



YMCA

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YMCA of Greater Vancouver

Volunteer Opportunity

Aquatic Fitness Instructor – Chilliwack Family YMCA

The YMCA of Greater Vancouver is a charitable association dedicated to the development of people in spirit, mind and body as well as the improvement of local, national and international communities.

Job Summary

The Aquatic Fitness Instructor plans, leads and instructs members in water fitness classes according to the class description. The Instructor greets and welcomes members to each class, making a special effort to get to know members on a first name basis – and ensures class design is progressive over time to reflect increasing fitness levels of members.

Requirements

- Minimum 16 years of age
- Current YMCA Group Fitness Instructor (Water Fitness Module) or equivalent
- Current Emergency First Aid and CPR-C
- Completion of volunteer documentation and criminal record check
- Attendance at a Welcome to the Y / Emergency Procedures training session and department-specific orientation
- Attend fitness instructor meetings

Competencies

- **Commitment to the Vision and Values:** Demonstrates and promotes a personal understanding of, and appreciation for, the mission, vision and values of the YMCA
- **Service Attitude/Customer Focus:** Identifies needs and wants of members/participants as priority, and responds in an effective and timely manner to enhance every person's YMCA experience.
- **Leadership:** Ability to develop and direct performance of others to achieve desired results.
- **Communication:** Ability to speak, write, listen, and secure information in a variety of settings.
- **Self-Management:** Ability to direct personal performance to achieve desired results.
- **Teamwork:** Ability to work effectively with others to achieve optimal collective results.
- **Flexibility/Managing Change:** Ability to know your environment, initiate and respond effectively to changing conditions.
- **Values Diversity:** Appreciates that individuals with different opinions, backgrounds and characteristics bring to the table "richness" to the challenge or situation at hand.

Benefits

- Share your passion for aquatics with others while gaining valuable experience as an aquatic fitness instructor
- Be a part of the YMCA team and promote the YCMA of Greater Vancouver's mission, vision and core values
- Learn about diversity at the YMCA and meet new people
- Learn and develop as a fitness leader through workshops and other certification opportunities
- Develop leadership and communication skills

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