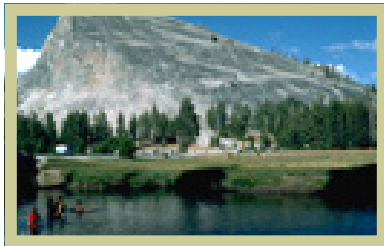


How to Apply

Applicants with internet access are encouraged to apply on line. Log onto <http://www.mss.ca.gov> and apply as instructed. Applicants who do not have internet access must complete and submit a separate MSS application form (IMS-9).

Applicants may also apply in person on March 13, 2007 at the Fresno State Career Expo at the Save Mart Center, 2650 E. Shaw Avenue, Fresno, CA 93710. Applications will be provided.



Merit System Services, a division of CPS Human Resource Services, is under contract with the California State Personnel Board to provide comprehensive personnel related services to California county social services departments.



Merit Systems Services invites applications for

SOCIAL WORKER IV



Mariposa County Human Services

Monthly Salary: \$3,338.23-4,057.73*

*Plus a monthly stipend of \$700 for LCSW and \$600 for MSW.



**Madera County
Department of Social Services**
Monthly Salary: \$3,810.11-\$4,631.21

**Applications due by:
March 13, 2007 5:00 pm**

The Position

Under general direction, the Social Worker IV performs casework of an advanced nature dealing with complex individual and family problems; undertakes intensive treatment plans and counseling requiring professional knowledge and training; performs other related work as assigned.

Additional Information

License: A valid driver's license may be required at the time of appointment. Individuals who do not meet this requirement due to a disability will be reviewed on a case-by-case basis.

Foreign Education

Applicants who completed their education outside of the United States must submit verification of degree equivalency along with their application. You may contact Education Records Evaluation Service, Inc. (916) 921-0790 or visit their website at www.eres.com for information on equivalency. Additional organizations that provide foreign education credential evaluation services can be found at www.naces.org. MSS will accept verification of degree equivalency from any of the listed member agencies.

Minimum Qualifications

While the following requirements outline the minimum qualifications, the department reserves the right to select applicants for further consideration who demonstrate the best qualifications match for the job. Meeting the minimum qualifications does not guarantee an invitation to the oral exam.

EITHER

A Master's degree in Social Work;

OR

A Master's degree from a two (2) year counseling program

[Qualifying master's degrees from a two - year counseling program are those that included an internship or supervised fieldwork and completion of approximately 45 semester or 67 quarter units of graduate level courses with emphasis in vocational rehabilitation, family or marriage counseling, gerontology, or a closely related field. Completion of all of the requirements for a Marriage and Family Therapy (MFT) license program may be substituted upon submission of verifying proof.]

NOTE: Applicants who anticipate completing the requirements for one of the Master's degrees described above within six months of the final filing date may apply.

Oral Examination

Oral examinations will be held on:

March 13, 2007
12:30 pm—6:00 pm

Fresno County Career Expo
Save Mart Center
2650 E. Shaw Avenue
Fresno, CA 93710

For applications that are submitted online interviews will be scheduled for the week of March 19, 2007. Location to be determined.

