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**To:** All Affiliates  
**From:** Kathy Plett  
**CC:** Carl Shier  
**Date:** March 5, 2013  
**RE:** **Swim for Life®, Lifesaving & First Aid Recertification Course – Programing information**

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This memo is to advise you of the current requirements for programming Swim for Life®, Lifesaving & First Aid Instructor Recertification courses. (There are no changes to the programming requirements for the Swim for Life®, Lifesaving & First Aid Instructor courses.) When programing Swim for Life®, Lifesaving & First Aid Instructor Recertification courses please remember the following:

**Course Length:**

- ◆ 8 hours.

**Candidate pre-requisites:**

- ◆ Candidates must have the following certifications:
  - Lifesaving & First Aid Instructor
  - Swim for Life® Instructor
  - First Aid Update 2011
- ◆ Candidates must show proof of certifications to their instructor trainer to take the course. Proof may be the certification cards or verification from Find-a-Member from our web site: <http://www.lifesaving.mb.ca/FindAMember/Find-A-Member.php>

**Candidate/Trainer Ratio:**

- ◆ 12:1 maximum.

**Candidate Materials:**

- ◆ All of the items listed on page 27 of the current Lifesaving Society Manitoba Program Guide (web site link: <http://www.lifesaving.mb.ca/files/2012ManitobaProgramGuide.pdf>).
- ◆ The CPR & First Aid Instructor Update package.

They are required to bring all of their books to the course.

**Certification Fees:**

- ◆ \$85.00 per candidate.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.