

HSG282 regulations for Hot Tub in Holiday lets and commercial environments.

The HSG282 has been introduced by the HSE to ensure Hot Tubs used in a commercial environment meet certain standards and can offer the bather and user a safe and pleasant experience.

The HSG282 regulations summarised:

- 1. The water capacity of the spa must be equal to or exceed 250 litres per bather seat.
- 2. The spa should be capable of turning over and filtering the total water capacity of the spa within 15 minutes.
- 3. The spa must have a built-in sanitisation system. Floating tablet dispensers are not recommended. FROG system for example.
- 4. The spa should be fitted with an Ozone and or UV system.
- 5. The spa should not be equipped with an air blower.
- 6. Waterfall features and any pipework which allows dead legs (can be switched off and cannot be purged) are not recommended.
- 7. A 24-hour or High Flow filtration system is recommended.

General maintenance

Fresh / new water is required with each new set of guests.

The water should be tested and recorded twice a day and chemicals adjusted as necessary.

Records kept for 5 years.

New / Cleaned filter with each new guest.

Regular system flush for pipework.

Monthly microbiocidal testing.

Quarterly Legionella testing.

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