**2019 Kitsap Branch – Easy/Moderate Hike Leader Qualifications Checklist**

1. Complete Mountaineers Leader Webinar
2. Complete Mountaineers Outdoor Leadership Seminar
3. Complete Mountaineers First Aid Course or First Aid Equivalent (Red Cross, Community)
4. Complete Mountaineers Navigation Course or Demonstrate map and compass skills on an official outing with a Hike Leader
5. Complete Activity Leader Application (Welcome to the Hiking/Backpacking Committee!)
6. Complete Mentored Hike #1 which includes observing and assisting a Hike Leader (Mentor) on a listed trip
7. Completed Mentored Hike #2 which includes leading a hike from the trailhead that a Hike Leader (Mentor) listed
8. Completed Peer Review with Branch Leadership/Hike Committee who will then approve assignment of a “Hike Leader Badge”
9. Time for the Trails:   
   Review “Leader Resources” on [www.mountaineers.org](http://www.mountaineers.org)

List a trip online, coordinate with participants, be safe and have fun on your trip, and Complete a trip report which may include flora/fauna, special weather conditions, confidential notes on a participant (good or bad), and whether or not the trip was successfully completed….

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