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## BFR at Breezeway Resort - Front Desk

## **HOST INFORMATION**

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Site of Activity: BFR at Breezeway Resort

Parent Account Name: Breezeway Family Resorts

Host Address: 70 Winnapaug Road , PO Box 1368 , Westerly , Rhode Island , 02891

Nearest Major City: Providence , Rhode Island , Less than 50 miles away

## **PLACEMENT INFORMATION**

### Job Description:

Hotel Front Desk / Reservationist Friendly, helpful, outgoing, and self- motivated customer focused professionals. Book Reservations, Guest Relations, Check in and Check Out are just a part of this multifaceted position. Applicants interested in or with prior hospitality industry experience are preferred. Majority of shifts are either 7a-3p or 3p-11p. Positive, friendly, bright, mature applicants should e-mail their resume.

### Typical Schedule:

Majority of shifts are either 7a-3p or 3p-11p, 5-7 days per week. Most busy Saturdays & Sundays.

# **COMPENSATION**

Hourly Wage: \$12.5

Eligible for Tips: Yes

Tips are available from rooms participants clean (so long as guest tips).

Estimated weekly wages including tips: \$400

Bonus: No

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Estimated average number of hours per week: 40

Estimated minimum number of hours per week: 32

Estimated maximum number of hours per week: 60

Potential fluctuation in hours per week:

We are most busy in July and August. Hours will fluctuate higher in our peak season, and lower in our shoulder season.

Average number of hours per week reached by last year's seasonal employees: 48

*Overtime Policy: Yes, paid after 40 hours* 

*Job-Specific Benefits: Opportunity to work a 2nd job with our other businesses.* 

## **JOB REQUIREMENTS**

English Level required:



Intermediate

Required to be 21+: No

Previous Experience required: No

*Qualifications & Conditions Lifting* 

### Lifting requirement: 25lbs/11kgs

#### Description:

Laundry or maybe boxes of supplies for hotel rooms (soap, shampoo, toilet paper).

*Standing for entire shift Handling cleaning chemicals Working outdoors Working under direct sunlight* 

### Job Training required: Yes

*Length of job training: 24 hours* 

Hours per week during training period: 24

Different wage during training period: No

Start on specific day of the week: No

### Training requirements:

We provide on the job training. While we are slower in the beginning of the season our management staff will help to train you for your job.

#### Need to wear uniform: Yes

#### Uniform Policy:

*Your uniform will consist of modest length (no more than 6 cm above the knee) khaki shorts, pants or skirt, sneakers (no florescent colors or patterns please) and a Breezeway Resort shirt. Breezeway Resort shirts are to be purchased at cost. You must provide your own khaki colored pants, shorts or skirt and sneakers. Your hair must be a natural color and long hair must be tied up or tied back.* 

Cost of uniform: \$50

Uniform laundry: Participant responsibility

Dress Code: Yes

Description: \*Khaki Shorts Khaki Pants Khaki Skirt sneakers

## **CULTURAL OPPORTUNITIES**

## Types of Cultural Opportunities:

Will provide information about Events, Local Resources, Attractions/Sites, Local Community

### Additional Details about Cultural Offerings:

Westerly Town Beach, Misquamicut State Beach, Westerly downtown historic distric, Watch Hill Lighthouse, Mystic Seaport, Pequot Museum.

## Local Cultural Offering:

http://www.misquamicut.org/

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# HOUSING AND TRANSPORTATION

Housing Provided: Yes. Employer Guarantees employer - owned or employer - arranged housing to all hired participants. Required to stay.

## Employer-owned or employer-arranged housing description:

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### Lease Agreement: Yes

## Onsite Amenities:

WiFi: Yes
Description:
Basic Wifi.
Phone Service: Yes
Description:
We have phones at our offices participants can use in an emergency until they get cell phone service.
Kitchen facilities: Yes
Description:
There are full kitchens in all apartments.
Laundry facilities: Yes
Description:
There are washer & dryers for use at the Breezeway Resort.

## Occupancy Requirements for Provided Housing:

Minimum Occupancy Per Room: 1

Maximum Occupancy Per Room: 4

Suggested Occupancy Per Room: 1 - 4

Rooming Arrangement Description:

Only participants with our organization can stay in our housing. You are required to stay in our housing. At times our housing is co-ed.

### Provided Housing Cost:

*Required to Pay for Provided Housing: Yes Cost per Week: \$225* 

Housing Cost Deducted from Paychecks: Yes

Utilities Costs: No

*Housing Deposit: Yes Cost: \$225 Description: Housing deposit can be made upon arrival or deducted from the first payroll.* 

Housing Deposit Refundable: No

### Transportation to Worksite:

*Walking Commute Time Estimated commute time: Under 15 minutes* 

Description: Across the street.

## **ARRIVAL INFORMATION**

#### Arrival Instructions:

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Best Contact: Melissa Bellone, melissa@breezewayresort.com 401.348.8953 phone

### Suggested Arrival Airport:

JFK Airport, JFK, Over 50 miles

Estimated cost of transportation to worksite from suggested airports: \$100 to \$150

#### If arriving after regular hours:

### Suggested After-Hours Accommodation:

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70 Winnapaug Road Westerly , Rhode Island 02891 www.breezewayresort.com 401-348-8953 \$0 to \$25

## **TRAINING AND ONBOARDING**

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Nearest SSA Office: New London , Connecticut , Less than 50 miles

### Other:

Wage Payment Schedule:

Participants are paid bi-weekly on a Wednesday.

Meal Plan: Not available

Provide Certificates/Performance Evaluations: No

Hire in Groups: Yes

Maximum Group Size:

Grooming Requirements:

No facial hair, visible tattoos or facial piercings.

Second Job Availability: Yes, likely

Applicable Company Policies:

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