



Cryptosporidium is a microscopic parasite that causes the diarrheal disease cryptosporidiosis. Both the parasite and the disease are commonly known as "Crypto."

There are many species of Cryptosporidium that infect animals, some of which also infect humans. The parasite is protected by an outer shell that allows it to survive outside the body for long periods of time and makes it very tolerant to chlorine disinfection.

While this parasite can be spread in several different ways, water (drinking water and recreational water) is the most common way to spread the parasite. Cryptosporidium is a leading cause of waterborne disease among humans in the United States.

- <https://www.cdc.gov/parasites/cryptosporidium/>

Who We Are

About Us

The Mission of Loch Lomond Beach Club (LLBC) is to foster and maintain acquaintanceship and friends among the LLBC community. LLBC will provide quality services, well-maintained facilities and a pleasant atmosphere for the beneficial use of its members.

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Swim pants requirement

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Loch Lomond Beach Club swim pants policy

LLBC Policy implemented in 2016

Any child under the age of 4 prior to April 1 are required to wear swim pants in the LLBC swimming pool/Splash Pad areas.

Prior to the policy being implemented in 2016, the pool/Splash Pad areas were closed 3 times in 2.5 months due to fecal accidents. 2017 the pool was only closed once. In the 2017 incident (according to LLBC's swim pant policy) the child should have had swim pants on but didn't.

Recreational Water Illness' (RWI's)

Recreational Water Illness' are illness' caused by the water we swim in. Recreational water illnesses (RWIs) are caused by germs spread by swallowing, breathing in mists or aerosols of, or having contact with contaminated water in swimming pools, hot tubs, water parks, water play areas, interactive fountains, lakes, rivers, or oceans. RWIs can also be caused by chemicals in the water or chemicals that evaporate from the water and cause indoor air quality problems. RWIs can be a wide variety of infections, including gastrointestinal, skin, ear, respiratory, eye, neurologic and wound infections. The most commonly reported RWI is diarrhea. Diarrheal illnesses can be caused by germs such as Crypto (short for Cryptosporidium), Giardia, Shigella, norovirus, and E. coli
<https://www.cdc.gov/parasites/crypto/>

The cost for 3 pool closures in 2016 was estimated to be over \$1500. This cost includes chemicals and staff time



These swim pants are fully adjustable to a variety of sizes and washable and reusable. Alvababy.com

Urinating in/potty training is not the issue in pools. The issue comes from the amount of water that small children ingest while swimming can cause diarrhea. This is caused by the chemicals in the water and the small size of the child. The swim pants only hold in the solid pieces of fecal matter, not the liquid. Diarrhea contains bacteria. It is the bacteria that requires the pool to close.