



Lifeguard Recreation

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JOB SUMMARY

This position is responsible for maintaining safety and security of the pool and facilities.

MAJOR DUTIES

- Provides safety and security of the pool and related facilities.
- Maintains lifesaving and safety equipment at designated sites around pool and facilities.
- Works rotational schedules as chair guards or deck guards with other lifeguards.
- Works rotational schedules in concession stand.
- Assists with cleaning of pool and facilities.
- Assists with chemical and water quality daily checks
- Performs related duties.

KNOWLEDGE REQUIRED BY THE POSITION

- Knowledge of pool and lifeguard guidelines preferred.
- Skill in demonstrating good judgement when dealing with the public.
- Skill in oral and written communication.
- Skill in identifying potential problem situations.

SUPERVISORY CONTROLS

The Pool Manager assigns work in terms of detailed and specific instructions. The supervisor spot-checks completed work in progress and upon completion for accuracy, adequacy, and adherence to instructions and established guidelines.

GUIDELINES

Guidelines include Upson County Employee Handbook, EEOC, general facility rules and regulations, and departmental guidelines and American Red Cross guidelines. These guidelines are generally clear and specific but requiring little interpretation in application.

COMPLEXITY/SCOPE OF WORK

- The work consists of related pool duties. Dealing with the public and enforcing rules, regulations and safety procedures contributes to the complexity of the position.
- The purpose of this position is to ensure safety of pool and visitors. Successful performance in this position helps ensure that the public can enjoy the facilities.

CONTACTS

- Contacts are typically co-workers, swimmers and visitors, especially children.
- Contacts are typically to give or exchange information and to provide services.

PHYSICAL DEMANDS/ WORK ENVIRONMENT

- The work is typically performed while intermittently sitting, standing, stooping, walking, or bending. The employee occasionally lifts light objects, heavy objects and utilizes sense of smell.
- The work is typically performed outdoors at the Pool. The work is performed in extreme temperatures or inclement weather.

SUPERVISORY AND MANAGEMENT RESPONSIBILITY

This position does not supervise.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

- Knowledge and level of competency commonly associated with the completion of specialized training from the American Red Cross Lifesaver Certification and the American Red Cross CPR Certification.
- Previous experience as a Lifeguard is preferred but not required.
- Must be at least 15 years of age.