

## **MISSIONS OF HOPE INTERNATIONAL JOB DESCRIPTION**

### **Open Waters Lifeguard**

#### **Overall Job Purpose**

The position is responsible for assessing and mitigating risks around the beachfront to secure and establish proper safety measures for the campers. The incumbent will have open waters lifeguarding certification.

#### **Duties and Responsibilities**

- Supervise campers and provide constant surveillance of beachside activities in order to ensure camper safety.
- Perform life saving techniques, C.P.R. and first aid procedures in emergency situations.
- Perform safety and risk assessments of the beachfront and maintain safety mechanisms.
- Monitor beachside related activities closely and identify any safety issues.
- Direct campers away from the beach in hazardous conditions.
- Monitor weather reports closely to ensure safety of campers.
- Provide assistance to campers when appropriate or necessary.
- Perform other duties as assigned.

#### **Requirements**

- A minimum of KCSE certificate of education
- A Diploma in Social sciences is an added advantage
- Current certification as a Lifeguard from a recognized institution
- 2 years relevant experience as a Lifeguard
- Training with the National Youth Service will be an added advantage.
- A Red Cross Certification on first aid or safety will be an added advantage
- Excellent communication, time management, organization and presentation skills.
- Must be willing to live within the camp premises.
- Ability to react quickly and efficiently in a life-threatening situation.