

HOW WILL WORKING WITH THE OCBP BENEFIT ME IN THE FUTURE?

In addition to providing a memorable experience, the Beach Patrol will also serve as a valuable reference for future educational and career opportunities. Because of the Beach Patrol's well-known, positive reputation, a letter of recommendation is often the deciding factor when an employer has multiple candidates for a position. Many former employees credit their Beach Patrol experience with providing the most important building blocks in the foundation for their later success.

ARE THERE ANY PART-TIME POSITIONS AVAILABLE?

Yes. However, all employees must complete at least one season full-time employment due to the ongoing training and skill development that must take place. Returning employees who are not on probation must apply for a part-time position.

ARE THERE ANY OTHER POSITIONS OFFERED BY THE BEACH PATROL?

Although 95% of our employees are Surf Rescue Technicians, we do offer additional job classifications that do not have the same physical requirements:

- Surf Beach Facilitator (SBF) - Each summer the Beach Patrol employs nine SBFs who are responsible for establishing and maintaining boundaries between surfers and swimmers at each of Ocean City's three surfing beaches. SBFs work closely with beach patrons, explaining the Surf Beach rotation and regulations, as well as Surf Rescue Technicians on adjoining beaches assisting with ordinance enforcement and responding to medical emergencies. There is no physical test for these positions, and no previous experience or certifications are required. The Beach Patrol provides all needed training and certifications including First Aid and CPR during a paid training academy. If you are interested in becoming a Surf Beach Facilitator contact Captain Arbin at barbin@oceancitymd.gov.

- Administrative Assistant / Office Associate - Supports the administration and command staff of the Beach Patrol. (2 positions)
- Social Media / Public Education Coordinator - Supports communication, social media, and public outreach for the Beach Patrol. (1 position)

DO YOU OFFER ANY COMPETITIVE EXPERIENCES?

Yes! While the majority of the competitions are for the entire Beach Patrol, some require the selection of athletes to represent the Ocean City Beach Patrol. The Ocean City Beach Patrol Surf Rescue Association conducts scheduled morning and evening competitions as a means of honing surf rescue skills and completing additional certifications. The entire Beach Patrol has the opportunity to participate in the East Coast Ocean Series, all-women tournament, Iron Guard Competitions, and Crew Competitions scheduled throughout the season. We also offer the opportunity to compete in local, regional, and national events sponsored by the United States Lifesaving Association. We also host a number of races which are held after hours and are open to everyone. The Town of Ocean City Recreation Department also provides several employee sports leagues for those interested.

IF I HAVE QUESTIONS, WHAT SHOULD I DO?

We encourage all potential employees to ask as many questions as necessary in preparation for the test and the job. This brochure and our website should provide you with answers to most of them. However, if you still have questions, feel free to contact us.

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DOES THE BEACH PATROL PROVIDE HOUSING FOR SUMMER EMPLOYEES?

The Ocean City Development Corporation has made housing available for approximately fourteen Beach Patrol employees for the summer season. The cost for this seasonal housing is approximately \$1,600.00 (2016 rate) for rent and all utilities from SRA 1 (Mid May) through end of Beach Patrol season (end of September). This housing is only available to those who have passed the pre-employment skills evaluation and have been appointed to the Training Academy or those who are current Beach Patrol employees. Information on these housing opportunities will be available to successful candidates. Additionally, the Beach Patrol has an e-mail distribution list and can forward housing inquiries to all current employees. However most Beach Patrol employees will arrange for their own housing through other beach patrol members or real estate companies (be cautious of sources such as Craig's list). If you are seeking a place with other Beach Patrol members or have a place and are looking for additional roommates, you can contact the Beach Patrol and we can help spread the word. DO NOT DELAY IN SECURING HOUSING - it may stop you from accepting your position. Contact Captain Arbin at barbin@oceancitymd.gov for assistance with this method.

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Ocean City, MD

JOB OPPORTUNITIES



NO PREVIOUS CERTIFICATION OR EXPERIENCE REQUIRED

All TRAINING and CERTIFICATIONS are PROVIDED in a Paid Training Academy



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