# **Job Description: Lifesaving Society Mentor**

#### **Purpose**

Mentors are primarily responsible for supporting Trainers and Instructors in their community and region.

### **Eligibility**

To be eligible for appointment as a Mentor, applicants:

- Must be a member in good standing of the Lifesaving Society.
- Must be an experienced and active Lifesaving Society National Trainer

## **Appointment**

Appointed as a Mentor for a two-year term; may be re-appointed for additional two-year terms thereafter.

**Current and active National Trainers:** Receive automatic appointment as Mentors aligned to their National Trainer Appointment.

# **Reporting Relationship**

To the Lifesaving Society.

### Responsibilities

Lifesaving Society Mentors:

- 1. Represent the Lifesaving Society in a professional and ethical manner and act in the best interests of the Society.
- 2. Mentor Trainers and Instructors as assigned.
- 3. Support Trainer and Instructor community and regional networks.
- 4. Support Trainer and Instructor personal reflection on Leadership Competencies.
- 5. Support Trainer and Instructor creation of individual development plans.
- 6. Assist in identifying and coordinating Apprenticeship opportunities.
- 7. Provide ongoing advice and guidance to Trainers/Instructors for professional development.
- 8. Support Trainer and Instructor professional development as assigned.
- 9. Act as expert resources in matters related to the Society's leadership system.
- 10. Assist in the identification, recruitment and development of potential Mentors.
- 11. Complete all administrative requirements in a timely manner.
- 12. Attend Mentor workshops and clinics as required.