# Using Hydrogen Peroxide with Clear Choice Spa®

One of the questions we're asked most often is whether hydrogen peroxide can be used in a hot tub along with Clear Choice Spa.

The answer is **yes.** When used properly, hydrogen peroxide can be an effective oxidizer that works in harmony with our natural enzyme system.

Below is a simple guide to help you use hydrogen peroxide safely and effectively.

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# Why Use Hydrogen Peroxide?

Hydrogen peroxide helps:

- Oxidize organic contaminants
- Support clean, clear, fresh-smelling water
- Reduce reliance on harsher sanitizers

Clear Choice Spa continues to do the primary work of breaking down oils, lotions, body wastes, and other organic contaminants, while hydrogen peroxide provides supplemental oxidation to help keep the water fresh.

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# Recommended Strength

We recommend using **food-grade hydrogen peroxide** that has been properly diluted for spa use, or a pre-diluted hydrogen peroxide product specifically intended for spas.

### Recommended for Hot Tubs

- **12% hydrogen peroxide** (our preferred concentration)
- **35% hydrogen peroxide** may be used **only after proper dilution.**

**Never pour 35% hydrogen peroxide directly into your spa.** It is highly concentrated and can be hazardous if handled improperly.

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# Dosage Guide (12% Hydrogen Peroxide)

### Routine Maintenance

- **½ to 1 cup** per **300–400 gallons**

- Add **once each week**

### Heavy Use or Slightly Cloudy Water

- **1 to 1½ cups** per **300–400 gallons**
- Use once, then return to the normal maintenance schedule.

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# How to Add Hydrogen Peroxide

1. Turn the jets **ON**.
2. Slowly pour the hydrogen peroxide directly into the circulating water (avoid pouring directly into the filter compartment).
3. Leave the cover open for **10–15 minutes**.
4. Allow the water to circulate before resuming normal use.

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# Water Testing & Ideal Conditions

Unlike chlorine or bromine, hydrogen peroxide is not typically maintained at a precise daily level.

Instead, monitor your water for:

- Crystal-clear appearance
- Fresh, clean smell
- Comfortable water with no eye or skin irritation
- Stable pH between **7.2 and 7.8**

Peroxide test strips are available if you prefer to monitor levels. A general working range of **30–50 ppm** is commonly recommended, although overall water quality is usually the best indicator that your system is working properly.

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# How Hydrogen Peroxide Works with Clear Choice Spa

Continue using **Clear Choice Spa exactly as directed.**

Hydrogen peroxide is **not** a replacement for Clear Choice Spa—it simply provides additional oxidation while our natural enzyme system continues managing the organic contaminants in your water.

Because Clear Choice Spa continually breaks down oils and organic waste, it can help reduce the overall demand for hydrogen peroxide, allowing you to use less over time.

This combination is an excellent choice for people who want:

- Softer, more comfortable water
- Fewer harsh chemicals
- Less odor
- Reduced skin and eye irritation

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# Important Safety Tips

- Never mix hydrogen peroxide directly with chlorine or bromine products.
- Always add chemicals separately, allowing the water to circulate between additions.
- Store hydrogen peroxide in a cool, dark location with the container tightly sealed.
- Keep all spa chemicals out of the reach of children.

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# Questions?

If you have questions about dosage, concentration, or the correct amount for your specific spa, we're always happy to help.

Our goal is simple:

**Clean, comfortable water—the natural way.**