



Shepshed Dolphin Swimming Group

Providing exercise, pool activity and fun for those with a disability or need

Policy: Pool changing room use

During the majority of periods the changing rooms will be used in accordance with the signage on the changing room doors.

The following will apply only when the disabled and communal changing rooms are in use

If during the course of a pool session swimmers arrive with male/female member with male/female carers and the large changing room is in use, it may become necessary for the female/male carers to change their clients in the female changing room or male changing room. This also includes guardians and children over the age of 8 who are not able to change themselves. Should this occur the session manager will manage the process by following this procedure;

- The female carers with male or male carers with female will wait at the pool side.
- The session manager will ensure the female/male changing room is empty (if it is necessary wait until the room is empty).
- Once the changing room is empty allow the female carers with male or male carers with female in to the female/male changing room.
- Ensure any female/male members wishing to change wait poolside until the members have vacated the changing rooms.
- Once they have vacated the female/male changing rooms allow the waiting members in to the changing room.
- The session manager must liaise with the carer/guardian to ensure no members enter the changing room of the opposite sex to change after using the pool without the authority of the session manager.
- The process will be reversed once they wish to change following the use of the pool.

Chair

Signed

Date