

JOB DESCRIPTION

City of Patterson



Human Resources

LIFEGUARD

\$9.00

Part-time seasonal

JOB SUMMARY

*Class specifications are intended to present a descriptive list of the range of duties performed by employees in the class. Specifications are **not** intended to reflect all duties performed within the job.*

Under the supervision of the Aquatics Coordinator and the Pool Managers, the Lifeguard will be responsible for the safety of the patrons at the Patterson Aquatics Center. The Lifeguard must remain alert and knowledgeable as well as physically fit. All Lifeguards are responsible for keeping the facilities clean and safe for all patrons.

SUPERVISION RECEIVED AND EXERCISED

Receives supervision from Aquatics Coordinator and Pool Managers.

This position will exercise no supervisory functions.

ESSENTIAL DUTIES

Essential and other important responsibilities may include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Remain knowledgeable and enforce all the rules set by the Aquatics Coordinator.
- Maintain the office, phones, correspondence with the public and respond to all inquiries, be generally available to answer and refer patrons to resources within the community.
- Teach swim lessons from ages 6 months to 99 years.
- Attend every mandatory in service training.
- Ability to save someone's life in the event of an emergency by administering life saving techniques such as lifeguard skills, CPR and/or First Aid.
- Maintain the facilities with respect and keep it clean and presentable.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

Knowledge of: Exceptional organizational and communication skills.

Ability to: Develop and maintain effective working relationships with other staff, volunteers and customers.

EXPERIENCE AND CERTIFICATION(S)

Any combination of experience and training what would likely provide the required knowledge and abilities is qualifying. A typical way to obtain the knowledge and abilities would be:

Experience: Any combination of education, training and experience that provides the required knowledge, skills and abilities to perform the functions of this job.

License or Certificate:

- Lifeguard Training
- Water Safety Instructor
- First Aid Certification by the American Red Cross or American Heart Association
- CPR Certification by the American Red Cross or American Heart Association

NECESSARY SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

- Must be 16 years of age or older.
- Must successfully pass a pre-employment medical examination, including a drug screen, fingerprint, background check, and reference check.
- Must be able to provide proof us U.S. citizenship or legal right to work in the United States.
- Ability to speak Spanish is desirable.

WORK SCHEDULE

Seasonal 28+ hours a week. Hours may vary.

WORK LOCATION(S)

Job will be located at the Patterson Aquatics Center, 1025 W. Las Palmas Avenue.

PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS

- Must be able to swim 500 yards (20 laps) nonstop as well as bring a 10 lb brick to the surface from 12 feet deep.