



Village of Skokie

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Heat Emergency Information

Summer is here, and with this season comes the heat. The Skokie Health Department recommends the following during forecasted heat advisories:

- Use a buddy system to check in on family, neighbors, and friends;
- Plan activities for the coolest times of the day (early morning and late afternoon);
- Drink plenty of fluids;
- Wear light colored, loose fitting clothing outdoors;
- NEVER leave children or pets in a parked car; and
- Protect your pets. Make sure your pet always has cool, clean water and a shaded area to rest if left outside

Those without air conditioning may visit the following public cooling centers in Skokie:

- Illinois Department of Human Services at 8020 St. Louis, Skokie, Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- Skokie Public Library at 5215 Oakton St. Skokie, 847/673-7774. Monday to Friday, 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Saturday, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Sunday, 12 to 6 p.m.
- Skokie Park District, The Skatium at 9300 Weber Park Place (at the rear of the building), Skokie, 847/674-1500 ext. 2900. Sunday through Thursday, 6:30 a.m. to 10 p.m., Friday, 6:30 a.m. to 8:30 p.m. and Saturday, 6:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

For more information contact the Skokie Health Department at 847/933-8252, or visit www.skokie.org.

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