

CHAPTER 7

DRESSING AND SANITARY FACILITIES; BATHHOUSES.

Section 1. Sanitary Facilities; Bathhouses.

- (a) Adequate sanitary facilities, such as a bathhouse shall be provided and maintained at all general-use swimming pools.
- (b) Where a general-use swimming or wave pool is operated in conjunction with a companion facility, a bathhouse common to both facilities shall be acceptable, provided the minimum facility ratios and locations described in section 3 of this chapter are followed.

Section 2. Bathhouse Requirements.

- (a) A bathhouse shall:
 - (i) Meet the requirements of the Uniform Plumbing Code;
 - (ii) Be located within two-hundred (200) feet (60.96m) of the general-use swimming pool;
 - (iii) Contain dressing rooms and sanitary facilities, separate for each sex;
 - (iv) Have slip resistant and easy to clean floors covered to a height of four (4) inches (10cm);
 - (v) Have interior wall and ceiling finishes that are smooth, easy to clean and impervious to water;
 - (vi) Have shower stall floors that are finished with non-slip, impervious surfaces;
 - (vii) Be kept clean, free of dirt, algae, molds or other debris; and
 - (viii) Have shower compartments with walls that are impervious to water to a height of six (6) feet (1.83m) above the floor.
 - (A) In shower compartments, an effective water-tight joint between the wall and the floor shall be maintained; and
 - (B) Glass bath or shower doors shall be made of approved safety glass.

(I) Wooden racks or duck boards over shower floors are not permitted.

- (ix) Have shielded light fixtures.

Section 3. Sanitary Facilities, Minimum Number.

(a) General-use swimming and wave pools shall provide sanitary facilities in the following numbers, based upon maximum user load and equal distribution of sexes:

- (i) One (1) toilet per forty (40) pool users, with a minimum of two (2);

(A) Urinals shall be an acceptable substitute for no more than one-half (1/2) of the toilets for men.

(ii) One (1) handwashing lavatory adjacent to the toilet per sixty (60) pool users; and

(iii) One (1) shower head per forty (40) pool users, with a minimum of two (2);

(A) Showers shall be located to provide users immediate access to the pool deck.

(b) All public pools other than general use, swimming, wave and wading pools, shall:

(i) Provide toilets, lavatories and showers as described in subsection (d) of this section;

(ii) Provide such toilets, lavatories and showers within three-hundred (300) feet (91.4m) of the pool; and

(iii) Provide showers as described in section 2(a)(v), (vi) and (viii), of this chapter.

(A) Hot and cold or tempered water only shall be provided:

(I) At all shower heads; and

(II) A minimum temperature of at least 90°F (32°C) shall be available at all times.

(1.) Tempered water shall not exceed 110°F (43°C).

Section 4. Handwashing Cleanser; Availability.

(a) Each handwashing lavatory or group of two (2) adjacent lavatories shall be provided with a supply of hand-cleaning liquid, powder, or bar soap.

Section 5. Hand Drying Provision.

(a) Each handwashing lavatory or group of adjacent handwashing lavatories shall be provided with:

- (i) Individual, disposable towels;
- (ii) A continuous towel system that supplies the user with a clean towel; or
- (iii) A heated-air hand drying device.

(b) If disposable towels are used at handwashing lavatories, a waste receptacle shall be located at each lavatory or group of adjacent lavatories.

Section 6. Sanitary Facility; Floors.

(a) Floors of the sanitary facility shall:

- (i) Be free of joints or openings;
- (ii) Be continuous throughout the area;
- (iii) Slope a minimum of one-fourth (1/4) inch (6mm) per foot;
- (iv) Drain to floor drains; and
- (v) Have a slip-resistant surface.

(b) Hose bibs with approved vacuum breakers shall be provided for washing down the bathhouse interior.

Section 7. Diaper Changing.

(a) Diaper changing areas shall:

- (i) Be immediately accessible from the wading pool;
- (ii) Used only for changing diapers;
- (iii) Constructed of smooth, non-porous material; and

- (iv) Be easily accessible to a handwashing facility.