



WSI National Pool Lifeguard Course Tutor Assimilation Course (3.5 hrs)

The aim of this policy is to facilitate the assimilation of qualified pool lifeguard tutors from other ILS recognised Lifesaving Bodies over to WSI.

Upon successfully completing this process the successful tutor will be placed upon the WSI's register of pool lifeguard tutors. They will then be authorised to provide training courses leading to the following qualifications of pool lifeguards. They will further be able to provide continuing professional development programmes in line with WSI's regulations. In order to retain this authority, the individual tutor is required to abide by the WSI's regulations and meet its CPD requirements.

All assimilation courses must be pre-approved by the **Lifeguarding Skills & Syllabus Development Commission**.

Following approval here are the next steps in the tutor assimilation application process:

- Verification of candidate's qualifications and submitted to the Technical Officer to have on file.
- Upon completion of the above steps the assimilating tutor must become a member of WSI, this will include two code of ethics courses, a garda clearance verification and a registration fee.

The WSI tutor will cover:

1. Verification of Candidate's Qualifications within "other" ILS recognised Lifesaving Body
2. WSI History, Philosophy and Structure – "A Water Loving People Where Safety Is Second Nature"
3. WSI Course Syllabus and Manual
4. Course Examination Procedure
5. WSI Course Registration Procedures
6. Ordering from WSI HQ, Invoicing arrangements and Payment conditions. (Paid in full by 30 days)
7. WSI Policies for Members and Volunteers
8. Requirements for Continual Professional Development
9. Recognition of Prior Learning
10. WSI Lifeguard Skills Overview/Comparison
11. WSI Spinal Board Management
12. Pool Lifeguard Tutor Resource USB
13. Lifeguard Tutor Updates

Assimilation Tutor: **Name:** _____ **Signature:** _____

WSI Pool Lifeguard Course Tutor: **Name:** _____ **Signature:** _____

Date: _____

Please Note: Completed Assimilation Form **must** be returned to the Lifeguard/Lifesaving Commission

By signing this the candidate agrees to the management of their personal data by WSI in accordance with the General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR) 2018.