Water Watcher on Duty

Here for your safety.



As the water watcher, I will:

- Watch in-water activity without distraction.
- Stop dangerous activity.
- Respond to emergencies.

In an emergency, I will:



Shout for help!



Rescue and remove the person using a reaching or throwing assist.



Call emergency medical services (EMS).



Provide rescue breathing and CPR until FMS arrives

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Instructions

- 1. Print this page on white card stock.
- 2. Cut along the dashed line.
- 3. Fold the card in half.
- 4. Protect the card by laminating it or inserting it in a plastic sleeve.
- 5. Punch a hole on the circle at the top of the card.
- 6. Attach a lanyard or tie yarn or a ribbon through the hole so it can be worn around the neck.
- 7. Ensure that the designated water watcher wears the card so they are clearly identifiable to all.
 - Rotate water watchers in designated periods of time, such as every 15 minutes.
 - The water watcher should not stop watching the activity in the water until the card has been passed to the next water watcher.