

## **CASEWORKER**

Social Services has opportunities available for full-time, provisional\* **Caseworkers**.

*\* All provisional appointees are subject to passing a competitive examination and must be reachable on any list established as a result of such an examination.*

**SALARY:** \$52,608

### **MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:**

- (A) Graduation from a regionally accredited or New York State registered four year college or university with a Bachelor's Degree in Criminal Justice, Social Work, Psychology, Counseling, Human Services, Sociology, Behavioral Health or Education; OR
- (B) Graduation from a regionally accredited or New York State registered four year college or university with a Bachelor's Degree in any field and one year of social casework experience in a social agency adhering to casework principles and practices.

**NOTE 1:** Social casework includes job experience in:

1. Assessing family and individual needs for specific social services and providing direct services, which include case management and coordination of services in the home;
2. Case planning and the continual reassessment of family or individual needs by setting goals and objectives;
3. Responsibility for documentation of case file information.

**Social Casework experience does not include experience gained as:**

1. An income maintenance, medical assistance, or food stamp examiner;
2. Experience which is custodial in nature and/or which involves providing direct personal care to clients such as nursing, nurses' aides, home health aides or similar experience.

**NOTE 2:** In compliance with Section 424-a of the Social Service Law, those candidates who successfully pass the exam and who are being considered for employment will be required to sign a release form for clearance determination by the New York State Child Abuse/Neglect Central register.

### **Special Requirements:**

Candidates must possess a valid driver's license issued by the New York State Department of Motor Vehicles at the time of appointment, and must maintain such license throughout employment.

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