

Spa/Hot Tub Checklist



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| SPA1 | Agency Name: | |
| SPA2 | Total number of spa or hot tub areas assessed: | _____ spas/hot tubs |
| SPA3 | Name/ location of the spa or hot tub: | |
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| SPA4 | Is there a continuous unobstructed route of travel from entrance to the spa or hot tub? | <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> n/a <input type="checkbox"/> photo |
| SPA5 | Is the route of travel well-lit? | <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> n/a <input type="checkbox"/> photo |
| SPA6 | Describe the surface of the route of travel: | |
| SPA7 | Slope of route of travel (at its steepest incline): | _____ % (enter 0% if flat) |
| SPA8 | Width of route of travel (at its narrowest point): | _____ inches (at least 36") |
| SPA9 | Are the means of entering/exiting the whirlpool on a route of travel that is at least 36 inches wide? | <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> n/a <input type="checkbox"/> photo |
| SPA10 | Is the entering/exiting area large enough for wheelchair maneuvering? (60" circle) | <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> n/a <input type="checkbox"/> photo |
| SPA11 | Indicate means of access to the hot tub (check all that apply): <input type="checkbox"/> lift <input type="checkbox"/> stairs: number of steps: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> transfer system <input type="checkbox"/> transfer wall | |
| SPA12 | Is a handrail provided? | <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> n/a <input type="checkbox"/> photo |
| SPA13 | If a transfer wall is provided, provide the dimensions of the wall: | _____ inches high (16"-19") by _____ deep (12"-16") |
| SPA14 | If a lift is provided, can the lift be operated independently by the user without assistance? | <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> n/a <input type="checkbox"/> photo |
| SPA15 | Can the temperature of the water be adjusted from within the unit? | <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> n/a <input type="checkbox"/> photo |
| SPA16 | Are temperature and other controls able to be operated with a closed fist? | <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> n/a <input type="checkbox"/> photo |
| SPA17 | Is a thermometer measuring water temperature visible from within the unit? | <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> n/a <input type="checkbox"/> photo |
| SPA18 | Are depth markers clearly visible from outside the spa/hot tub? | <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> n/a <input type="checkbox"/> photo |
| SPA19 | Comments/additional information about spa/hot tub: | |

Spa/Hot Tub Checklist Information

Definitions for Spas and Hot Tubs:

- **Pool lift** is a piece of equipment which transfers a person directly into the water.
- **Transfer wall** allows a person to transfer from a wheelchair to a raised wall surrounding the spa or hot tub. The depth (how wide the wall is) of the transfer wall must be 12 inches minimum and 16 inches maximum.
- **Transfer systems** include raised platforms or stairs that allow a person to transfer to the stairs or platform to enter and exit the water.



Transfer Wall



Pool Lift



Pool Transfer System

Additional information for completing Spa/Hot Tub checklist:

Accessible means of entry/exit are required for spas and hot tubs. Spas must provide a pool lift, transfer wall, or transfer system.

EXCEPTION: Where spas are provided in a cluster, no more than 5 percent, but no fewer than one spa in each cluster shall be required to comply.