



DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES – SOUTH REGION  
JOB OPPORTUNITY  
LIFEGUARD – CAMP HARKNESS (SUMMER DURATIONAL WORKER)

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**Open To:** Public  
**Position:** Lifeguard – Summer Durational Worker  
**Location:** Camp Harkness, Waterford, CT  
**Salary:** \$10.10 – \$14.00 per hour  
**Closing Date:** May 2, 2015

Job Posting No.	Full/Part	Schedule
107444	Full Time	Fri/Sat/Wed/Thurs 9:00AM – 5:30PM Mon – 8:30AM – 5:00PM RDOs: Sunday/Tuesday
107445	Full Time	Sunday – Thursday 9:00AM – 5:30PM RDOs: Friday/Saturday
107446	Full Time	Tuesday – Saturday 8:30AM – 5:00PM RDOs: Sunday/Monday
107447	Full Time	Friday – Tuesday 9:00AM – 5:30PM RDOs: Wednesday/Thursday
107448	Part Time	Saturday/Sunday 9:00AM – 5:30PM. Monday 10:00AM – 2:00PM RDOs: Tuesday – Friday

**Duration of Appointment:** This is a durational position and will end no later than October 16, 2015. Incumbent will not be entitled to any State employee benefits.

**Examples of Duties:** Monitors activities in swimming areas to prevent accidents and provide assistance to swimmers at State of Connecticut beaches, pools, lakes; cautions swimmers regarding unsafe areas; maintains order in swimming areas; rescues swimmers in danger of drowning and administers first aid and/or cardiopulmonary resuscitation as required; instructs clients in water safety; may give swimming instructions; may work with persons with developmental disabilities and/or other disabilities; lifts persons with disabilities as required; may perform park maintenance tasks; performs related duties as required.

**Knowledge, Skills and Abilities:** Knowledge of life saving techniques and procedures including cardiopulmonary resuscitation for the professional rescuer; principles, procedures and application of First Aid; principles and techniques of water safety and water activity supervision.

**General Experience:** Incumbents in this class must possess Certification in the following: Life-saving from a national accredited organization (i.e. American Red Cross, YMCA, Ellis & Associates, etc.), cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) for the professional rescuer, and first aid. All certifications must be valid from the beginning to end of working period.

**Preferred Experience:** Preference will be given to applicants with demonstrated experience providing direct supports to individuals with developmental and intellectual disabilities.

**Working Conditions:** Incumbents in this class may be required to lift and restrain consumers; may have significant exposure to communicable/infectious diseases and to risk of injury from assaultive/abusive consumers; may be exposed to strongly disagreeable conditions including inclement weather.

**Physical Requirements:** Incumbents in this class must possess physical and emotional health for efficient performance of duties; a physical examination will be required.

**Special Requirements:**

1. Incumbents must be 18 years of age as of May 16, 2015
2. Incumbents must possess and retain a valid Motor Vehicle license.
3. Incumbents must successfully pass a pre-employment physical exam.

**Character Requirements:** In addition to the checking of references and of facts stated in the application, a thorough background investigation of each candidate will be made before persons are certified for appointment.

**Note:** The filling of this position will be in accordance with reemployment, SEBAC, transfer, promotion and merit employment rules, if applicable.

**Application Procedure for Applicants:** Interested and qualified candidates who meet the above requirements should submit a fully completed Application for Examination or Employment (CT-HR-12) located at [www.das.state.ct.us/exam](http://www.das.state.ct.us/exam). Two letters of reference must be included with the application by the closing date above.

**NOTE – Applicants need only submit one application and indicate the order of their preference regarding Job Posting Numbers if applicants wish to be considered for multiple Lifeguard positions.**

**All application materials must be received by 11:59 p.m. on the closing date indicated above.**

**Incomplete application materials will not be considered.**

**Application materials can be emailed, faxed, or mailed to:  
Department of Developmental Services — South Region  
35 Thorpe Avenue, Third Floor, Wallingford, CT 06492  
Attn: Recruiter**

**Email: [DDS.SR.Recruiting@ct.gov](mailto:DDS.SR.Recruiting@ct.gov) Phone: 203-294-5122 Fax: 860-920-3035**

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