

## Aquatic Programmer/Lifeguard (Leadership Role)

### Job Description

<b>Work Site:</b>	George Pearson
<b>Status:</b>	Regular part-time 0.80 FTE
<b>Start Date:</b>	As soon as possible
<b>Salary:</b>	\$31.89 per hour
<b>Posting #:</b>	119143

### Come work as a Lifeguard with Vancouver Coastal Health (VCH)!

Vancouver Coastal Health is looking for Lifeguards to join the team at the George Pearson Centre long term care facility in Vancouver, BC. Apply today to join our team!

### As a Lifeguard with VCH you will:

- Monitor and organize equipment, plan, implement and evaluate aquatic programs, adjust the aquatic schedule and assess clients'/residents' needs for successful participation.
- Monitor the general operation and cleanliness of the pool facility, record and report relevant observations of client's/resident's progress and behaviour, provide supervision, train volunteers and presents and/or participate in program/practice meetings and in services.

### Qualifications

#### Education & Experience

- Graduation from a recognized post secondary recreational program plus one year's recent related experience or an equivalent combination of education, training, and experience.
- National Lifeguard Pool Option Certificate.
- CPR-C Basic Rescuer Certificate, Standard First Aid Certificate or equivalent.
- Red Cross Water Safety Instructor Certificate or equivalent.
- Experience as an Aquafit Instructor is an asset.

#### Knowledge & Abilities

- Ability to communicate effectively both verbally and in writing.
- Ability to organize work.
- Ability to teach.
- Physical ability to perform the duties of the position.
- Ability to operate related equipment.
- Ability to deal with others effectively.



### Closing Statement

The hours of work including days off and work area may be subject to change consistent with operational requirements and the provision of the Collective Agreement and applicable statutes. Successful applicants may be required to complete a Criminal Records Review Check.

As per the current Public Health Orders, as of October 5, 2023, all employees working for Vancouver Coastal Health must be fully vaccinated for COVID-19 or have received a single dose of the most-recent, updated COVID-19 vaccine. Proof of vaccination status will be required.

### WHY JOIN VANCOUVER COASTAL HEALTH?

VCH is a world class innovator in medical care, research and teaching, delivering service to more than one million BC residents. At VCH, we embrace thinking boldly, taking smart risks, and "going first" when we believe it will lead to the best possible outcomes for patients and their families. We invite you to join us in creating healthy lives in healthy communities by showcasing our passion for care, connection to the communities we serve and our culture of teamwork that makes VCH a great place to work.

- Comprehensive health benefits package, including MSP, extended health and dental and municipal pension plan
- Grow your career with employer-paid training and leadership development opportunities
- Wellness supports, including counselling, critical incident and innovative wellness services are available to employees and their immediate families
- Award-winning recognition programs to honour staff, medical staff and volunteers
- Access to exclusive discount offers and deals for VCH staff

Equity, diversity, and inclusion are essential to our goals of creating a great place to work and delivering exceptional care. We acknowledge and accommodate unique differences and ensure special measures are in place so that all prospective and current employees are given an opportunity to succeed.

We are committed to building a representative workforce and encourage applications reflecting diversity of sex, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, racialization or ancestry, disability, political belief, religion, marital or family status, age, and/or status as a First Nation, Metis, Inuit, or Indigenous person.

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**Only short-listed applicants will be contacted for this posting.**

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