



Kent County Health Department
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2017 Kent County Beach Advisories

An advisory means that swimming is not recommended until bacteria levels fall.

Date Posted	Location	Notification	Reason
8/31/2017	No Advisories		

This concludes bathing beach sampling for the year. We will resume sampling the week prior to Memorial Day, 2018. Please continue to practice safety and vigilance.

Rainfall Advisory

After rainfall, individuals should exercise caution and avoid swimming/direct water contact for at least 48 hours due to predicted high bacterial levels.

FAQ

Go to the following link for answers to frequently asked questions regarding beach health and swimming safety:

<http://marylandhealthybeaches.com/faqs.html>

Practice Healthy Beach Habits

Go to the following link for tips on how to prevent water-related illnesses:

<http://marylandhealthybeaches.com/habits.html>

Marylanders' Guide to Skin Wounds and Water Contact

Go to the following link for information on Vibrio and how to prevent infection:

<http://marylandhealthybeaches.com/vibrio.html>

MDE's Current Conditions Map

Go to the following link to for an interactive map showing current beach conditions throughout Maryland:

http://marylandhealthybeaches.com/current_conditions.php