

HUMAN SERVICE OCCUPATIONS

Adult Education Teachers	Lifeguards
Agricultural Personnel Contractors	Mathematics and Science Teachers
Alcohol and Drug Treatment Counselors	Mediators
Amusement & Recreation Attendants	Medical Social Workers
Athletic Instructors	Mental Health Counselors
Bilingual School Teachers	Nannies
Business Education Teachers	Paralegals/Legal Assistants
Career Counselors	Parole and Probation Officers
Casino Dealers	Preschool Teachers
Child Care Workers	Psychiatric Social Workers
Clergy	Psychologists
Community Organization Workers	Records Managers
Computer Software Training Specialists	Recreation Program Directors
Court Clerks	Recreation Leaders
Driving Instructors	Rehabilitation Counselors
Education Program Specialists	School Counselors
Elementary School Teachers	School Psychologists
Employee Development Specialists	Secondary School Teachers
Employment Interviewers	Ski-Lift Operators
Farm Labor Contractors	Snow Ski Instructors
Genetic Counselors	Social Directors
Hearing Officers	Social Workers
Home Economists	Social Service Aides
Houseparents	Special Education Teachers
Judges	Tour Guides
Law Clerks	Trainers
Lawyers	University and College Teachers
Lecturers	Ushers
Liberal Arts Teachers	Vocational Education Teachers
Librarians	Workforce Development Specialists

Child, Family, and School Social Workers in Stanislaus County

May also be called: Adoption Specialists; Case Managers; Caseworkers; Child Protective Services Specialists; Child Welfare Workers; Family Preservation Caseworkers; Family Service Caseworkers; Foster Care Social Workers; Geriatric Social Workers; Licensed Clinical Social Workers; and Occupational Social Workers.

What Would I Do?

Child, Family, and School Social Workers provide services and assistance to improve the social and psychological functioning of children and their families. Their job is to maximize the well-being of families and the academic functioning of children. They may assist single parents, arrange adoptions, or help find foster homes for neglected, abandoned, or abused children. Most Social Workers work 40 hours per week; however, some occasionally work evenings and weekends to meet with clients, attend community meetings, and handle emergencies. Some, particularly in nonprofit agencies, work part time.

Estimated Average Annual Job Openings Child, Family, and School Social Workers			
Geographic Area (Estimated Year-Projected Year)	Jobs From Growth	Jobs Due to Net Replacements	Total Annual Job Openings
California (2006-2016)	400	460	860
Stanislaus County (2004-2014)	1	10	11
Source: EDD/LMID Projections of Employment by Occupation			

Annual Wages for 2008	Low (25th percentile)	Median (50th percentile)	High (75th percentile)
California	\$38,168	\$48,915	\$64,851
Stanislaus County	\$36,343	\$41,962	\$47,336
Hourly Wages for 2008	Low (25th percentile)	Median (50th percentile)	High (75th percentile)
California	\$18.36	\$23.51	\$31.18
Stanislaus County	\$17.47	\$20.17	\$22.76
Source: EDD/LMID Occupational Employment Statistics Survey, 2008			

Finding a Job

Direct application to employers remains one of the most effective job search methods. Newspaper classified ads and Internet job listings also provide helpful local job leads. Those interested in civil service jobs should contact State, county, and city personnel offices or visit their Web sites. One may also apply at private agencies, colleges, placement bureaus, and professional associations or learn about job openings through ads in professional journals. Online job opening systems include JobCentral at www.jobcentral.com and CalJOBS at www.caljobs.ca.gov.

Sources: <http://labormarketinfo.edd.ca.gov/ocguides>
<http://www.eureka.org>