



JOB DESCRIPTION P/T LIFEGUARD

THE POSITION

Under direction of the P/T Pool Manager or P/T Assistant Pool Manager, provides certified lifeguard supervision and swimming instruction for patrons of the Park District's Rancho Simi pool. Position offers a safe and positive environment for patrons and employees using the pool and facilities. This is a seasonal position, and requires attendance in the District's Rookie School (5 days), and at pre-service training sessions (2 days).

EXAMPLE OF DUTIES

The essential functions of this position include but are not limited to:

- Supervises and instructs participants in aquatic activities, including but not limited to: swim instruction programs, special events, aquatic teams and miscellaneous related activities.
- Maintains patrons' and employees' safety through prescribed lifeguard procedures.
- Enforces pool rules and regulations.
- Performs general pool and facility maintenance.

The position may perform other related non-essential duties as assigned.

EMPLOYMENT STANDARDS

Knowledge, Skills and Abilities: Must be 17 years old at time of hire. Must pass a preliminary swim test consisting of a 200-yard swim in less than four (4) minutes. Requires the ability to maintain a cooperative and professional working relationship with co-workers and pool patrons, make decisions independent of direct supervision when necessary, and utilize correct lifeguard training and certification skills in case of emergencies.

Certifications: Must have current certifications in American Red Cross Lifeguard Training, CPR:FPR, and Basic First Aid. American Red Cross Title 22 must be completed within one (1) year of Lifeguard Training.

PHYSICAL ACTIVITY REQUIREMENTS

This position requires standing and walking approximately 40% of the time or more; frequent lifting, carrying and occasional pushing/pulling loads of up to 40 pounds; some bending and occasional kneeling/squatting, reaching overhead/stretching; occasional to frequent climbing of stairs; frequent handling and dexterity. Position works continuously outdoors, in and around water, and is exposed to the sun and high temperatures.

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