

POOL INSPECTION CHECKLIST (NSW)

Pools Built/Installed After 01/05/2013

POOL FENCE

Is your pool fence at least 1200mm high all the way around the pool area? If a boundary fence forms part of the pool fence, it must be at least 1800mm high?		
Are the gaps between the bottom of the fence and the ground no greater than 100mm?	Yes	No
	Yes	No
No potential hand holds or foot holds within 900mm of the top of the pool fence in any direction?		
direction?	Yes	No
Are the gaps between the pool fence vertical rails or bars no greater than 100mm apart?		
	Yes	No
If your pool fence has mesh or perforated material, are the holes no greater than 13mm?		
	Yes	No
Is your pool fence in good repair and fixed securely, with no damages?		
	Yes	No
POOL GATES		
Does the pool gate open outwards away from the pool?		
	Yes	No
Does the pool gate self-close and self-latch from all open positions? The gate latch must		
be working well so that the gate is secure and, once closed, can't be pulled open.	Yes	No
If gate latch is on the outside, is the latch lever at least 1500mm above ground level?		
	Yes	No
If gate latch is on the inside, is the latch lever at least 1200mm above ground level and at least 150mm below the top of the gate?		
	Yes	No
Are you aware that it is dangerous and against the law to prop the gate open?		
	Yes	No
OTHER		
No climbable objects within 900mm on the outside and 300mm on the inside?		
	Yes	No
Is there a compliant CPR sign which can be easily read from a distance of 3 metres?		
	Yes	No
If a wall forms part of the barrier, there are no openings greater than 100mm?		
	Yes	No
Windows in the pool area fitted with security screens or open no greater than 100mm?		
	Yes	No
Your pool fence must be clear of any objects such as BBQs, trees, rocks, shrubs and deckchairs that could help a small child climb over the fence?		
	Yes	No

The above checklist is to be used as a guide only. Please contact My Pool Safety Inspector for any specific advice you may require before your pool inspection.