

LEADERSHIP RECERTIFICATION: GIVE YOURSELF CREDIT

WHAT'S IT ALL ABOUT?

The Lifesaving Society's Leadership Recertification Credit System applies to all of the Society's Instructors and Examiners: Swim, Lifesaving, First Aid, and National Lifeguard.

The system is designed to recognize individual needs and interests by encouraging instructors to learn and improve through continuing education and professional development.

USE YOUR CREDIT FORM

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LEADERSHIP RECERTIFICATION CREDIT FORM			
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Email	Bus. phone		
Please <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> the awards you wish to recertify			
	Instructor	Examiner	Inst. Trainer
Swim	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Lifesaving	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Standard First Aid	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Airway Management	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
CPR-HCP	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
National Lifeguard	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Aquatic Supervisor	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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For office use - date card(s) issued: _____			

The Credit Form has been designed to accommodate the recertification of any or all Lifesaving Society Instructor and their respective Examiner certifications: Swim Instructor, Lifesaving Instructor, Boat Rescue Instructor, First Aid Instructor, Airway Management Instructor, CPR-HCP Instructor, National Lifeguard Instructor.

Blank Credit Forms are available online as a download at www.lifesavingnl.ca. These cards are validated by the person teaching or evaluating the course or training program. Credit Forms are valid only when signed and dated in this manner. If lost, replacements are easy to come by. But if a validated credit card is lost, it is your responsibility to have a replacement re-validated.

LIFEGUARDING STATUS

Although it is not required, the Lifesaving Society recommends that all Instructors hold and maintain current lifeguarding status.

HOW DO I PARTICIPATE?

- 1 At your convenience, over the two-year recertification period, accumulate three credits by participating in your choice of courses, clinics, and training programs.
- 2 Lifesaving and Swim Instructors may select their credits from any course contained on the Credit List. Boat Rescue, First Aid, and National Lifeguard Instructors must select their credits from only those courses marked with an asterisk (*). Examiners must select at least one credit from those items marked with a (*). Instructor Trainers must have taught an Instructor course.
- 3 Make sure your credit form is validated (signed and dated) and send it to the Branch office with your recertification fee.
You will receive an updated certification card(s), valid for another two years.

CAN I SAVE EXTRA CREDITS FOR NEXT TIME?

No. Credits are valid for a two-year period only. If, for example, you take your National Lifeguard award on August 23, 2017, you must collect your other credits by August 23, 2019. Otherwise, the credit from the National Lifeguard award will have expired and you would be obliged to get another current credit.



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The Society has assigned a credit value to the courses below. The credit value and status of these courses may change as modifications are made by the organizations responsible. Because of this, and because new training programs are continually being introduced, the credit list is updated from time to time. Courses and training programs which do not appear on this list may also be eligible for a credit value.

Lifesaving and Swim Instructors may select their three credits from any of the courses listed below. Instructors of National Lifeguard Service (NLS), Standard First Aid, and Boat Rescue programs must collect their three credits from only those courses marked with an asterisk*. Examiners must select at least one credit from those items marked with an asterisk*. Instructor Trainers must have taught an Instructor course. Note: Each item or recertification of each item may be applied only once every two years. Recertification of any item listed below is worth one credit.

SECTION A: 1 CREDIT EACH

LIFESAVING SOCIETY

1. Teaching one of the following complete courses: Lifesaving Society Swim program, Rookie, Ranger, Star, Bronze Medallion, Bronze Cross, Emergency First Aid, CPR 'A', CPR 'B', CPR 'C', or coaching Junior Lifeguard Club
2. Participation in a complete Bronze or higher course as a candidate.
3. Lifesaving Society ESC (Examination Standards Clinic) attendance
4. Lifesaving Society Instructor Trainer Clinic attendance
5. Lifesaving Society Bronze Medallion certification
6. Lifesaving Society Bronze Cross certification
7. *Lifesaving Society National Lifeguard Pool, Waterfront, Waterpark and Surf certification (1 credit for each certification)
8. *Lifesaving Society CPR-HCP certification
9. *Lifesaving Society Standard First Aid certification
10. *Lifesaving Society Advanced Instructor certification
11. *Lifesaving Society Boat Rescue certification
12. *Conducting three or more examinations as an Examiner (Bronze Medallion or higher)
13. *Judge/Official at Provincial Lifeguard Championships
14. *Competitor at Provincial Lifeguard Championships
15. *Attendance at the Society's provincial Annual General Meeting

OTHER AGENCIES

16. *Standard First Aid certification from CRC or St. John Ambulance or Canadian Ski Patrol
17. *CPR-HCP certification or AED certification from CRC or St. John Ambulance or Canadian Ski Patrol
18. *NAUI, ACUC or PADI Scuba Diver certification
19. *Canoeing or Kayaking Level 1 or higher certification
20. *YMCA Assistant Instructor or Assistant Coach certification
21. *Full attendance at a provincial Aquatic Conference

SECTION B: 2 CREDITS EACH

LIFESAVING SOCIETY

22. *Teaching one of the following complete courses: Distinction, Boat Rescue, Standard First Aid, CPR-HCP, National Lifeguard, ESC
23. *Lifesaving Society Lifesaving Instructor certification
24. *Lifesaving Society Swim Instructor certification
25. *Lifesaving Society Distinction certification
26. *Lifesaving Society Examiner appointment
27. *Lifesaving Society First Aid Instructor certification
28. *Lifesaving Society National Lifeguard Instructor certification
29. *Lifesaving Society CPR-HCP Instructor certification
30. *Lifesaving Society Airway Management Instructor certification
31. *Lifesaving Society Instructor Trainer appointment (any level)
32. *Lifesaving Society Board of Directors, or Branch Committee member appointment.

OTHER AGENCIES

33. *CRC Water Safety Instructor certification
34. *CRC or St. John Ambulance First Aid Instructor certification or Canadian Ski Patrol Instructor certification
35. *CRC Instructor Trainer appointment (any level)
36. *Synchro Instructor certification
37. *NCCP Swimming Teacher certification
38. *YMCA Swim Instructor or Coach certification
39. *YMCA Trainer appointment
40. *Basic or Level II Canoe Instructor or Kayak Instructor
41. *I Can Swim Teacher certification
42. *NAUI, ACUC, or PADI Scuba Instructor certification

SECTION C: 3 CREDITS EACH

LIFESAVING SOCIETY

43. *Teaching any Lifesaving Society Instructor or Coach course.
44. *Lifesaving Society Diploma certification

CREDIT RECORD	
Course	Examined BM x2 & BC x2 Credit value 1
Location	City of St. John's Date Nov. 3, 2017
Evaluator's signature	<i>Chris Carruthers</i>
Course	taught Bronze Star Credit value 1
Location	Town of Wabush Date December 2015
Evaluator's signature	<i>Sam Smith</i>
Course	National Lifeguard Recert Credit value 1
Location	City of Mount Pearl Date Sept. 1, 2016
Evaluator's signature	<i>Lucas Long</i>
Did you remember to:	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enclose validated credit card totaling three credits.	