



# POOL SAFETY

NEVER LET YOUR GUARD DOWN!

Each year,  
about 250  
children under  
age 5 drown  
in swimming  
pools.

- 1 Always **supervise**.
  - Designate a “water-watcher” during swim time.
- 2 Install a **fence** completely around the pool.
  - Use fence gates that are self-closing and self-latching.
- 3 Be **prepared**.
  - Learn CPR. And keep a telephone by the pool.



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