

LIFESAVING SOCIETY – MANITOBA BRANCH

Job Opportunity – Northern Water Smart® Instructor

As a Northern Water Smart® Instructor, you will deliver Water Smart® Public Education programs, Swim to Survive™ lessons, first aid, and boating safety courses in rural and remote communities across Manitoba. You will travel and experience Manitoba as few others have, and will work with various cultures and in unique conditions.

Time Commitment

- 14 or 17 week block between May 6 and August 30, 2019
 - Work from our Winnipeg office and participate in day trips in May and June;
 - Travel Monday to Friday during July and August to communities across Manitoba.

Key Responsibilities

Reporting to the Water Smart® Coordinator and the Executive Director, you will...

- Organize, deliver, and provide assistance with Water Smart® initiatives, including EAL safety presentations, Farm Safety Days, and other innovative public education events;
- Travel to diverse rural and remote Manitoba communities, including many Indigenous communities, to provide Swim to Survive™ instruction, Bronze Medal certifications, Boat Operator Accredited Training™, and First Aid & CPR classes;
- Submit weekly reports and administrative paperwork to the Water Smart® Coordinator.

Required Qualifications & Skills

- Valid Class 5 (Intermediate) or Class 5 (Full) Manitoba Driver License (or equivalent);
- Current Standard First Aid & CPR-C certification;
- Current Lifesaving Society - National Lifeguard certification;
- Current Lifesaving Society – Swim for Life® Instructor and Lifesaving & First Aid Instructor certifications;
- Criminal Record Check & Child Abuse Registry/Vulnerable Persons Registry Check;
- Previous experience as a swimming/lifesaving instructor;
- Ability to work alone, with a colleague, and/or with minimal supervision;
- Openness and willingness to work with various cultures;
- Ability and willingness to travel to rural and remote locations by air, boat, bus, car, or rail.

Asset Qualifications & Skills

- Lifesaving Society – National Lifeguard Instructor certification
- Lifesaving Society – Trainer appointment (any stream)
- Previous experience travelling to rural or remote locations in Manitoba
- Previous experience working with diverse cultures and groups

Training Provided

- Earn your Pleasure Craft Operator Card & become a Lifesaving Society B.O.A.T. Instructor
- Recertify many of your certifications & learn about Lifesaving Society Water Smart® programming

Wages & Benefits

- Seasonal salary of between \$9,000 and \$13,000 and coverage of travel costs;
- Amazing experience and accomplishment for future resumes or references.

Please submit your application and resume by April 19, 2019 to:
Christopher Love, Water Smart® Coordinator, watersmart@lifesaving.mb.ca.
For more information, call us at (204) 956-2124.