

Job Title	Hospice Social Worker
Employer/ Agency	Houston Hospice
Job Description	<p>The ideal candidate would be responsible for performing detailed psychosocial assessments and social work support services to patients and families.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assess patient's/family's psychosocial status and needs • Provide individual and family counseling to patient/family • Assist hospice care team members to understand significant psychosocial and emotional factors related to care • Participate in the development and revision of a plan of care, including clinical and progress notes • Provide social services including short-term individual counseling, crisis intervention, assistance in providing information and preparation of advance directives, funeral planning, issues involving transfer of fiscal, legal and health care responsibility • Assist family in assessing financial resources when appropriate. • Identify patient/family needs when discharged or when level of care changes.
Qualifications	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Social Work degree from school of social work accredited or approved by the Council on Social Work Education; Master's degree preferred. • Licensed by the State of Texas to practice Social Work. • Minimum one-year experience in health care field preferred. • Excellent communication skills, both oral and written. • Excellent organizational skills to handle a variety of tasks simultaneously. • Ability to accommodate multi-faith beliefs and cultural backgrounds of patients/families. • Ability to function as part of interdisciplinary team.
Salary/Hours	<p>Salary will vary depending on degree/experience level</p> <p>1 full-time field position available</p>
Employer/Agency	Houston Hospice
Address	1905 Holcombe Blvd.
City, State, Zip	Houston, Tx. 77030
Contact Person	Human Resources
Fax Number	713-677-7273
Email Address	HR@houstonhospice.org
Application Method	Qualified candidates who are interested in our open position are invited to either email or fax a current resume to the Human Resources office.

Opening Date	Immediately
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