

Just the Job

Information Sheet

Job title/s

Recreation Programmer
Pool Lifeguard
Fitness Instructor

Job description

- Providing exciting, fun and rewarding programmes for customers
- Ensuring the safety of the customers
- Maintenance and cleaning
- Attending to customers needs

Qualifications required/age restrictions

- The minimum age to be a Pool Lifeguard is 16 years
- First aid certificate recommended (often a pre-requisite to employment)
- Suggested subjects while at school: physical education, health studies, biology, English, communication skills

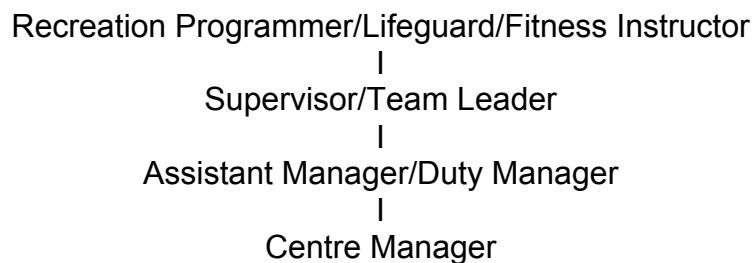
Training costs

On-job training fees (often paid by the employer)

Location of job

Centre/facility based, most roles indoors, some outdoor or offsite work.

Career path



Salary range

\$11 - \$20 per hour

Other careers this profession could lead to

Health, Education/Teaching, Facility management, Event management, Community development/Recreation planning.

How to increase your chances of successfully entering this industry

- Volunteer work in the desired entry level role
- Enthusiasm, good 'people skills'
- Responsible, mature
- Sound judgement
- Become a member of the New Zealand Recreation Association

Other places to source information about this job

- Sfrito website www.sfrito.org.nz
- Local recreation facilities
- Local council
- Careers advisors