

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

## CREDIT CARD

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| LIFESAVING SOCIETY                            |              |                       |              |
| <b>LEADERSHIP RECERTIFICATION CREDIT CARD</b> |              |                       |              |
| Jones                                         | Derek        | 97 07 20              |              |
| Surname                                       | Given name   | Birth date (yy mm dd) |              |
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| Email                                         | Bus. phone   |                       |              |
| Please ✓ the awards you wish to recertify     |              |                       |              |
|                                               | Instructor   | Examiner              | Trainer      |
| Swim                                          | ✓            | <del>✓</del>          | ✓            |
| Lifesaving                                    | ✓            | ✓                     | ✓            |
| Standard First Aid                            | ✓            | ✓                     |              |
| National Lifeguard                            |              |                       |              |
| Aquatic Supervisor                            |              | <del>✓</del>          |              |
| Coach                                         |              | <del>✓</del>          |              |
| Other                                         |              | <del>✓</del>          |              |
| Other                                         |              | <del>✓</del>          |              |
| For office use - date card(s) issued: _____   |              |                       |              |

The Credit Card has been designed to accommodate the recertification of any or all Lifesaving Society Instructor and their respective Examiner certifications: Swim Instructor, Lifesaving Instructor, Standard First Aid Instructor, National Lifeguard Instructor, and Aquatic Supervisor Instructor.

The credit card form is available on our website at [www.lifesavingsocietypei.ca](http://www.lifesavingsocietypei.ca) under Find A Form > Training Records > Credit Form

## LIFEGUARDING STATUS

Although it is not required for leadership recertification, 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. Credits may be selected either directly from the Credit List, or by having a specific course assigned credit value by the Lifesaving Society.

Lifesaving, Swim Instructors, Officials and Coaches may select their credits from any course contained on the Credit List. Aquatic Supervisor, Standard 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 a taught an Instructor course.

**2** Make sure your credit card is validated (signed and dated) and send it to the Branch office with your recertification fee. If you recertify more than one Instructor, Examiner, or Trainer certification (e.g. Lifesaving Instructor, National Lifeguard Instructor and National Lifeguard Examiner) at the same time, you pay the base fee (\$30.00 in 2021) plus an additional fee (\$8.95 in 2021) for each additional award you wish to recertify to a maximum fee of \$60.00. If you choose to recertify these certifications at various times during the year, you must pay the base fee for each recertification.

**3** You will receive your renewed 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 January 1, 2019, you must collect your other credits by January 1, 2021. Otherwise, the credit from the National Lifeguard award will have expired and you would be obliged to get another current credit.





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.

Lifesaving and Swim Instructors, Coach and Lifesaving sport officials may select their three credits from any of the courses listed below. Instructors of all other 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 a ✓. 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, Basic First Aid, CPR 'A', CPR 'B', CPR 'C', Lifesaving Sport Fundamentals, or coaching Junior Lifeguard Club
2. ✓ Teaching one of the following complete courses: Bronze Star, Emergency First Aid, or Community Official
3. Lifesaving Society Examiner Course
4. Lifesaving Society Trainer Course
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 Airway Management certification
11. \* Lifesaving Society Aquatic Supervisor certification
12. Lifesaving Society Pool Operator Level 1 or Level 2 certification
13. Lifesaving Society SEE Auditor certification
14. \* Lifesaving Society Aquatic Safety Inspector certification
15. \* Lifesaving Society Auditor appointment
16. \*✓ Conducting three or more examinations as an Examiner (Bronze Medallion or higher)
17. Lifesaving Sport Community Official or higher certification
18. \*✓ Judge/Official at Provincial Lifesaving or Lifeguard Championships
19. \* Competitor at Provincial Lifesaving or Lifeguard Championships

**SECTION B: 2 CREDITS EACH**

**LIFESAVING SOCIETY**

20. \*✓ Teaching one of the following complete course: Bronze Medallion, Bronze Cross, Distinction, Aquatic Supervisor, Assistant Instructor, Standard First Aid, Airway Management, CPR-HCP, National Lifeguard, Examiner Course
21. \* Lifesaving Society Aquatic Supervisor Instructor certification
22. \* Lifesaving Society Coach Level 1 certification
23. \* Lifesaving Society Distinction certification
24. \*✓ Lifesaving Society Examiner appointment
25. \*✓ Lifesaving Society Standard First Aid Instructor certification
26. \*✓ Lifesaving Society National Lifeguard Instructor certification
27. \*✓ Lifesaving Society Officials Instructor
28. \*✓ Lifesaving Society Instructor Trainer or Coach Trainer appointment
29. \*✓ Lifesaving Society Board of Directors appointment

**SECTION C: 3 CREDITS EACH**

**LIFESAVING SOCIETY**

30. \*✓ Teaching any Lifesaving Society Instructor or Coach course
31. \* Attend an Explore Bronze Update Clinic

| CREDIT RECORD                                                                  |                                          |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|
| Course                                                                         | Examined BM x2 & BC x2 Credit value 1    |
| Location                                                                       | Charlottetown R.C. Date Nov. 3, 2018     |
| Evaluator's signature                                                          | Chris Carruthers                         |
| Course                                                                         | Taught Bronze Star Credit value 1        |
| Location                                                                       | Credit Union Place Date July 2018        |
| Evaluator's signature                                                          | Sam Smith                                |
| Course                                                                         | National Lifeguard Recert Credit value 1 |
| Location                                                                       | Charlottetown R.C. Date Dec. 14, 2018    |
| Evaluator's signature                                                          | Lucas Long                               |
| Did you remember to:<br>✓ Enclose validated credit card totaling three credits |                                          |