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Ocean Water Use Warning for Los Angeles County Beaches

LOS ANGELES – The Los Angeles County Department of Public Health cautions residents who are planning to visit the below Los Angeles County beaches to avoid swimming, surfing, and playing in ocean waters:

BEACH AREA WARNINGS:

- Santa Monica Canyon Creek at Will Rogers State Beach. <u>Near Will Rogers Tower 18</u> 100 yards up and down the coast from the creek.
- Santa Monica Pier in Santa Monica 100 yards up and down the coast from the pier.
- Redondo Beach Pier in Redondo Beach 100 yards up and down the coast from the pier.
- Mothers Beach in Marina Del Rey The entire swim area.
- Inner Cabrillo Beach in San Pedro The entire swim area.

These warnings have been issued due to bacterial levels exceeding health standards when last tested.

BEACH AREAS NOW CLEARED:

Warnings have been lifted for the following beach areas where recent sample results identified water quality levels within State standards:

• Topanga Canyon Beach in Malibu

Recorded information on beach conditions is available 24- hours a day on the County's beach closure hotline: 1-800- 525-5662. To view the map of impacted locations and for more information, please visit <u>PublicHealth.LACounty.gov/Beach/</u>.

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