

Welcome to the Mercy Health & Recreation Pool!!



Reminder to Parents:

All children under the age of 8 must be within arms reach by an adult (18 years or older) at all times while in the pool. Children ages 8-12 must have an adult in the pool area while using the pool.

Floating Devices: An adult must be in the water with any non-swimming child wearing a lifejacket and be within arm's reach of the child. Noodles, water wings, suits with floatation devices, inner tubes, kickboard and rafts are NOT PERMITTED in the pool. Only Coast Guard approved lifejackets are permitted in the pool. Noodles, water belts, hand buoys and kickboards are for adults and Mercy Health & Recreation programming only.

Non-Toilet Trained Swimmers: Swim Diapers are required at this facility. Swim Diapers and swim suits are to be changed in the locker room or family changing room, not on the pool deck or hallway. A fecal accident in the water is a health hazard and requires the closing of the pool for a minimum of 30 minutes. No diaper changing on the pool deck.

Eating/Drinking: Food is not permitted in the pool area/decks. Please take all food to the front lobby or meeting room. Plastic water bottles (water only) are permitted (NO Pop or Gatorade permitted)

Therapy Pool: The Therapy Pool is a warm water pool with the temperature at around 90 degrees. Mercy Hospital will be conducting water therapy Monday-Friday 8am-5pm. During this time the Therapy Pool and Hot Tub will be closed to the public. Adults (18 & over) can use the Therapy Pool 6-8am & 5-8pm M-F and all day Saturday and Sunday. Children ages 8-17 can use the Therapy Pool Saturdays & Sundays from 12-2pm. Children under the age of 8 are not permitted to use the Therapy Pool.

Hot Tub: The Hot Tub is located in the Therapy Pool Room. The water temperature is kept around 103 degrees. You MUST be 14 years and older to use the Hot Tub. Please limit time to 15-20 minutes. The Hot Tub will be closed Monday-Friday from 8am-5pm.

Slide Height: The slide in the Main Pool has a minimum height requirement of 48 inches. This is a state requirement and we adhere to it strictly. We have a measurement device at the top of the slide that the lifeguard will use to measure every child every time. The splash down pool is also 48 inches deep

No Head First Diving: Both pools are shallow (4-6 feet), NO DIVING is permitted in either pool

Proper Swim Attire: Swimmers must wear bathing suits (any swimwear deemed inappropriate by management is not permitted). Cutoffs, gym shorts, and/or leotards are not permitted

Toys: Toys such as diving rings and soft sticks are permitted but may not be thrown or used as weapons. Soft sponge balls, beach balls and soft baby toys are also permitted. Rafts and inner tubes are not permitted. The lifeguards have the authority to restrict the use of toys at any time.

Inclement Weather: Mercy Health & Recreation Center will close Main Pool, Therapy Pool and Hot Tub for any thunder or lightning in the area. The pools and hot tub will be closed 30 minutes after the last lightning sighting and/or thunder heard. No one will be permitted to be on the pool decks while the pools are closed.

Learn to Swim Program: See the Front Desk for current information on date and times of all class. Classes will be held in the Main Pool. No Spectators will be permitted on deck during all Learn to Swim classes. Spectators are permitted to watch from the windows or sit up on the observation deck on the second floor that overlooks the Main Pool

Splash Pad: Located on the Inclusive Playground next to the Mercy Health and Recreation Center, it's a zero depth pool with 9 different water features. Proper swim attire is required. Splash Pad is operational during the summer months. Hours of operation are 10am-8pm Monday-Saturday and 12-8pm on Sundays.

Mercy Health & Recreation Number: 440-984-3470 Call for any information on hours, special events, closings due to weather etc.

Thank you for your adherence to these rules and we wish you a safe and enjoyable experience in the Mercy Health & Recreation Center pools!!

***Rules/Policies/Schedules may change at the discretion of the Mercy Health & Recreation Management based off class registrations, weather, and special events.**

