



PUBLIC NOTICE

POOL SAFETY

POOL SAFETY IS CRITICAL

All swimming pools above or below ground must comply with the pool safety standard. The pool safety standard covers such things as the height and strength of barriers, mandatory non-climbable zones, gates and their latching requirements and preventing direct access from a building into a pool area.

If you have a pool and the safety standards are not complied with Council may issue an on-the-spot fine of \$883.05 for individuals and \$2523 for companies.

A pools safety checklist is available at www.qbcc.qld.gov.au/home-building-owners/pool-safety/pool-compliance-checklist.

All pools in Queensland must be registered with the Queensland Building and Construction Commission (QBCC). Check that your pool is registered at www.qbcc.qld.gov.au/home-building-owners/pool-safety/registering-your-pool.

For further information please contact Council's Customer Service Centre on (07) 4656 0500.

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