



SAILING INSTRUCTOR APPLICATION - NEWPORT, RI

MISSION: Sail To Prevail creates opportunities for children and adults with disabilities to overcome adversity through therapeutic sailing.

DATES: Early-June through Mid-August, offering sailing sessions daily.

PROGRAM: Each summer, approximately 1,500 people with disabilities learn the skills of sailing in our fleet of uniquely adapted, 20-foot sailboats. Our programs strongly encourage individuals to be active participants by steering the boat, grinding winches and trimming sails. The measurable outcomes demonstrate increased self-confidence in all parts of their daily lives, the camaraderie of teamwork, and improved leadership skills. The US Sailing Adaptive Sailing Instructor Workshop will be a part of the provided training.

PAY: \$15.00 per hour.

REQUIRED TRAINING: Sailing Instructors generally hold some level of certification from U.S. Sailing. Level I Instructor or higher is preferred. For applicants with prior sailing experience, Sail To Prevail will sponsor and reimburse the exam and registration fees associated with taking/passing certification requirements. This offer is open to any eligible instructor who wants to attain a Level 1 Sailing Assistant (age 16-18), Level 1 Instructor, Levels II Instructor, or Level III Coach certificate, prior to or concurrent with the start of our program season.

DOCK LOCATION: 60 Fort Adams Drive, Fort Adams, Newport RI.

INSTRUCTOR TESTIMONIALS:

“Before joining Sail To Prevail, I didn’t have experience with disabled sailing. The staff training made me fully confident and equipped. Don’t wait to apply!” - Stephen

“Sail To Prevail was not only the most amazing summer job but also has provided a unique professional experience for my resume.” - Hans

“Working for Sail To Prevail was a life-changing experience, for which I will be forever grateful.” - Coral

CLIENT TESTIMONIALS:

“It encouraged me to try new things in other parts of my life!” - Dave

“When you’re out there with nothing but the ocean around you, wheelchair back on the dock, you forget what the word ‘disability’ even means.” - Matt, quadriplegic from a motorcycle accident

“It is the best sensory and learning experiences I’ve ever had!” - Rebecca

APPLICATION PROCESS: Mail or email the application. Applicants will be considered on a rolling basis.

QUESTIONS OR COMPLETED APPLICATIONS: Email paulcallahan@sailtoprevail.org or 401-849-8898
Sail To Prevail, PO Box 1264, Newport RI 02840

SAIL TO PREVAIL

The National Disabled Sailing Program

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Today's Date _____ Age _____ Birthdate _____
Name _____ Nickname _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Email _____ Phone _____

At what level are you *currently* certified by U.S. Sailing to instruct or coach?

_____ Sailing Counselor; _____ Level I Sailing Assistant (Under age 18);
_____ Level I Instructor; _____ Level II Instructor; _____ Level III Coach

Please attach a copy of your certificate, or list your certificate number: _____

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Sailing Experience (years, boat type, and location)

Instructor experience (if any – years and skill level)

Experience (not required) or interest in working with individuals with disabilities

Additional personal information

Two References

Name _____ Relationship _____ Phone _____
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Please send completed application to: Email: paulcallahan@sailtoprevail.org
Mail: Sail To Prevail, PO Box 1264, Newport RI 02840