

# Gulf Swimming UHF Radio Policy

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**The Gulf has purchased UHF radios primarily for use by Gulf officials officiating Gulf sanctioned swim meets. These Gulf radios are to be used at all Gulf LSC Sanctioned swim meets.**

1. A radio will be deployed to officials certified as Referee or Deck Referee to be used in officiating Gulf swim meets. These radios remain the property of Gulf Swimming. **If a Referee or Deck Referee becomes inactive or leaves the Gulf LSC the radio shall be returned to the Gulf Equipment Coordinator.** The official is responsible for maintaining the radio. In the event the radio is damaged, it is the responsibility of the official to repair it or replace it at their cost. This includes accessories such as charger or headset. If the radio is under warranty and damage is covered by warranty the GEC will assist in the repair.
2. Each Gulf Equipment Trailer will contain a set of 6 radios with a 6 radio charger unit and carrying bag.
3. (3) – sets of 6 radios with a 6 radio charger unit and carrying bag have been purchased that will be available for use by teams hosting Gulf sanctioned meets that do not rent a Gulf Equipment Trailer. These are available at no charge to the team. The team will be responsible for contacting the GEC for reserving the radios using the Gulf Equipment Rental Policy. The GEC will provide the host team contact information to access the radios. The host team who has checked out the radios will be responsible for all expenses related to the radios in regards to missing or damaged radios, headsets, chargers, etc. Normal wear and tear excluded. The equipment coordinator will handle order and replacement of radios, etc and the responsible team will reimburse the Gulf for these costs.
4. The host teams will be responsible for providing a minimum of 6 UHF radios and headsets for all Gulf sanctioned meets. These radios are to be compatible with the Gulf UHF radio frequencies for use by the swim officials when officiating the meet.
5. Teams interested in purchasing UHF radios compatible with the Gulf may contact the GEC, Eddie Adams, [gulfequipmentcoordinator@gmail.com](mailto:gulfequipmentcoordinator@gmail.com) for information on how to order. Provided below is a source for ordering the radios with recommended model. Note that the radio frequency set on the radios must be compatible with the Gulf radios so be sure to communicate this when ordering.

[www.TwoWayDirect.com](http://www.TwoWayDirect.com)

Bantam-UHF 400-470 MHz, 16 Channels, 4-Watts / 2-Watts, 1500 mAh Lithium Ion Battery, Rapid Rate Charger, Antenna and 2-Year Factory Warranty.

Note: A (6) unit charger may be available that is nice for charging and inventory control.