



BE SMART AROUND WATER

Swimming is fun but should always be supervised by an adult. Unfortunately, drowning is the second leading cause of death among children under the age of 14 in Utah. Water safety means being smart around all kinds of water.



Open water and boating:

- Use approved life jackets.
- Read and obey all posted rules.
- Never dive into unknown water.
- Install a carbon monoxide detector on houseboats.



In and around the home:

- Never leave a child alone in a bathtub or around water.
- Empty all buckets and wading pools immediately after use.
- Install child safety locks on toilet lids.



Pool and hot tub:

- If a child is missing, always check the pool or nearby water first.
- Have a pool enclosure.
- Teach children to swim.

Remember to stay alert and aware while supervising children near water. To prepare for an emergency, learn infant and child CPR.



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