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NEWS

Residents Urged to Avoid Creeks West of Winton Woods Lake *Sewer Line Break in Colerain Twp. Apartment Complex*

HAMILTON COUNTY, OHIO – Hamilton County Public Health is urging residents to avoid recreational activities in a branch of the West Fork Creek this weekend due to a sewer line break.

Creeks to avoid are west of Winton Woods Lake and include area:

- Between Loralinda Drive and Marino Drive
- Between Niagra St. and Hyannis Drive
- Between Adams Road and Magdalena Drive and leading into Winton Woods Lake

Public health sanitarians inspected a sewer line break Friday at an apartment complex at 10101 Arborwood Drive in Colerain Township. While the sewer line is currently being repaired, people need to use caution when visiting nearby creeks to prevent becoming contaminated.

“Contact with untreated sewage poses a significant health risk,” said Health Commissioner Tim Ingram. “Hamilton County Public Health works daily to prevent disease and protect people from such environmental hazards.”

Safe, sanitary, nuisance-free disposal of wastewater is a public health priority. Enteric diseases such as cryptosporidiosis, giardiasis, salmonellosis, hepatitis A, and shigellosis may be transmitted through human excrement.*

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