

# National Pool Lifeguard Qualification Enrolment Form

This form is to be completed by all individuals wishing to enrol on the course.

Please use BLOCK CAPITALS

Full name:		Date of Birth:	
Address:			
Telephone number:		Email Address:	
Emergency contact name:			
Contact Telephone number:		Relationship to Candidate:	

Course Pre-Requisites: (All new candidates MUST meet the following criteria (please tick))	
Must be 16 years of age prior to assessment	<input type="checkbox"/>
Jump / Dive into deep water	<input type="checkbox"/>
Swim 50 metres in no more than 60 seconds	<input type="checkbox"/>
Swim 100 metres continuously on front and back	<input type="checkbox"/>
In deep water, tread water for 30 seconds	<input type="checkbox"/>
Surface dive to the floor of the pool	<input type="checkbox"/>
Climb out unaided without ladder/steps and where the pool design permits	<input type="checkbox"/>

Additional Information:	
Do you have any specialist learning requirements?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Do you have a disability / medical condition?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Please note a good level of vision is required for this course, see course information overleaf for further details.</i>
If you answered yes to either of the above questions, please provide further details on how we can assist with your learning:	

Course Payment:	
The cost of this course is £250 with a £100 non-refundable deposit required on booking to confirm your place and purchase your lifeguard pack. The remaining balance must be paid in full 1 week prior to the commencement of the course. By completing this form, you are confirming your enrolment onto the RLSS UK National Pool Lifeguard Qualification.	
Candidate Signature:	Date:
Parent / Guardian Signature: (if under 18)	Date:

### Candidate Information:

#### Course Overview:

The internationally recognised Royal Lifesaving Society (RLSS UK) National Pool Lifeguard Qualification (NPLQ) is not only a qualification that will train you to become a Pool Lifeguard but can also be a stepping stone into a career within the leisure industry. The NPLQ requires a minimum of 36 hours (5 days) training and requires **100% attendance**. In order to perform lifeguard duties candidates must be physically fit, have good vision and hearing, be mentally alert and self-disciplined\*. The course will be delivered using a variety of methods including:

- PowerPoint Presentations
- Flip Chart Exercises
- Guided Group Discussions
- Guided Group Activities
- Practical Demonstrations and Training

The NPLQ certificate is valid for 2 years from the date of successful completion of the course.

#### Topics Covered:

The NPLQ covers all elements of Pool Rescue Techniques, Lifeguard Theory, First Aid and CPR. The course is physically demanding and will include swimming to set times, lifting casualties and diving to the deepest part of the pool. Approved prior learning can be applied upon proof of certification, please ask your trainer for further details.

For full details on the courses content and to view IQL UK policies, please visit [www.rlss.org.uk](http://www.rlss.org.uk)

You are required to bring the following items to the course:

- Photographic Identification (must be shown to the trainer on the first day of the course)
- A whistle
- Swimming costume
- Towel
- Shorts and t-shirt to be worn in the water
- Pen / pencil

Some of the days may include water work on more than one occasion and candidates may prefer to bring two sets of towels, shorts and t-shirts.

#### Course Assessment:

The NPLQ course syllabus and practical skills are continually assessed by the course trainer and a suitable level competence must be achieved to be put forward for a final independent assessment. The assessment will include verbal question and answer sessions, practical demonstrations of water rescue skills, CPR and First Aid.

If you have any questions prior to the start of the course, please feel free to contact your course trainer using the details below.

<b>Trainer:</b>	Alison Dillon	<b>Telephone:</b>	01748 831030
<b>Email:</b>	Simon.Hughes@Nuffieldhealth.com		

#### Course Timetable:

The course will run on the following dates / times:

##### October

Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> – Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> 9am-6pm

Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> 9am-1pm