Cool Centers are public facilities that are open to the community for the purpose of seeking temporary relief from excessive heat.

The City of Riverside coordinates Cool Centers to provide drop-in sites for vulnerable individuals, seniors, the disabled, and others in need of temporary relief from the heat. Cool Centers are made available to the public when an “Excessive Heat Warning” is issued by the National Weather Service for our area. Residents are encouraged to observe safe summer activities during the warm summer months and to listen or watch for “Excessive Heat Warnings” on radio, television, and local newspaper.

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![NOAA's National Weather Service](image)

**Sources of Weather Information:**
- [http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sgx/](http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sgx/)
- [http://www.weather.com/weather/newscenter/alerts/nswxcategory/CA](http://www.weather.com/weather/newscenter/alerts/nswxcategory/CA)
- 1-858-675-8700 (recorded weather information)

**Sources of Heat Safety Information:**
- [http://www.cdc.gov/niosh/topics/heatstress/](http://www.cdc.gov/niosh/topics/heatstress/)

**Extreme Heat Quick Tips:**
- Drink plenty of fluids (nonalcoholic)
- Avoid liquids that contain alcohol or large amounts of sugar
- Stay indoors and, if at all possible, stay in an air-conditioned place
- Wear lightweight, light-colored, loose-fitting clothing
- Limit your outdoor activity to morning and evening hours
- Rest often and in shady areas
- Wear a wide-brimmed hat
- Check on adults who are at risk at least twice a day
- NEVER leave anyone in a closed, parked vehicle

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