

AWARDS & QUALIFICATIONS CHART

SLSA Award/Qualification	Minimum Age+	SLSA Award Prerequisites++	Unit Of Competency / Qualification Issued*	
Aquatic Rescue and Beach Management Pathway Awards				
Surf Rescue Certificate (SRC) - Updated Annually	13 years	Nil	PUAOPE013	Operate communications systems and equipment
			PUASAR012	Apply surf awareness and self-rescue skills
			PUASAR013	Participate in an aquatic rescue operation
			HLTAID009	Provide cardiopulmonary resuscitation (valid for 1 year)
Radio Operator Certificate (ROC) - Updated Annually	13 years	Nil	PUAOPE013	Operate communications systems and equipment
Bronze Medallion (BM) and Certificate II in Public Safety (Aquatic Rescue) (Cert II PSAR) - Updated Annually	15 years	Nil	PUA20119	Certificate II in public safety (aquatic rescue)
			PUAOPE013	Operate communications systems and equipment
			PUASAR012	Apply surf awareness and self-rescue skills
			PUASAR013	Participate in an aquatic rescue operation
			HLTAID002	Provide basic emergency life support (valid for 3 years)
			PUACOM001	Communicate in the workplace
			PUATEA001	Work in a team
			PUATEA004	Work effectively in a public safety organisation
Silver Medallion Aquatic Rescue (SMAR) - Updated Annually	16 years	Proficient in: Bronze Medallion/Cert II PSAR	N/A	N/A
			N/A	N/A
Certificate III In Public Safety (Aquatic Search & Rescue)	16 years	Proficient in: Bronze Medallion/Cert II PSAR	PUAWHS002	Maintain safety at an incident scene
			PUASAR011	Search as a member of an aquatic search team
			PUACOM001	Communicate in the workplace
			PUAOPE013	Operate communications systems and equipment
			PUATEA004	Work effectively in a public safety organisation
			HLTAID003	Provide first aid (valid for 3 years)
			HLTAID007	Provide advanced resuscitation (valid for 1 year)
			HLTAID006	Provide advanced first aid (valid for 3 years)
			PUAOPE027	Undertake beach safety management activities
			BSBFLM312	Contribute to team effectiveness
			PUATEA002	Work autonomously
			PUAEME005	Provide pain management (valid for 1 year)
			PUASAR015	Crew small powercraft in a rescue operation
			PUAEQU001	Prepare, maintain, and test response equipment
			PUASAR014	Operate and maintain a small powercraft and motor for rescue operations
			PUASAR016	Operate and maintain a personal water craft for rescue operations
			PUASAR017	Undertake advanced surf rescue
Silver Medallion Beach Management (SMBM)	17 years	Hold a Bronze Medallion/Cert II PSAR and be proficient in at least one of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Radio Operator Certificate Bronze Medallion/Cert II PSAR First Aid Advanced Resuscitation Techniques 	PUAOPE027	Undertake beach safety management activities
Gold Medallion (GM) - Updated Annually	17 years	Hold and be proficient in each of the following SLSA awards: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bronze Medallion/Cert II PSAR First Aid Advanced Resuscitation Techniques Silver Medallion Beach Management 	PUASAR017	Undertake advanced surf rescue



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Powercraft Pathway Awards					
Inflatable Rescue Boat Crewperson (IRBC) - Updated Annually	15 years	Proficient in: Bronze Medallion/Cert II PSAR	Nil	PUASAR015	Crew small powercraft in a rescue operation
Side-By-Side Vehicle (SSV) Induction - Updated Annually	17 years	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Current NSW Driver's License. Minimum Provisional Driver's License. Details on members records 	Nil	Members must be inducted for each SSV make and model that they have not driven before.	
Silver Medallion Inflatable Rescue Boat Driver (SMIRBD) - Updated Annually	17 years	Proficient in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bronze Medallion/Cert II PSAR IRB Crewperson Certificate Have met the marine licensing requirements 	Nil	PUAEQU001	Prepare, maintain, and test response equipment
				PUASAR014	Operate and maintain a small powercraft and motor for rescue operations
Rescue Water Craft Operator (RWC) - Updated Annually	18 years	Proficient in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Advanced Resuscitation Techniques Bronze Medallion/Cert II PSAR First Aid Silver Medallion Beach Management NSW Vehicle License with tow capacity Have met the NSW marine licensing requirements 	Nil	PUAEQU001	Prepare, maintain, and test response equipment
				PUASAR016	Operate and maintain a personal water craft for rescue operations
Emergency Care Pathway Awards					
Resuscitation (Resus) - Updated Annually	10 years	Nil	Nil	HLTAID009	Provide cardiopulmonary resuscitation (valid for 1 year)
First Aid (FA) - Valid for 3 years	14 years	Nil	Nil	HLTAID009	Provide cardiopulmonary resuscitation (valid for 1 year)
				HLTAID010	Provide basic emergency life support (valid for 3 years)
				HLTAID011	Provide first aid (valid for 3 years)
Advanced Resuscitation Techniques (ART) – Updated Annually	15 years	Nil	HLTAID011	HLTAID015	Provide advanced resuscitation and oxygen therapy (valid for 1 year)
Training & Education Pathway Awards					
Training Officer Certificate (TOC)	16 years	Nil	Nil	TAEDEL301	Provide work skill instruction
				BSBCMM411	Make presentations