

# Don't Swallow Pool Water

You wouldn't drink the water someone else bathes in.  
Why would you drink the water someone else swims in?



You share the water—and the germs, pee, sweat, and dirt in it—with everyone in the pool.

**Use pool water for swimming, not drinking.**

For more information, visit [www.cdc.gov/healthyswimming](http://www.cdc.gov/healthyswimming)



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