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SAFETY ASSESSMENTS
CONDUCTED SINCE 2002

39

POOLS ASSESSED
IN 2015-16



95%

AVERAGE SAFETY RATING IN 2015-16
SCORES RANGE FROM 86.2-100%

TOP 3 REGIONS
FOR OVERALL SAFETY RATING

PERTH METRO (96%)

BUNBURY (93%)

ALBANY (92%)

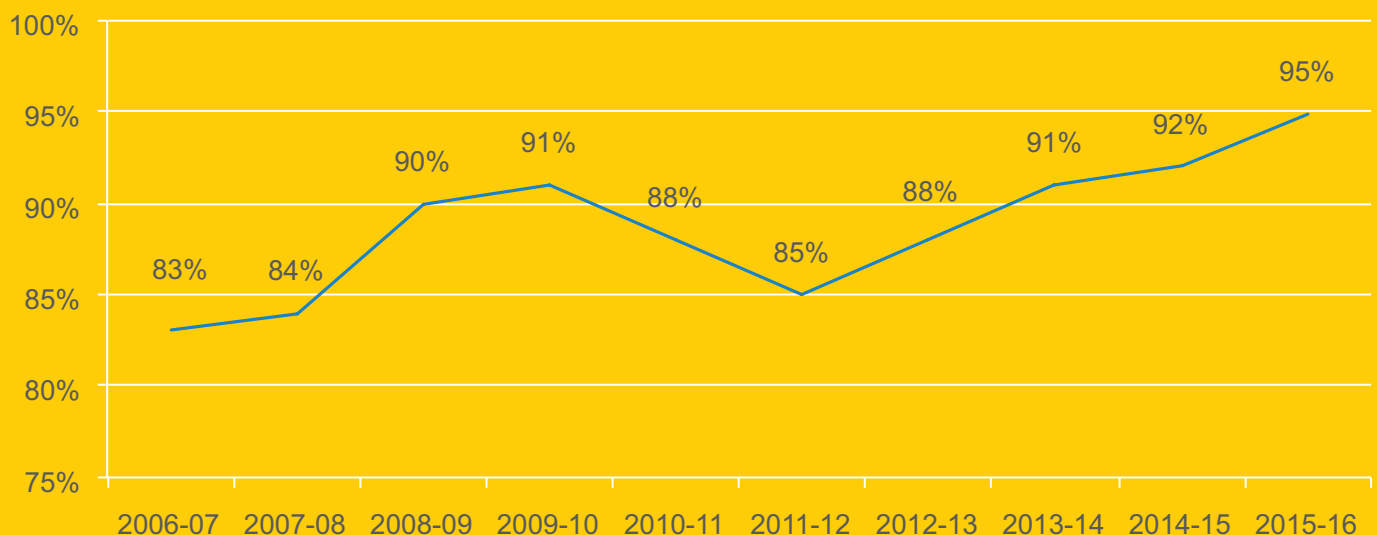
AREAS
FOR IMPROVEMENT

CHEMICAL SAFETY

WATER SLIDES

SPECIAL FEATURES

IMPROVEMENTS IN AVERAGE OVERALL SAFETY RATINGS OVER THE PAST TEN YEARS



WESTERN AUSTRALIAN AQUATICS
INDUSTRY REPORT 2015-16
INCIDENTS AND INJURIES – LOCAL GOVERNMENT

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2,407

INCIDENTS ACROSS
ALL WA AQUATIC FACILITIES

23.5

INCIDENTS
PER 100,000 PATRONS



SEVERITY : 89% MINOR : 8% MODERATE : 3% MAJOR :

67%

OF INCIDENTS OCCURRED
IN SUMMER AND SPRING

63%

OF INCIDENTS WERE
AMONG THOSE AGED 5-14

TOP 3 INCIDENTS

UNINTENTIONAL COLLISION

21%

LOW FALLS

18%

CUTTING/PIERCING OBJECTS

14%

TOP 3 INJURIES

SUPERFICIAL WOUNDS

26%

OPEN WOUNDS

16%

BLOWS TO THE HEAD

12%

KEEP YOURSELF SAFE AT PUBLIC POOLS



WALK,
DON'T RUN



SUPERVISE
CHILDREN



BE AWARE OF YOUR
SURROUNDINGS



KNOW YOUR
LIMITATIONS



WATCH
YOUR STEP