Lifeguard Job Description

**Requirements:**

1. Current certification as a Lifeguard from a training agency approved by the Nebraska and Douglas County Health Departments.
2. CPR certification at a healthcare provider level within the past 12 months.

**Responsible to:**

Pool Manager, Operators and Assistant Managers

**Summary:**

Under general supervision, ensures the safety of patrons of an aquatic facility by preventing and responding to emergencies.

**Knowledge, Skills and Abilities Required:**

* Ability to react calmly and effectively in emergency situations.
* Skill in the application of lifeguarding surveillance and rescue techniques.
* Ability to pass pre-employment lifeguard skills evaluation.
* Knowledge of CPR and emergency medical procedures.
* Ability to follow routine verbal and written instructions.
* Knowledge of customer service standards and procedures.

**Duties and Responsibilities:**

1. Maintains constant surveillance of patrons in the facility; acts immediately and appropriately to secure safety of patrons in the event of emergency.
2. Provides emergency care and treatment as required until the arrival of emergency medical services.
3. Presents professional appearance and attitude at all times, and maintains a high standard of customer service.
4. Assisting with special events such as swimming meets, pool parties and fund-raising events.
5. Assisting with pool sanitation duties, general and/or daily pools, decks and grounds maintenance and pre- and post- season opening and closing activities.
6. Enforcing the facility rules as established by the departments of health or the Board of Directors and as directed by pool management.
7. Assisting with pool office activities such as admissions, concessions, answering the telephone and P.A. announcements.
8. Informing the pool management of situations that need attention such as emergencies, accidents, behavioral situations requiring the notification of law enforcement personnel, major maintenance needs, or other property issues.
9. Participate in regular in-service trainings.
10. Performs miscellaneous job-related duties as assigned.