Swimming Authorization Form

The Ministry of Education requires that no child under six years old in licensed home child care is permitted to use or have access to any standing or recreational body of water on the providers premises (ie. Pools, ponds, hot tubs, beaches, etc.)

Children may have access to a pool off the provider’s premises only, if someone who meets the qualifications for a lifeguard set out in Ontario Regulation 565 (Public Pools) is present. Providers are responsible for following the safety rules and regulations at the recreational facility.

Children who are six years old and over are permitted to swim at beaches with their provider where water quality is monitored, and lifeguards are present (set out in Ontario Regulation 565).

The home childcare provider, if a qualified lifeguard is able to fill both roles as long as they meet the qualification requirements regarding lifeguard certification set out in the regulation.

I give authorization for my child Click or tap here to enter text. to attend Click or tap here to enter text. with my provider Click or tap here to enter text.

Swimming Aids required: Choose an item.



Date: Click or tap to enter a date.

Before the first time a provider utilizes a standing body of water with a lifeguard, the plan must be reviewed by a home visitor.

Provider- please described considerations: number of children going, ages, facility, location:

Click or tap here to enter text.



Date: Click or tap to enter a date.