**Have the Right Life Jacket?**

**Right Style**

Be sure it’s U.S. Coast Guard-approved and appropriate for the activity. (Check the label printed on the inside of the life jacket).

- **Paddlers** (Inherently buoyant or hybrid)
- **Anglers & Open Motor Boats** (Suspendable inflatable)
- **Personal Water Crafts** & **Water Sports** (Inherently buoyant)
- **Kids** (Adult life jackets don’t fit kids)
- **Pets** (Harness with lift handles)

**Right Fit**

Snug fit and fastened.
- You don’t want your life jacket too large or too small
- Inflatable life jackets only for those 16 years and older who are strong swimmers

**Right Care**

Refer to OWNER’S MANUAL and LABEL for specific maintenance requirements.

- **All Life Jacket Care**
  - Use properly
  - No rips, waterlogging or mildew
  - Dry after use
  - Hand wash in warm, soapy water
  - Store in a dry place when not boating

- **Inflatable Life Jacket Care**
  - Test: Orally inflate & holds air for 16-24 hours
  - Inspect cartridge (not discharged & no corrosion)
  - If it holds air, repack & use

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