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## DOH-Bay Issues Water Quality Health Advisories

*Advisories issued for Carl Gray Park (SP 9) and Earl Gilbert Park (SP 11).*



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**Bay County, Fla. —** The Florida Department of Health in Bay County (DOH-Bay) has issued water quality advisories for the following locations:

**Carl Gray Park (SP 9)**  
**Collegiate Drive**  
**Panama City, FL 32401**

**Earl Gilbert Park (SP 11)**  
**6601 Oak Shore Drive**  
**Parker, FL 32404**

Tests completed on Monday, June 23, 2025, indicate that the water quality at the Carl Gray Park (SP 9) and Earl Gilbert Park (SP 11) locations do not meet the recreational water quality criteria for *Enterococcus* bacteria recommended by the Florida Department of Health.

DOH-Bay advises against any water-related activities at these locations due to an increased risk of illness in swimmers. Sampling conducted during regular water quality monitoring showed that the level of bacteria exceeds the level established by state guidelines.

These advisories will continue until bacteria levels are below the accepted health level. Test results are available at [FloridaHealth.gov/HealthyBeaches](https://FloridaHealth.gov/HealthyBeaches).

For more information call 850-481-4812 or visit [Bay.FloridaHealth.gov](https://Bay.FloridaHealth.gov).

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