

Lifeguard

Working Location: Clear Creek Recreation Center in Idaho Springs

Working Days: Varies

Classification: Part-time, Hourly

Rate: \$14.00 - \$15.00 per hour

Lifeguards are responsible for ensuring the safety of all persons in and around the swimming pool. Rules intended for maintaining pool safety are to be consistently enforced in a manner that is both kind and educational. Lifeguards are responsible for responding effectively to emergency situations.

ESSENTIAL DUTIES

- Ensures patron safety in and around all pools, on pool deck, in hot tub, and in sauna at all times.
- Recognizes and responds effectively in emergency situations.
- Enforces all aquatic facility policies, rules, and regulations, in an educational manner.
- Appropriately responds to patron complaints and concerns in a professional manner.
- Completes all daily cleaning duties, safety checks, and all required opening and closing procedures.
- Promptly reports any unsafe conditions or equipment to the Aquatic Coordinator.
- Performs accurate water testing procedures and alerts the Aquatic Coordinator of any concerns or deviations from the standard.
- Participates in monthly in-service training sessions.
- Completes weekly skill drills and practices.
- Wears required uniform at all times while on the clock.
- Works in cooperation with all staff, across all departments.
- Maintains current required certifications.
- Completes other duties as assigned.

SPAN OF SUPERVISION

• Reports to the Aquatic Coordinator

SKILLS & QUALIFICATIONS

- Must be 15 years of age or older.
- Must possess current American Red Cross Lifeguard Training, CPR and AED (or a willingness to obtain upon hire).
- Must be able to satisfactorily pass swim assessment.

- Must possess good public relation skills.
- Must have the ability to work independently.

EXPERIENCE

• Swimming experience required.

PHYSICAL & MENTAL REQUIREMENTS

- Must be able to lift up to 50 pounds on a daily basis.
- Must be free of respiratory ailments that could be aggravated by pool chemicals.
- Must be able to react efficiently and adequately to potential mental, physical, and stressful situations.
- Vision must be 20/20 or correctable.
- Hearing must be adequate to hear noise up to 25 yards away.