

# NOTICE

The City of Duncanville Code of Ordinances Sec. 5-8 © (1) states that any private pool or spa located within the city shall not be permitted to remain in a condition so as to create a public health or safety hazard, or a nuisance to the general public. Any time a private pool or spa contains any amount of water, the owner or occupant of the premises must:

- a. Maintain water clarity so that all parts of the bottom can be seen;
- c. Maintain pool substantially free of foreign matters;
- d. Prevent harborage or breeding places for insects or rodents.

The Duncanville Health Dept. recommends and requires all of the above, and in addition, that the pump run at least 8 hrs each day with the Chlorine levels at 1 ppm or greater to prevent the breeding of mosquitoes which may be vectors of West Nile Virus.

Wading pools should not be left with the same water in them for more than two days. Empty and refill every two days to prevent mosquito breeding, or store dry and inverted between periods of use.

Any failure to meet the above requirements for a period exceeding 10 days may result in the city taking further legal action to correct these unsatisfactory conditions.

Your cooperation and compliance with the above requirements in a timely manner will be greatly appreciated by the Duncanville Health Dept. and your neighbors as we work together to help slow the spread of West Nile Virus by mosquitoes in our community.

Duncanville Health Inspector, Mike Plemons (972-780-4963)