

THE SURRY COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES  
DOBSON, NORTH CAROLINA 27017

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**RECRUITMENT ANNOUNCEMENT**

**POSITION: SOCIAL WORKER III (CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES)**

**JOB DESCRIPTION:** This position's primary responsibilities are in the area of children's protective services. Duties include receiving, assessing and/or investigating reports of abuse, neglect, or dependency; thorough assessments of family dynamics and needs; service planning and case management; crisis intervention; ongoing treatment primarily of a supportive and behavioral nature; and use of considerable judgement in making recommendations for agency actions and in carrying out agency decisions regarding suitable care for children in and out of their homes. Duties also include rotation/on call nights and weekends to assure that reports of abuse/neglect are assessed as mandated by North Carolina law and other duties and types of cases as may be needed or necessary.

Majority of work in field. Valid NC Driver's License and vehicle in good operating condition required. Must be able to transport clients in personal vehicle.

**EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE:** Master's Degree from an accredited school of social work; or a bachelor's degree from an accredited school of social work through the Child Welfare Collaborative; or a bachelor's degree from an accredited school of social work and one year of directly related experience; or a four year degree in a human services field plus two years directly related experience; or a four year college or university degree plus three years of directly related experience. Directly related experience is defined as human services experience in the areas of case management, assessment and referral, supportive counseling, intervention, psycho-social therapy and treatment planning.

**THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE FOR A BACCALAUREATE DEGREE**

**MUST SUBMIT COLLEGE TRANSCRIPT WITH APPLICATION**

(Application for Social Worker II, Social Worker I, and Social Worker Trainee will be accepted for consideration for a possible "Work Against" appointment if recruitment for qualified Social Worker III is unsuccessful.)

<b><u>HIRING RATE:</u></b>	Social Worker III	\$35,532
	Social Worker II	\$32,616
	Social Worker I	\$27,600
	Social Worker Trainee	\$25,500

**POSITION AVAILABLE:** March 1, 2012

**APPLICATION DEADLINE:** Thursday, February, 23, 2012

**APPLICATION PROCESS:** Submit a completed County of Surry Application for Employment  
In-House - To Wayne Black  
Outside - To Employment Security Commission

**SURRY COUNTY IS AN EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER AND DOES NOT DISCRIMINATE BECAUSE OF AGE, SEX, RACE, COLOR, CREED, RELIGION, NATIONAL ORIGIN, OR DISABLING CONDITION.**

**SURRY COUNTY IS A DRUG FREE WORK PLACE**

**ALL PROSPECTIVE EMPLOYEES MUST SUCCESSFULLY PASS DRUG SCREENING AND CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECKS AS A CONDITION OF EMPLOYMENT**