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COMMUNITY CARE LICENSING DIVISION: NOTIFICATION OF UNITED STATES CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION ABOVE-GROUND POOLS RECALL

Primary Audience: ALL CHILD CARE PROGRAM LICENSEES AND PROVIDERS

The Community Care Licensing Division (CCLD), Child Care Licensing Program (CCP), is sharing a notification from the <u>United States Consumer Product Safety Commission</u> (CPSC) of a recent recall of Bestway, Intex, and Polygroup models of above-ground pools. On July 21, 2025, CPSC announced a recall of approximately five million 48-inch and taller above-ground pools that use compression straps. These straps wrap around the pool on the outside of the supporting poles and may create a foothold, allowing a child to access the pool and drown.

View the full notification online: Bestway, Intex, and Polygroup Recall Certain Above-Ground Pools 48 Inches and Taller Due to Drowning Hazard; Nine Deaths Reported; Five Million Pools Sold Since 2002

A forthcoming Provider Information Notice (PIN) will be shared with further details.

Additional Resources:

For additional guidance on water safety, please refer to PIN 24-08-CCLD.

For additional information on the recall and additional water safety information, please visit the CPSC website at PoolSafety.gov.

If you have any questions, please contact your CCP Local Regional Offices.

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