. PROTECTED. PREPARED.

DISTRICT HEALTH DIRECTOR **AUDREY ARONA, MD**

February 1, 2023

Dear Pool Permit Holder,

We want to take this opportunity to inform you of the plan for this upcoming pool season:

Access to your pool and pump/filter room by Gwinnett County Environmental Health personnel, for the purpose of unannounced inspections during the upcoming year, is required by the regulations to prevent pool permit suspension. For pools that do not have on-site staff, please send an e-mail to gwinnetthealthpoolinspections@gmail.com. You will receive an automated response with a link to an online form to submit required information including; facility name, permit number, gate code or lock box combination, and pump/filter room code or lock box combination. This form must be completely filled out with all required information. Completing the form with "same as last year" or any other similar response will not be accepted. Please be advised a facility with multiple pools will need a form completed for each pool not within the same enclosure. This requirement also applies to spas.

1. Once a completed on-line form is provided, and fees paid, your pool may be opened. New construction pools and pools that have undergone a change of ownership will require an inspection before operating.
2. In order to reduce waterborne illnesses and accidents, multiple educational tools are available on our website at www.gnrhealth.com for your review.
3. Like last year, we will be assessing pools for compliance in regards to adequately designed covers for main drains and skimmer equalizer lines to reduce the risk of suction entrapments.
4. Please be advised, all violations not corrected with Gwinnett Environmental Health staff onsite will require a follow-up inspection that will cost an additional fee.
5. Our annual public health education meeting will be offered at our office at **2:00 p.m. on March 14, 2023. Please call for further information.**
6. A two-day Certified Pool Operator (CPO) class will be offered on **March 16th and 17th**. To register, please visit the Gwinnett Environmental Health office located at 455 Grayson Highway, Suite 600, Lawrenceville, Georgia 30046.

If you have any questions, please contact our office a 770-963-5132. We look forward to working with you to ensure your patrons have a safe and healthy pool season.

Sincerely,

Ashley Kuzava, REHS
Environmental Health County Manager

Certified Pool Operator Class

March 16 & 17, 2023

All classes are **8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.** both days.

Classes will be held at

455 Grayson Hwy., Suite 600

Lawrenceville, GA 30046

Please bring a calculator.

Please be advised there must be at least a minimum of five people registered for the class to be held.