

Head Lifeguard

Job Description:

Responsible for ensuring the safety of facility patrons by preventing and responding to emergencies. Responsible for Lifeguard and Jr. Lifeguard staff by monitoring surveillance and conducting In-Service training sessions.

Minimum Qualification:

- Current certification in the following:
- American Red Cross Lifeguard Manager
- American Red Cross Lifeguard Training
- American Red Cross First Aid
- American Red Cross CPR for the Professional Rescuer
- American Red Cross Blood Borne Pathogens
- 2-3 years of successful life guarding experience with excellent evaluations
- Pre-employment testing required by local or state laws
- Minimum Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities

Knowledge And Skills:

- Thorough knowledge and application of life guarding surveillance and rescue techniques
- An understanding of facility characteristics, rules, policies, and procedures
- Leadership and public relations skills
- Decision-making Skills

Responsibilities:

- Recognize and respond effectively in emergencies.
- Enforce all aquatic facility policies, rules, and regulations.
- Inspect the facility on a daily schedule and report any unsafe conditions or equipment to the supervisor.
- Conduct daily staff inspection of staff uniform and essential wear.
- Maintain a daily log.
- Test and log the water chlorine and pH levels every 2 hours.
- Assist with swim lessons.
- Coordinate and coach site swim team.
- Complete records and reports.
- ***Conduct and participate*** in regular In-Service training sessions at least twice a day on a daily basis.
- Log (in detail) all In-Service training sessions.
- Exercise regularly to maintain fitness level (strength and endurance).
- Take inventory and inspect equipment for Learn-To-Swim Program.
- Assist lifeguards in providing first aid as necessary.
- Welcome (with a smile) every patron/group to our facility (upon their arrival).
- Thank (with a smile) every patron/group for swimming at our facility upon their leaving).

Complete additional duties as assigned by supervisor.

Responsible To: Aquatic Coordinator / Assistant Aquatic Coordinator