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DESIGNATED CHILD WATCHER



Pool simple steps
save lives
SAFELY



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Be Prepared!



Assign an adult to wear this Designated Child Watcher Badge at all times that children are near water.



Never leave your child alone in or near a swimming pool, hot tub or wading pool even for a moment.



Enclose your pool or spa with four-sided fencing at least five feet high, with self-closing and latching gates. Do not use your house as one of the four sides.



Learn CPR and keep rescue equipment, and a telephone by your pool.



Use door alarms, pool alarms and automatic pool covers for extra protection.



Teach your child to swim, but never rely solely on swimming lessons to protect him/her from drowning.

In an EMERGENCY dial 911

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