Professional Licensure by State Information Sheet
University of Vermont College of Education and Social Services – Social Work Department

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Department: Social Work

Department Website: https://www.uvm.edu/cess/socialwork

Licensure Programs: Bachelor of Social Work (BSW) and Master of Social Work (MSW)

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Please note: The table below presents general information for each state. Social work licensure statements vary considerably between states and state requirements are updated periodically. Please refer to the state websites for more information.

UVM Program Completion Requirements *Meet/Do Not Meet* Requirements by US State and Territory

State	Link to State Licensure Site	Meets/	Comments
		Does Not	(requirements for different levels of
		Meet	licensure vary significantly by state)
AK	https://www.commerce.alaska.gov/web/cbpl/Pro	Meets	LCSW, LMSW, LBSW
	fessionalLicensing/SocialWorkExaminers.aspx	ivieets	LC3VV, LIVISVV, LB3VV
AL	https://www.socialwork.alabama.gov/	Meets	LICSW, LMSW, LBSW
AR	http://www.arkansas.gov/swlb/	Meets	LCSW, LMSW, LSW
AZ	https://www.azbbhe.us/node/828	Meets	LCSW, LMSW, LBSW
CA		Does Not	
		Meet	LCSW, ACSW
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	https://www.bbs.ca.gov/applicants/lcsw.html	LCSW)	
СО	https://dpo.colorado.gov/SocialWork/Applications	Meets	LCSW, LSW
CT	https://portal.ct.gov/DPH/Practitioner-Licensing		
	Investigations/Socialworker/Social-Work-	Meets	LCSW, MLSW
	<u>Licensure</u>		
DC	https://dchealth.dc.gov/node/173812	Meets	LICSW, LISW, LGSW, LSWA
DE	https://dpr.delaware.gov/boards/socialworkers/	Meets	LCSW, LMSW, LBSW
FL	http://floridasmentalhealthprofessions.gov/licensi	Meets	LCSW, RCSW-I, CMSW
	ng/licensed-clinical-social-worker/		10011, 110011 1, 0111011
GA	https://sos.ga.gov/board-professional-counselors-	Meets	LCSW, LMSW
	social-workers-and-marriage-family-therapists		
HI	http://cca.hawaii.gov/pvl/programs/socialworker	Meets	LCSW,LSW, LBSW
IA	https://dial.iowa.gov/licenses/other-professional-	Meets	LISW, LMSW, LBSW
	licensure/social-work-licensure		
ID	https://dopl.idaho.gov/swo/	Meets	LCSW, LMSW, LSW
IL	http://www.idfpr.com/profs/SocialWorker.asp	Meets	LCSW1, LCSW2, LSW1, LSW2
IN	https://www.in.gov/pla/professions/behavioral-	Meets	16574 1634 1854
	health-and-human-services/behavioral-health-		LCSW, LSW, LBSW
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KS	http://ksbsrb.ks.gov/professions/social-workers	Meets	LSCSW, LMSW, LBSW
KY	http://bsw.ky.gov/	Meets	LSCW, CSW, LSW1, LSW2
LA	http://www.labswe.org/	Meets	LCSW, LMSW, CSW, RSW
MA	https://www.mass.gov/orgs/board-of-	Meets	LICSW, LCSW, LSW1, LSW2, LSW3, LSW4,
145	registration-of-social-workers		LSW6, LSWA1, LSWA2, LSWA3
MD	https://health.maryland.gov/bswe/Pages/default.	Meets	LCSW-C, LCSW, LMSW, LBSW
	aspx		
ME	https://www.maine.gov/pfr/professionallicensing	Meets	LCSW1, LCSW2, LMSW-CC, LMSW, LSW1,
	<u>/professions/state-board-social-worker-licensure</u>		LSW2-C

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	Meets	LMSW-C, LMSW-M, LLMSW, LBSW,
		LBSW, SST1, SST2, SST3, LSST
	Meets	LICSW, LISW, LGSW, LSW
	Meets	LCSW, LAMSW, LMSW, LBSW
	Meets	LCSW,LMSW, LSW
<u>http://boards.bsd.dli.mt.gov/bbh</u>	Meets	LCSW, LCSWC, LMSW, LMSWC, LBSW
https://ncswboard.gov/certification/	Meets	LCSW, LCSWA, CSWM, CMSW, CSW
http://www.ndbswe.com/	Meets	LCSW, LMSW, LBSW
http://dhhs.ne.gov/licensure/Pages/Mental-	Meets	LIMHP, LMHP, PMHP, CMSW, PCMSW,
<u>Health-and-Social-Work-Practice.aspx</u>		CSW
https://www.oplc.nh.gov/board-mental-health-		LICSW, CSWC, LSW, LSWC, LSWA1,
<u>practice</u>		LSWA2, LSWAC
http://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/sw/Pages/def	Moots	LCCW LCW CCW1 CCW2
<u>ault.aspx</u>	ivieets	LCSW, LSW, CSW1, CSW2
http://www.rld.state.nm.us/boards/Social Work.	Meets	LCSW, LISW, LMSW, LBSW
<u>aspx</u>		LC3VV, LI3VV, LIVI3VV, LB3VV
https://socwork.nv.gov/		CSW, ISW, LMSW, SW
https://www.op.nysed.gov/professions-	Meets	LCSW TWSW
<u>index/social-work</u>		LCSW, LMSW
https://cswmft.ohio.gov/get-licensed/social-	Meets	LICIM LCIM DCIMA
<u>workers</u>		LISW, LSW, RSWA
https://oklahoma.gov/socialworkers/contact-	Meets	LCSW, LSW-ADM, LSW, LMSW, LSWA
<u>osblsw.html</u>		LCSW, LSW-ADIVI, LSW, LIVISW, LSWA
	Meets	LCSW, CSWA, LMSW, RBSW
https://www.dos.pa.gov/ProfessionalLicensing/Bo	Meets	
		LCSW, LSW, LBSW
		LCSVV, LSVV, LBSVV
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http://health.ri.gov/licenses/detail.php?id=245	Meets	LICSW, LCSW
https://llr.sc.gov/sw/pub.aspx	Meets	LISW-CP, LISW-AP, LMSW, LBSW
https://dss.sd.gov/licensingboards/socialwork/soc	Meets	CSW-PIP, CSW, LSW, SWA
<u>ial.aspx</u>		C3W 1 II , C3W, E3W, 3WA
https://www.tn.gov/health/health-program-	Meets	LCSW, LAPSW, LMSW, LBSW
<u>areas/health-professional-boards/sw-board.html</u>		LC3VV, LAI 3VV, LIVI3VV, LD3VV
https://www.bhec.texas.gov/texas-state-board-	Meets	LCSW, LMSW-AP, LMSW, LBSW
of-social-worker-examiners/index.html		LC3VV, LIVISVV-AF, LIVISVV, LD3VV
https://dopl.utah.gov/social-work/	Meets	LCSW, CSW, SSW1, SSW2
http://www.dhp.virginia.gov/social/	Meets	LCSW, LMSW, LBSW, ASW
https://sos.vermont.gov/social-workers/	Meets	LICSW, LMSW
http://www.doh.wa.gov/LicensesPermitsandCertif	Meets	
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https://dsps.wi.gov/Pages/Professions/SocialWor	(for	LCSW, CISW, APSW, CSW, SWTC
ker/Default.aspx	LCSW)	
http://www.wvsocialworkboard.org/	Meets	LICSW, LCSW, LGSW, LSW, LSW-P
	http://www.michiqan.qov/lara/0,1607,7-154-27417 27529 27554,00.html https://mn.qov/boards/social-work/ http://boards.bsd.dli.mt.gov/bbh https://msww.swmft.ms.gov/ http://boards.bsd.dli.mt.gov/bbh https://cswboard.gov/certification/ http://www.ndbswe.com/ http://dhhs.ne.gov/licensure/Pages/Mental-Health-and-Social-Work-Practice.aspx http://www.njconsumeraffairs.gov/sw/Pages/default.aspx http://www.rld.state.nm.us/boards/Social Work.aspx http://www.rld.state.nm.us/boards/Social Work.aspx http://www.onjconsumeraffairs.gov/sw/Pages/default.aspx http://www.onjconsumeraffairs.gov/sw/Pages/default.aspx http://www.onjconsumeraffairs.gov/sw/Pages/default.aspx https://socwork.nv.gov/ https://socwork.nv.gov/ https://socwork.nv.gov/ https://cswmft.ohio.gov/get-licensed/social-workers https://oklahoma.gov/socialworkers/contact-osblsw.html https://www.dos.pa.gov/ProfessionalLicensing/BoardsCommissions/SocialWorkersMarriageanFamilyTherapistsandProfessionalCounselors/Pages/default.aspx https://lir.sc.gov/sw/pub.aspx https://lss.sd.gov/licensingboards/socialwork/social.aspx https://dss.sd.gov/licensingboards/socialwork/social.aspx https://www.tn.gov/health/health-program-areas/health-professional-boards/sw-board.html https://www.doh.wa.gov/licensesPermitsandCertificates/ProfessionsNewReneworUpdate/SocialWorker/Default.aspx https://dsps.wi.gov/Pages/Professions/SocialWorker/Default.aspx	http://www.michiqan.qov/lara/0,1607,7-154- 27417 27529 27554,00.html https://mn.qov/boards/social-work/ https://pr.mo.gov/socialworkers.asp https://boards.bsd.dli.mt.qov/bbh https://ncswboard.gov/certification/ http://dhs.ne.qov/licensure/Paqes/Mental- Health-and-Social-Work-Practice.aspx https://www.niconsumeraffairs.qov/sw/Paqes/def ault.aspx http://www.niconsumeraffairs.gov/sw/Paqes/def ault.aspx https://socwork.nv.qov/ https://www.op.nysed.qov/professions- index/social-work https://socwork.nv.qov/ https://www.dos.pa.qov/ProfessionalLicensing/Bo ardsCommissions/SocialWorkersMarriageanFamil yTherapistsandProfessionalCounselors/Paqes/def ault.aspx https://health.ri.qov/licenses/detail.php?id=245 https://health.ri.qov/licenses/detail.php?id=245 https://sos.wd.qov/licensingboards/socialwork/soc ial.aspx https://www.tn.qov/health/health-program- greas/health-professional-boards/sw-board.html https://www.tn.qov/health/health-program- greas/health-professional-boards/sw-board.html https://www.tn.qov/health/health-program- greas/health-professional-boards/sw-board.html https://www.tn.qov/health/health-program- greas/health-professional-boards/sw-board.html https://www.dhp.virginia.gov/social-work/ http://www.dhp.virginia.gov/social-works/ http://daps.wi.gov/Paqes/Pr

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WY	https://mentalhealth.wyo.gov/professionals- 1/forms	Meets	LCSW, PCSW, CSW
GUA	https://guamhplo.org/boards-	Meets	LCSW, LMSW, LBSW
М	commissions/hplo/guam-board-social-work		ECSVV, LIVISVV, LBSVV
PR	https://www.statedepartment.pr.gov/juntas-	Meets	
	examinadoras/social-work-professionals		
USVI	https://dlca.vi.gov/boardcertifications/steps/swre	Meets	CISW, CSW, SW1, SW2, SWA
	quirements/		C1344, C344, 3441, 3442, 344A