



## Electrical Safety Tips for Your Swimming Pool

1. Make sure your system has been updated and the equipment is GFCI protected.
2. Make sure there is no landscape wiring close to your pool. Irrigation and landscape companies are not licensed or certified to do this kind of work.
3. Make sure any receptacles within legal distance of your pool are GFCI protected.
4. If you are purchasing a home with an existing swimming pool, make sure that no overhead power lines are above the pool and that pool electric is up to recent electrical codes.
5. Check your GFCI breakers or receptacles monthly.
6. Never operate electrical appliances near your swimming pool.
7. When you are wet (or in the rain or snow), never try to operate your pool timer—or anything having to do with your pool equipment.
8. If your pool company disconnects your pool pumps every year, make sure that the bonding wires are not damaged and are reconnected by a qualified electrician. If you're not sure, call **Kel-Rob Electric** for service.
9. Worn motor cord connections will cause shorting of pumps and decrease motor life.
10. No weatherproof in-use covers will cause water to get into receptacles and cause electrical short or shock if plug is handled.