

Leadership Recertification: Credit List

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.

How do I recertify?

To recertify, fill out [a Leadership Recertification Card found on our website](#).

Indicate which awards you wish to recertify in the middle section beneath your personal information.

In the right-hand section, outline which credit activities from page 2 you would like to redeem to recertify. Include when and where this activity took place.

Some awards require specific kinds of activity. If you are recertifying:

- Lifesaving Instructor, Swim Instructor, Official, or Coach awards,
 - You may use any three credits.
- Any other Instructor award,
 - All three credits must be Asterisk Credits.
- Examiner awards,
 - At least one credit must be a Checkmark Credit.
- Trainer Award
 - You must have taught an Instructor Course.

Activities taught, and courses attended, must be Lifesaving Society courses. Credit is not awarded for equivalent certifications from other organizations, or for teaching other programs.

Can I save extra credits?

No. Credits are valid for a period of two years from the date of the activity in which they are earned.

For example, if you earned a National Lifeguard Certification on January 1st 2024, that credit is valid until January 1st 2026.

In the right-side section, indicate how your recertification fees will be paid.

What does this cost?

You can find current and up to date pricing for Leadership Recertification's on the [Lifesaving Society New Brunswick Price List](#).

You can pay for your recertification by:

- E-Transfer to info@lifesavingnb.ca
- Credit Card over the phone
- Pre-Authorized Credit Card
- Affiliate Invoicing

You may also pay with cash (exact change only) or Debit in person at our Fredericton Office.

Section A: Activities worth 1 Credit

One Credit Activities:

- Be certified in
 - Examiner Course
 - Trainer Course
 - Bronze Medallion
 - Pool Operator Level 1
 - Pool Operator Level 2
 - SEE Auditor

One Checkmark Credit Activities:

- Teach a:
 - Complete Swim for Life level
 - Complete Canadian Swim Patrol level
 - Basic First Aid Course
 - CPR-A, B, or C course
 - Lifesaving Sport Fundamentals course
 - Bronze Star Course
 - Emergency First Aid Course
 - Community Official Course
 - Coach Junior Lifeguard Club

One Asterisk Credit Activities:

- Be certified in
 - Bronze Cross
 - National Lifeguard (any variant)
 - CPR-Healthcare Provider
 - Standard First Aid
 - Airway Management
 - Aquatic Supervisor
 - Aquatic Safety Inspector
- Be appointed as an Auditor
- Compete at a Lifesaving or Lifeguard Championship.

One Asterisk and Checkmark Credit Activities:

- Conduct three exams at the Bronze Medallion level or higher
- Judge or Officiate at a Lifesaving or Lifeguard Championship.

Section B: Activities worth 2 Credits

Two Asterisk Credit Activities

- Be certified or appointed as
 - Aquatic Supervisor Instructor
 - Coach Level 1
 - Distinction

Two Asterisk and Checkmark Credit Activities

- Teach a
 - Bronze Medallion
 - Bronze Cross
 - Distinction
 - Aquatic Supervisor
 - Assistant Instructor
 - Standard First Aid
 - Airway Management
 - CPR-Healthcare Provider
 - National Lifeguard
 - Examiner Course
- Be certified or appointed as a
 - Examiner
 - Standard First Aid Instructor
 - National Lifeguard Instructor
 - Officials Instructor
 - Instructor Trainer or Coach Trainer
- Be appointed to the Board of Directors

Section C: Activities worth 3 credits

Three Asterisk Credit activities

- Attend an Update Clinic

Three Asterisk and Checkmark Credit Activities

- Teach an Instructor, or Coach, course.