

## LIFE GUARD SUPERVISOR

DISTINGUISHING FEATURES OF THE CLASS: The work involves supervising the activities of lifeguards at a municipal pool or beach. Duties are performed under general supervision with leeway allowed for the use of independent judgement in carrying out the duties of the position. Direct supervision is exercised of lifeguards. Life Guards Supervisors do related work as required.

### TYPICAL WORK ACTIVITIES:

- Supervises life guards and other staff assigned to pool area;
- Ensures that pool rules are enforced;
- Assigned life guards to their posts;
- Give swimming instructions to beginners, advanced beginners, intermediates and advanced swimmers;
- Performs the duties of a life guard.

FULL PERFORMANCE KNOWLEDGES, SKILLS, ABILITIES AND PERSONAL CHARACTERISTICS: Thorough knowledge of first aid and water rescue techniques; ability to deal with the public in a firm yet friendly manner; ability to remain composed during emergency situations; ability to supervise the work of others; ability to teach swimming; alertness and good powers of observation; physical condition equal to the demands of the position.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: One season of experience as a life guard or swimming instructor.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENT: Possession of a Red Cross or Y.M.C.A. Senior Life Saving Certificate.

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