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## **CENTRAL CONNECTICUT COAST YMCA Vacancy Announcement**

### **Aquatics Director, Hamden/North Haven YMCA, Hamden, CT**

Full-time, non-exempt 40 hours per week

Salary Range: 37,000-40,000

Generous benefits including comprehensive health/dental insurance, retirement, PTO and sick leave.

The Hamden/North Haven YMCA is a spacious facility that includes a 4 lane pool, wellness center, off-site day camp and school age child care programs. It is one of 13 branches of the Central Connecticut Coast YMCA.

Under the direction of the Executive Director, the Aquatics Director manages all aspects of the swim lesson program, swim team, water fitness classes, maintenance of the pool facility and supervision of lifeguards and swim instructors. This includes but is not limited to, maintaining positive relationships with members; conduction of current programs; implementation of new programs; supervision of staff inclusive of scheduling and evaluating effectiveness; and maintenance of the pool environment per YMCA and Department of Health standards. The Director's schedule varies including evenings and weekends.

#### Requirements

1. The following certifications are required:
  - This position requires a bachelor's degree in physical education, recreation or related field.
  - YMCA or Red Cross lifeguard certification (YMCA certification is preferred but must be achieved within 6 months)
  - Professional CPR/AED/O2 and First Aid certifications
  - YMCA Swim Instructor (YSL) certification or Red Cross WSI (YMCA is preferred and must be achieved within 6 month of employment)
2. Incumbent must have experience and demonstrated success in teaching swim lessons to various ages.
3. He/she must have experience and aptitude for pool maintenance. Certified Pool Operator or YMCA POOL certification highly desired.
4. Certification and experience in teaching water fitness classes highly desired.
5. Experience managing staff or other professional work experience necessary.
6. Demonstrated success in building positive relationships with program participants, parents and colleagues.
7. Strong oral and written communications skills required. Proficient in Microsoft Office products such as Outlook, Word, and Excel is required.



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8. Physical Requirements

Must be able to bend, kneel, lift, and carry items of up to 50 pounds. Must be able to be in the water for extended periods of time. He/she must have sufficient visual and auditory acuity to respond to emergencies in a timely manner in a busy pool environment. Must be able to communicate verbally, including projecting the voice across a distance and hear and respond to noises and distress signals from all sides. Must be able to remain alert, with no lapses of consciousness.

Send cover letter and resume to Emily Jackson, Executive Director, at [ejackson@cccymca.org](mailto:ejackson@cccymca.org)

Deadline: September 5, 2017