



CITY OF NEWPORT, OREGON LIFEGUARD / INSTRUCTOR

The City of Newport is currently recruiting for reliable, dependable and motivated individuals to fill the position of Lifeguard / Instructor at our Parks and Recreation pool facility. This is a regular part-time (less than 20 hours per week), non-exempt position with an hourly rate of pay of \$9.97/hour - \$13.13/hour for Lifeguard duties and \$10.99/hour - \$14.48/hour for Instructor duties. Placement in the salary range will be based on skills and experience.

WE ENCOURAGE APPLICANTS OF ALL AGES TO APPLY (APPLICANTS MUST BE A MINIMUM OF 15 YEARS OF AGE). IF YOU ARE LOOKING FOR A CAREER CHANGE, THIS MAY BE THE JOB FOR YOU!

POSITION SUMMARY:

This position is responsible for maintaining safe swimming conditions in the pool, deck, and surrounding areas. creates a safe and positive atmosphere that promotes safety and participation in accordance with City of Newport policies and procedures; Perform other duties as they pertain to the position; including but not limited to office/reception duties, cleaning/janitorial duties, water chemistry checks, inventory stocking.

QUALIFICATIONS:

A high school diploma or equivalency and/or completion of high school courses. Certifications in CPR, First Aid and Lifeguard/ obtain certification in CPR, First Aid and Lifeguard within 1 month of hire. (The City of Newport will provide these trainings and certifications)

Any equivalent combination of education and experience which provides the applicant with the knowledge, skills, and abilities required to perform the duties as described.

Must be available to work a varied work schedule, including some weekends, early mornings and evenings. Consideration may be made to accommodate work/school schedules, however the City may require specific hours be worked in order to meet customer service demands.

PHYSICAL DEMANDS:

1. Ability to pass lifeguard water test.
2. Must be able to remain alert.
3. Must be able to sit or stand for extended periods.
4. Adequate ability to hear noises and distinguish distress signals.
5. Ability to continuously scan all areas of the pool with clear vision.
6. Ability to perform strenuous physical tasks necessary for a water rescue.
7. Ability to communicate verbally, including projecting voice across distance in normal and loud situations.
8. Manual dexterity, strength and coordination are required to operate equipment such as AED's,
9. water rescue backboards, rescue equipment, lane lines, pool lifts, rope swing, pool vacuums,
10. Ability to climb up a ladder of approx. 6 feet to reach the position in the higher lifeguard stations.
11. Mobility to interact with and use parks and recreation equipment.
12. The position risks harm from physical hazards, including chemicals, fumes, wet and slippery surfaces, and swimming pools.
13. Lifting, pulling, and carrying up to 50 pounds and rarely lift or move materials more than 100 pounds.

TO APPLY: City application forms are available on the city website at www.newportoregon.gov, or picked up from the City Manager's Office at the Newport City Hall, 169 SW Coast Highway, Newport, Oregon 97365. Application materials should be sent to: City of Newport, Attention: Human Resources, 169 SW Coast Highway, Newport, Oregon 97365, or e-mailed to b.james@newportoregon.gov. The position is open until filled.

The City of Newport is an EEO and veteran's preference employer. All qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, disability status, protected veteran status, or any other characteristic protected under state, federal or local law.