

# *“For Your Information”*

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## **Swimming Pool Guidelines**

We always receive questions about residents, guests and staff using the swimming pool; so I wanted to share with you a few key points:

- **The Buddy System must be used at all times** when entering the swimming pool area.
- The keys for the pool area are available at the reception desk. You are required to sign the register log when you take out and/or return the keys.
- **Guests must be signed in and accompanied by a resident** in order for them to use the pool.
  - ✓ Guests may use the pool after 2:30 PM or during times that the pool is not reserved.
  - ✓ Residents are responsible for their guests and are responsible for having them clean up the pool area before leaving.
- **Keys must be left in the door** whenever anyone is in the pool area. This allows help to enter quickly if needed.
- **The doors to the pool area cannot be propped open** due to state regulations and safety precautions.
- Lap swimming and other aquatic therapy/exercise prescriptions require several reserved lanes. Please refer to the swim schedule for the current reserved times.
- Employees and their immediate family members may swim from 3:30-8 PM.
- Please, No food and drinks (except for plastic water bottles), No Tissues, No loose bandages and No children of diaper age.
- The pool is closed for weekly maintenance from 12:30 PM on Friday until 7:30 AM on Saturday.

The recently updated guidelines are posted on the administrative bulletin board, in the swimming pool area and are also kept inside the register log for you to look over before signing out a pool key. Extra copies are also available at the reception desk if you would like one. If you have any questions, please call Bill Burtner at ext. 8543.