

THE RISK OBSERVER

Safety Information for Residents

SWIMMING POOL SAFETY

- Even adults should never swim alone.
- Never push others into the pool.
- Check the depth before entering.
- Never dive into the pool. Always enter the water feet first.
- Always be aware and considerate of others in the water.
- Keep electrical appliances such as radios out of the pool area because of the hazard of electrical shock.
- Never swim after drinking alcoholic beverages, eating or taking medications.
- Diving is not permitted. Always enter the water feet first.
- Notify the property's management if you find anything in the pool that does not belong, or if you notice the pool equipment is broken, faulty, or damaged.

PARENTS AND GUARDIANS: ONLY YOU CAN PREVENT A DROWNING. WATCH YOUR CHILD CLOSELY AT ALL TIMES.

IF A CHILD IS MISSING, ALWAYS LOOK IN THE POOL FIRST. SECONDS COUNT IN PREVENTING DEATH OR DISABILITY.

- Children under the age of 16 must be accompanied and constantly supervised by a lease holding adult. The adult should always keep their phone with them.
- The supervising adult should not consume alcoholic beverages or engage in distracting activity while watching children, like reading, playing cards, napping, talking on the phone, etc.
- Adult supervision must be from within the gated pool confines, and not from the other side of a window, laundry room, clubhouse, etc. Do not rely on the presence of other adults.
- Make sure apartment doors that lead to the pool area are closed and locked. Young children can quickly slip away and into the pool.
- Teach children that the pool area is OFF LIMITS without parent or guardian supervision.
- Teach children to float or swim as soon as possible.
- Never chew gum or eat while swimming to avoid choking.
- Make sure children understand the dangers of running, diving, and playing rough. Explain that this kind of reckless behavior is not permitted at the property's pool.