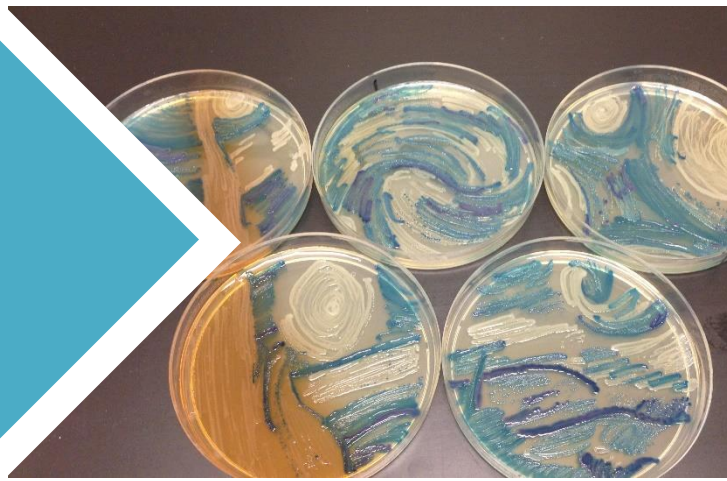




So, you failed your water sample....

You think chlorine kills germs. Yes, it does. But it doesn't work right away. It takes time to kill germs. Without your help, even the best maintained pools can spread germs.



What to do if your water sample has failed:

Review logs



Note abnormalities



Adjust pool chemicals



Increase Free Available Chlorine Level to 10 ppm & maintain pH at or near 7.2

Run water through circulation system for at least 4-6 hrs.

Adjust water chemistry to regular operating parameters

Resubmit bacteriological water sample

Reopen Pool (IF PASSED)

Why might I have failed my water sample?

- High or unusual pH
- High Turbidity
- Low Free Chlorine or low ORP
- High Stabilizer (outdoor pools only)
- Poor filtration or other circulation problems
- Unusual contamination from high bather load, Fecal accidents, water source, or the environment (rain/storm events)
- Inadequate treatment of water due to the equipment being insufficient to meet the treatment demands (undersized components)
- Temporary breakdown of disinfection or filtration equipment which might have gone undetected
- Deterioration of pool facility (i.e. side wall/coping issues)
- Poorly cleaned surfaces in the pool that may have a biofilm/scum lines or dirty bathing facilities