Use Safe Chemical Practices at Pools and Spas

**DO**
- Read the product label
- Maintain good housekeeping practices
- Store chemicals in a cool, dry, well-ventilated place
- Wear appropriate personal protective equipment as listed on label
- Use up all product before disposal of container
- Notify supervisor in case of an emergency situation
- Keep spilled materials isolated, follow label directions for clean-up and disposal
- Keep chemical product containers covered and protected from contamination
- Add each pool and spa chemical separately
- Have an emergency plan and conduct regular drills

**DO NOT**
- Dispose of spilled material or unused product in the TRASH or SEWER (use or dispose per label directions)*
- Store liquid materials above solid materials
- Allow product to contact oil, grease, acid or organic material
- Smoke where pool chemicals are stored or used
- Use floor sweeping compounds when cleaning up pool chemicals
- Put spilled materials back in the original container
- Use dry chemical fire extinguishers (use water only!)
- Mix with any other chemicals, materials, or pool/spa products
- Dispose of chemical product container without washing & drying completely

*For disposal information, contact your local solid waste, health, or environmental agency.

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