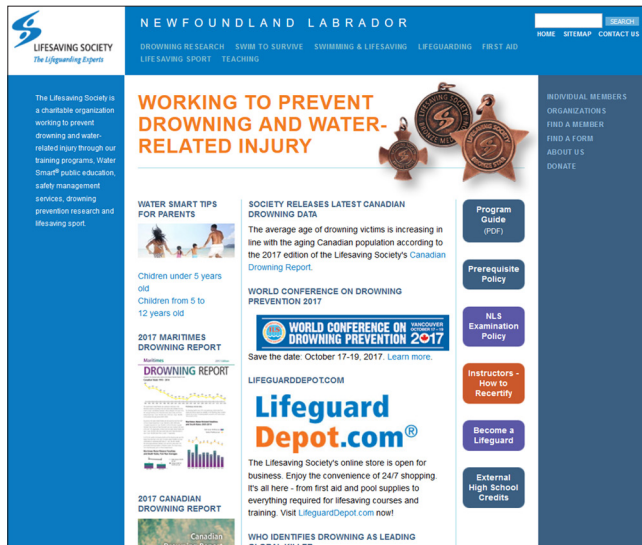


Currents

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- Members can download proof of certifications, despite lost or otherwise missing certification cards. *Find a Member* is secure and ensures privacy. Only those to whom members have given their Lifesaving Society ID number have access to the list of certifications.
- Employers can obtain immediate confirmation of certifications of staff members – no telephone tag, no busy signals – even when the Lifesaving Society office is closed.
- Employers can immediately confirm certifications in cases where the authenticity of a card is in question. *Find a Member* can provide employers with proof that certification cards being presented are valid (or not) especially when cards appear altered.
- Examiners and Trainers can confirm prerequisites of candidates who arrive without proof or in cases where the authenticity of a card is suspect. Verification is quick and easy.
- Obtain a complete at-a-glance history of your Lifesaving Society certifications – an impressive attachment to job applications or resumes.
- If you have recently taken an award that is not showing on your *Find a Member* record, let us know so that we can make sure we have received the course results.

Visit your new website: lifesavingnl.ca

The Society's revamped website went live on October 4, 2017 with expanded features and functions on a platform that accommodates more and improved Web-based applications to better serve Society members. The site offers up-to-date information on Society programs, policies and procedures with new content and features to be added in the coming months. Check out *Find a Form* which provides members with downloadable forms such as test sheets and price lists. Look for *Find a Form* on the right-side navigation bar at www.lifesavingnl.ca.

Check your awards in Find a Member

Lifesaving Society members can now check their certification records online at www.lifesavingnl.ca. Our new *Find a Member* allows you to check Lifesaving Society certifications and the current status of each. With your personal Lifesaving Society ID code (on the bottom right corner of any certification card), you can check in from anywhere, any time!

Look for *Find a Member* on the right-side navigation bar at www.lifesavingnl.ca.

Not at your computer? Use *Find a Member Mobile*. Bookmark or add www.findamember.ca to the browser favourites on your phone or tablet, enter your Lifesaving Society Member ID and click "Get Certifications".

The Society offers *Find a Member* and *Find a Member Mobile* as an exclusive service to its individual and affiliate members. This service is paid for by Instructor and Lifeguard Recertification fees.

Programming First Aid with Lifesaving and Lifeguarding courses

Combining First Aid certifications with other Lifesaving Society courses is an efficient use of everyone's time, and ensures candidates have the required prerequisites for their next Lifesaving Society course. Programming is easy. Just add a few additional hours to your courses (see chart below).

As of January 1, 2019 Emergency First Aid will become a prerequisite to Bronze Cross. To make sure your Bronze Medallion candidates are prepared, we recommend programming Emergency First Aid with Bronze Medallion.

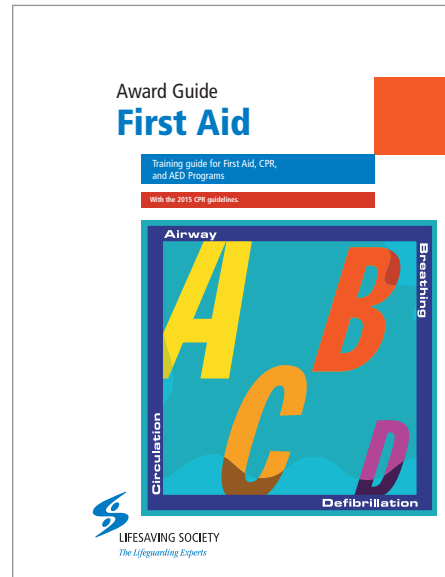
Combining Workplace Standard First Aid with Bronze Cross is an effective way to prepare your candidates for work as assistant lifeguards – no extra courses needed.

First aid awards combined with lifesaving awards	Additional instruction hours
Basic First Aid + Bronze Star	Add 2 hr. to Bronze Star
Emergency First Aid + Bronze Medallion	Add 4 hr. to Bronze Medallion
Emergency First Aid + Bronze Cross	Add 4 hr. to Bronze Cross
Workplace Standard First Aid + Bronze Cross	Add 8 hr. to Bronze Cross
Workplace Standard First Aid + National Lifeguard	Add 8 hr. National Lifeguard

Save the dates

April 21, 2018 – Lifesaving Society Newfoundland and Labrador Annual General Meeting

May 30–June 1, 2018 – Atlantic Recreation and Facilities Conference and Trade Show (Charlottetown, PEI)



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