



CITY OF LOS ALAMITOS

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Water Safety Instructor II Part-Time

FILING INFORMATION:

Applicants must submit a completed City of Los Alamitos employment application and resume. Open until filled. **One self-addressed, stamped envelope must be included with completed application.**

SALARY RANGE: \$11.50 - \$13.80 per hour; approximately 10-30 hours per week (varies per season).

POSITION:

This position serves as Water Safety Instructor in the Department of Recreation and Community Services and performs swim lesson instruction and lifesaving skills at the USA Water Polo National Training Center.

ESSENTIAL JOB FUNCTIONS:

Under the direction of the Recreation Supervisor/Aquatics and Aquatics Coordinator, the Water Safety Instructor II is required to perform the following essential job functions: mentor less experienced staff; effectively communicate, both orally and in writing, to participants and their parents; demonstrate essential swim strokes to participants in the pool; verbally communicate instruction to children and adults for beginning through advanced swimming and lifesaving classes; enforcement of pool rules and regulations; promote public relations among participants; maintain cleanliness of the facility; and perform other duties as assigned by supervisors.

DESIRABLE KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND ABILITIES:

A minimum of three (3) years previous experience in all levels of swim lesson instruction highly desirable. Advanced swimming abilities and/or water polo experience. Past experience working with children. Ability to read and follow directions; interpret and apply pool rules and regulations; rescue swimmers in danger of drowning and administer first aid; conduct chemical tests of water; and work cooperatively with other staff members.

DESIRABLE EXPERIENCE AND TRAINING:

Applicants must possess current Red Cross Water Safety Instructor's Certificate, Lifeguard Training Certificate, Cardio-Pulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) for the Professional Rescuer Certificate and Standard First Aid Certificate. A minimum of one (1) year experience as a lifeguard and water safety instructor at a municipal swimming pool is required. Ability to swim 400 yards, tread water for 10 minutes and demonstrate proper rescue techniques.

APPLICATIONS:

Applications may be picked up at the Community Center located at 10911 Oak Street, Los Alamitos or City Hall, 3191 Katella Avenue, Los Alamitos, between the hours of 7:30am - 5:30pm, Monday-Thursday; 7:30am - 4:00pm Friday.

SELECTION:

The best qualified applicants, as determined from the evaluation of the application forms, will be invited to an oral interview which may include a written exercise. An in-water examination may also be administered prior to job offer.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION:

Contact the City of Los Alamitos Recreation & Community Services Department at (562) 430-1073.

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