Steps for Managing Bathrooms

Follow these steps to make sure your campers are safe when they use the bathroom:

- 1. Do your best to always take children to the bathroom in groups.
- 2. Send them into the bathroom in small groups, with no more children than the number of stalls or urinals.
- 3. Stand outside the door, with the door ajar, so you can hear what's going on.
- 4. Let them know you are standing right outside, within earshot and eye sight.

If you are on a field trip or at a location where bathrooms are open to the general public, you'll need to add two steps:

- 5. Enter the bathroom to make sure there are no dangers present, such as unauthorized adults or strangers, used syringes, or broken glass.
- 6. Position yourself so you can keep an eye on the campers and any adults who may be present.