Facilities, Lifeguard Staff

Reports to: Assistant Director of Facilities
Position starting wage: $ per hour

Campus Recreation and Wellness Program Overview:
Campus Recreation & Wellness at East Carolina University provides the following programs and services for the campus community:
- Intramural Sports
- Physical Activity & Fitness
- Informal Recreation
- Club Sports
- Adventure Programs
- Adapted Recreation
- Youth and Family
- Aquatics/Safety Services
- Campus Wellness
- Special Events

Facilities include a state of the art 150,000 square foot Student Recreation Center, an 18-acre multi-sport field complex, a Challenge Course, a small weight and fitness facility located within Jones Residence Hall, and a 129-acre sports complex which includes sport fields, a six-acre lake, disc golf course, boathouse, walking/jogging trails, outdoor fitness equipment, sandy beach area, beach volleyball, courts, and an Odyssey Challenge Course.

Leadership Competencies:
Campus Recreation and Wellness empowers student employees to become leaders by gaining valuable experience in the following eight leadership competencies:
- Adaptability
- Communication
- Conflict Resolution
- Effective Reasoning
- Initiative
- Integrity
- Mentorship
- Self-Awareness

Position Summary:
Working at the Student Recreation Center requires the individual to work as a member of a larger team. This position assists with everyday patrons, aquatic classes and special events. Some duties include, but are not limited to, checking chemicals in the pool, teaching basic swim lessons to patrons, cleaning the pool deck on a regular basis, and setting up/tearing down for special events.

Individual must feel comfortable working around and in water.

Responsibilities and Duties:
1. Report to work on time according to schedule and wear proper uniform.
2. Lifeguards must be diligently watching the water and they must be prepared to make a rescue at anytime.
3. Lifeguards must be able to explain the pool rules.
4. Lifeguards are to make sure the chemicals are in proper balance, by checking the PH and chlorine levels.
5. Expected to attend staff meetings and trainings (inservice)
6. Report to the SRC to set up/tear down for special events and CRW programming.
7. Check area for hazards and report them to the Facility Manager on duty.
8. Responsible for monitoring the pool for patrons who need assistance in water.
9. Effectively communicate to patrons the proper way to use equipment (life jackets, inner tubes)
10. Adapt to any issues regarding the site and/or employees and effectively communicate these issues with the necessary Facilities personnel.
11. Open to realistically developing one’s own knowledge, performance, and abilities through their supervisor’s evaluations and their own self-reflection.
12. Identify and assist with injuries and properly document the situation.
13. Uphold the integrity and reputation of Campus Recreation & Wellness, and East Carolina University by providing exemplary customer service and leadership to students, staff, and patrons.
14. Administer immediate first aid and CPR when necessary.
15. Know and implement the Emergency Medical System when the situation requires.
16. Review and complete the Emergency Action quiz with at least a 95% successful completion before conclusion of “Shadowing shifts.”

Qualifications:
1. Must have a current 2.0 overall GPA or higher.
2. Current ECU Student.
3. Have completed Blood-Borne Pathogen training within the last year.
4. Valid CPR and First Aid certification.
5. Valid Lifeguard Certification.
6. Ability to lift 50 lbs.

Application Process:
Applications must be submitted through ECU’s PeopleAdmin system. Visit ecu.peopleadmin.com, create a profile and apply for the position listed under Campus Recreation & Wellness. For further information, contact Alan Nielson (252)-328-4946 or email nielsona@ecu.edu

Note: Federal Law requires proper documentation of identity and employability at the time of employment. It is requested that this documentation be included with your application. East Carolina University is an affirmative action, equal opportunity employer and as such encourages applications from qualified women and minorities.