**User Manual**

1. ***Product Overview***

Have you ever really had to move your bowels or pee like a racehorse but could never find a nearby restroom? Who hasn’t!

Our team here at Potty Poll feel how frustrating it can be to not be able to find a suitable, comfortable, and clean public bathroom location to run to when that post-meal feeling hits. All of us are college students at the University of Pittsburgh, and, although our campus has MANY public restrooms, it’s not always so easy to find the best place to drop some timber. Most public restrooms on our campus are either filthy or have too much traffic. As students, we do tell each other the locations of the best public restrooms, but not everyone knows the best locations. Our goal was to rid our campus – and, hopefully, our world – of that issue, once-and-for-all.

Potty Poll is an application that changes all that – now you can find the nearest public restroom to your current location\*. The first step toward enjoying Potty Poll is to install the Potty Poll application, create an account, and log-in. Currently, our app is only available on Android devices, but we hope to get it onto the App Store for iPhones.

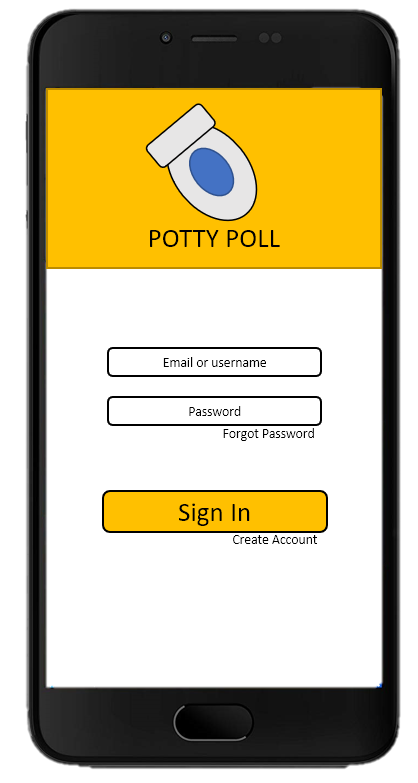
Potty Poll is a restroom review application. It’s almost like the restaurant review apps currently on the iPhone App Store and the Android Play Store, except it’s for public restrooms.

Potty Poll functions by allowing users to add public restroom locations. Once a location exists, users can write text reviews for that specific location and include an image if they choose to do so. Users are also permitted to assign a star review to the public restroom location, based on a five-star scale. One star out of five stars means that the public restroom is terrible, whereas five stars out of five stars means that the public restroom is excellent. The more stars, the better the restroom.

All the star reviews of a public restroom location are combined into a single main star review for that public restroom location, which will show how that restroom fares overall. This helps users immediately know how good a public restroom is, without them having to scroll through all the reviews. The main star review is displayed in a pop-up window that opens when a location is tapped.

Potty Poll works best in larger cities.

\*This app is to be used strictly only for public restroom reviews. The Potty Poll team reserves the right to remove any reviews that violate this rule, or any reviews that contain obscene content or false information.

1. ***Getting Started***
   1. ***Log-in***

An Android device is required to use Potty Poll. Please make sure the device is connected to the Internet, or the application will not work.

Open the Play Store on your Android device and download the Potty Poll application.

Once the application has been installed, open it on your device. If you already have a Potty Poll account, enter your email address or username and your password into the log-in box and press “sign-in.”

If you forgot your password, press “forgot password” and follow the instructions.

Otherwise, create an account by pressing “create an account.” Fill out all the fields on the form that pops up, and press “sign up.” Re-enter your username or email address and password into the log-in box and press “sign-in.”

* 1. ***Help Mode***

Need help? Press the button with a question mark on it to get tips, FAQs, and other helpful information.

Need further assistance? Try this Quick Q&A:

Q: I clicked on a location, but there are no reviews for it?

A: Sometimes locations may exist, but they may not have reviews. The review(s) may have been deleted, or the person who posted the review may have deleted their account.

Q: No public restroom locations are showing up on the map?

A: Verify that your location services are enabled on your device and that you have a stable Internet connection.

Q: I posted a review, but I can’t see it?

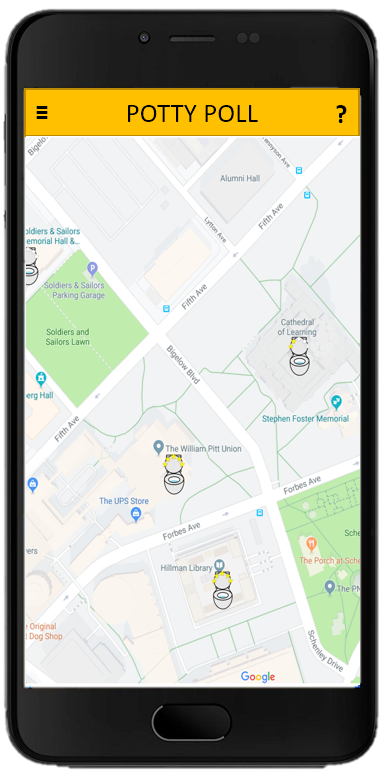
A: If you posted your review recently, it might take some time for your review to show up on the app.

However, if your review contained any obscenities, false information, a review for a private (non-public) restroom, or anything else that violated our terms of use, our team may have removed your review.

Q: My app froze! How do I fix it?

A: Force close the app. If this doesn’t work, try turning off your phone and turning it back on, or try a soft reset on your device.

Need even further assistance? Email Potty Poll.

***2.3. Sample Runs***

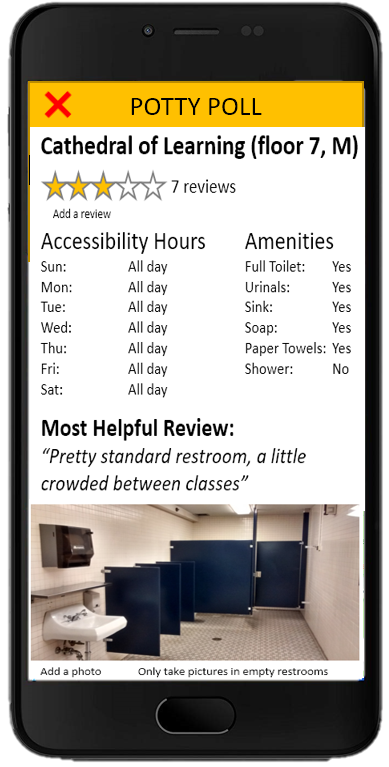
**If you are not already logged-in, log-in as described above, in section *2. Getting Started,* or follow below:**

If you have an account, enter your username and password, and press “Log-in.” If you do not have an account, you must create one to use Potty Poll. Press “Sign-up.” From here, you’ll see a screen that lists some information you’ll need to fill-in. First, your username, and, secondly, your password. Verify your password by entering it for a second time in the “verify password” box. Once you are finished, press “Sign-up.” You should see “SUCCESS” on the screen, which verifies that your account has been successfully created. Press the back button to go back to the main log-in screen. Type in your username and password. Press “Log-in,” and your account will open on your screen.

**If you are already logged in:**

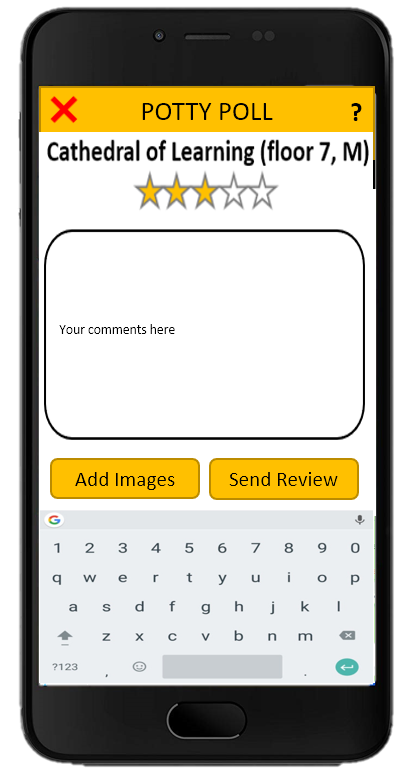
Once logged-in, you should see a map. The map contains locations of public restrooms near you that other users have reviewed. Press one of the star ratings on the map.

A window will open, and here, you will see information about the public restroom location. You can press your finger on the screen and slide to view the reviews.

If you’d like to add a review, press the button labeled “add a review.” Since you already chose a location earlier, you will not have to re-enter this information.

Begin typing your review. Feel free to upload any pictures from your device to complement your written review. Once you are done writing your review, give the public restroom a star rating by pressing the number of stars you’d like to give. The stars you have pressed will light up yellow. Press “send review” to complete your review and upload it to the public restroom’s review list.

If you would like to see other reviews, go back to the main map screen by pressing the “x” on the review window. To see other reviews, other locations, and to write reviews for other locations, follow the previous steps.

To zoom in on a specific region in the map, put two fingertips close together on the map/screen, and slowly increase the distance between them while keeping them on the map/screen. To zoom out, put two fingertips apart from each other on the screen/map. Decrease the distance between them by sliding them closer together.

If you would like to view the sidebar, open the app and go to the map screen. On the left side of the screen, press the **≡**,which will open the sidebar. From here, you can see an option to go to your profile, as well as an option to log-out. Press the button that says “Profile.” Here, you can view and edit your profile. Press the back button. To log-out, press the log-out button. Now, you are logged out. If you would like to log-in again, go back to section ***2. Getting Started.***

1. ***Modes of Operation***

Operating the system is done using an Android device and your fingertips.

The three main commands or ways to operate the application with your fingertips are: pinching, tapping, and sliding. No other finger movements are needed.

Once the application is open on your Android device, every way that you interact with it will be recorded within the Potty Poll system – every review, rating, and account creation.

To use the application effectively, please make sure your location services are enabled on your Android device. If location services are not enabled, the application will not be able to find your location and match you to the nearest public restrooms.

Secondly, Potty Poll will not operate without a strong Internet connection. Please make sure that you are connected to a Wi-Fi network, cellular network, or hotspot. If you are not connected to the Internet while using the application, your changes may or may not be saved, and the information displayed to you may or may not be updated.

If the application has frozen, force close the application on your device, wait a few minutes, then re-open the application on your device. This may require multiple tries. If the application still isn’t working, feel free to email us.

For the example and sample runs and dialogues, view ***2. Getting Started.***

By using Potty Poll, you agree to allow Potty Poll to use and store any of the information you enter, as well as information about how you use the application.

1. ***Advanced Features***

* **Change app color**
  + Choose from a color wheel and change the color of the application to any color you like!
* **Admin Options**
  + Members of the Potty Poll team can have the option to change settings on the application. These options include: removing reviews, editing reviews, deleting profiles.
* **Social**
  + Ability to send messages to other users. Not sure why you’d want to do this, but everything’s a social media application nowadays

1. ***Glossary of Commands and System Options***

**LOG-IN and SIGN UP**

* **Log-in (button)**
  + Allows you to log into your account
  + **Example:** Enter your username or email and your password:

**username:** potty\_patrol666

**password:** 69potty69

**(DON’T** use this for your log-in. This is just an example.)

* **Sign-up (button)**
  + Allows you sign up
  + **Example:** Create a username and password:

**username:** potty\_patrol666

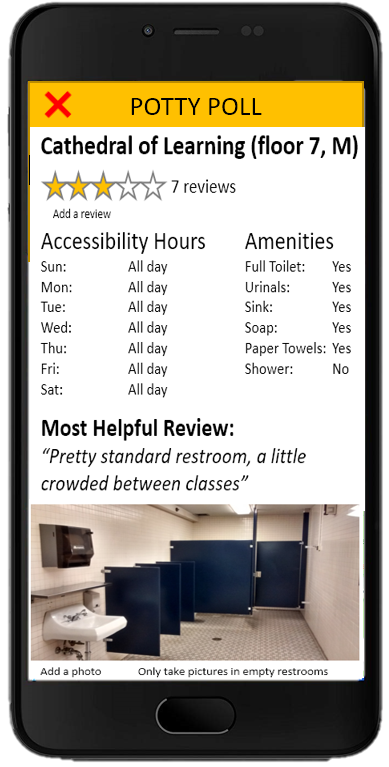
**password:** 69potty69

**confirm password:** 69potty69

**(DON’T** use this for your sign-up. This is just an example.)

* **SUCCESS.** 
  + Alert that account has been successfully created
* **If you would like to change your password or username.**
  + Currently, it is not possible to do so. Choose your password and username wisely.

**INTERACTING WITH THE APPLICATION**

* **PRESS ≡** to open the main menu.
  + **LOG-OUT.**
    - Logs you out of the application.
  + **PROFILE.**
    - Shows you and allows you to edit your profile.
* **Zooming on the map.**
  + Zooming on the map can be accomplished by using your **fingertips** on the screen. Start with your fingertips apart on the screen and pinch them slowly together, while keeping your fingers on the screen, if you’d like to zoom out. If you’d like to zoom in, start with your fingertips close together on the screen and slowly slide them apart, while keeping your fingers on the screen.
* **ADD A REVIEW.**
  + **Press** this to write a review.
* **VIEW OTHER REVIEWS.**
  + **Slide your fingertip up/down** the screen to scroll through reviews.
* **TOILET ICON**
  + **Press** this to view information about a public restroom location.
* **MOVING AROUND ON THE MAP**
  + From the main map screen, slide your fingertip across the screen.