

Appendix 1

The roles and functions that are proposed to be contracted to transfer to the RNLI from summer 2025

The role of a lifeguard which includes:

Water safety advice
Drowning prevention
Emergency response to water-based incidents,
Emergency response to life-threatening land-based incidents
Sun safety advice
Weather and tide information
Advice regarding barbecues and dog friendly beaches

Management of Lifeguards, which includes:

Recruitment
Training
Inductions
Ongoing mentoring

Equipment and Facilities:

Provide Uniforms
Complete beach risk assessments
Rescue equipment
Lifeguard stations

The wellbeing package which includes:

Providing pastoral care
Round the clock support
A counselling service

