

Bathing Beach Safety Plan Addendum for Ocean Surf Beaches

Name of Facility: _____

Site Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Prepared by: _____ Title: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

New York State Sanitary Code 6-2 requires that beach operators develop, update and implement a written safety plan. This plan must be submitted to your local health department for their review and approval. The plan must include procedures for daily bather supervision, injury prevention, reacting to emergencies, injuries and other incidents, providing first aid and summoning help.

Please review and complete this addendum. Include any attachments, as necessary. Once completed, it will serve as part of your facility's written safety plan.

Additional information may be obtained at www.nyhealth.gov

At ocean surf beaches, the safety plan shall be developed in consultation with an individual having adequate ocean surf lifeguarding experience.

Name of individual consulted: _____

Credentials: _____

Please send a copy to:

And, please retain a copy of this document for your use.

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Reviewer: _____

Title: _____

Approved: Yes No

Date: _____

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Supervision Level I Aquatic Supervisory Staff

- All ocean surf beaches, including those owned and operated by homeowner associations, are required to have at least one Supervision Level I aquatic supervisory staff, who is trained and certified in the operation and use of an automated external defibrillator (AED) by a nationally recognized organization or the state emergency medical services council.
- This certified Supervision Level I staff must be present and available at all times the beach is open for use.
- The training and certification records must be available for review during inspections.

1. How many Supervision Level I staff do you have who are certified in using AEDs?

Number of staff _____

All staff are trained and certified in the use of AEDs.

2. Is at least one Supervision Level I staff who is certified in using AEDs on-site and available at all times when the beach is open for use? Yes

Emergency Equipment - AED

- At ocean surf beaches, at least one AED must be provided by the operator and maintained on-site.
- The beach operator must implement a Public Access Defibrillator (PAD) program as defined in 6-2.2(i) of Subpart 6-2.
- The following must be maintained and available on-site for review during inspections:
 - A copy of the collaborative agreement between an emergency health care provider and the ocean surf beach operator;
 - A copy of the notification to the regional emergency medical services council of the existence, location, and type of automated external defibrillator;
 - The records of AED maintenance and testing specified by the manufacturer's standards.

3. How many AEDs do you have on-site? _____

4. Where are the AEDs located?

At lifeguard chairs

At the first aid station

Other (specify) _____

7. Indicate the procedure used to summon the AED certified staff and the AED to an emergency:

All lifeguards are certified in AED use and have one with them at their station.

Other _____

8. What is the emergency response time for getting the AED and AED certified staff to the emergency site? Within 1 minute 1 - 3 minutes Other (specify) _____

- **Please attach a copy of the signed Collaborative Agreement with the appropriate Regional Emergency Medical Services Council (REMSCO) as defined in the PAD program requirements.**

Yes, I have attached the above.