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## **Health Department Lifts South Beach Advisory**

**GLYNN COUNTY, GA**— The Glynn County Health Department has lifted the advisory for the South Beach at the 4-H Camp on Jekyll Island.

The advisory was issued on May 5, 2010, after routine water quality tests showed a high level of enterococci bacteria which increase the risk of gastrointestinal illness in swimmers.

Subsequent water samples taken showed that the bacteria levels have dropped below Environmental Protection Agency's recommended limits. Therefore the advisory has been lifted.

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