



**State of Maryland
Department of Health and Mental Hygiene**

**PUBLIC NOTICE
FOR
SWIMMING POOLS AND SPAS**

**ANY INDIVIDUAL WHO HAS THE FOLLOWING
CONDITIONS MAY NOT ENTER THE WATER OF
A PUBLIC POOL OR SPA PER STATE
REGULATION 10.17.01.50:**

- 1. An infectious or contagious disease that may be transmitted through water;**
- 2. An open cut, blister, or other lesion; or**
- 3. Diarrhea**

**THE OWNER OF A PUBLIC POOL OR SPA HAS
THE RIGHT TO DENY ENTRY INTO THE
WATER OF A PUBLIC POOL OR SPA IF AN
INDIVIDUAL EXHIBITS ANY OF THE ABOVE
CONDITIONS UNLESS A PHYSICIAN CERTIFIES
THAT THE INDIVIDUAL'S CONDITION IS NOT
INFECTIOUS OR CONTAGIOUS BY
WATERBORNE TRANSMISSION.**