

Opening Your Hotel Pool After COVID-19

There are a number of tasks to complete to ensure that the pool meets the requirements of the local Health Department and is safe for your guests. Below is a list of helpful hints to prepare your pool for re-opening. Always refer to your local Health Department for a complete list of requirements.

Circulation System

- ✓ Are the pressure/vacuum gauges installed and operational? If the pressure gauge is 8 lbs or greater than the starting pressure, the filter will need to be cleaned.
- ✓ Is the pump basket clean?
- ✓ Is the chemical feed system operating properly? Check to make sure the controller has not timed out and drums/chlorinator are full of sanitizer.
- ✓ Is the pump, filter, or heater leaking or noisy? Refer to the commercial catalog link below for schematics on parts needed to repair.

Not sure what to do? Contact the representative for your area listed at the bottom of the document to schedule a site visit from a pool professional where available.

Water Chemistry and Pool Vessel

- ✓ Complete a full test of the water chemistry. Chlorine reading should be between 1-3ppm. pH should be between 7.4-7.6.
- ✓ Is the water level at the middle of the skimmer or tile?
- ✓ Is the main drain and pool or spa bottom visible? If not, the pool cannot be opened.
- ✓ Are main drain/equalizer covers in place?
- ✓ Is there visible algae? If so, you will need to complete a full algae treatment to clear the pool before opening.

For more information on proper water balancing refer to the contacts for your area at the bottom of the document.



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Safety Equipment

- ✓ Do you have all Safety signs in place?
- ✓ Is there a Non-telescopic pole with a body hook in place?
- ✓ Life ring with rope attached available?
- ✓ Gates open away from the pool/spa and are self-closing and selflatching/locking?
- ✓ Ladders and handrails appear secure?
- ✓ Is an emergency phone available?
- ✓ Is an emergency shut-off switch installed?
- ✓ Is there a Safety Vacuum Release System (SVRS) installed?

Safety products are featured in our commercial catalog. Please click on the link to the left to reference the commercial catalog.

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