

Job Title	Family Violence Social Worker/Caseworker
Employer/ Agency	Harris County District Attorney's Office
Job Description	<p>FCLD Caseworkers and Social Workers provide crisis-counseling, assessment, support, and advocacy services to complainants who are involved in family violence.</p> <p>Duties include assessing strengths, needs, risks, and resources available; formulating safety plans; and increasing awareness about domestic violence and family issues. Caseworkers assist complainants with initiating protective order applications; linking them with police agencies to file criminal charges; linking them with community resources; making Children's and Adult Protective Services reports; reporting to court prosecutors; and providing court accompaniment and advocacy services as needed.</p> <p>Occasionally testify as expert witnesses regarding domestic violence issues, including common traits of survivors and offenders, the impact of mental illness and substance abuse on domestic violence, and risk assessment.</p>
Qualifications	<p>Prefer LMSW</p> <p>Will consider: LBSW (or related field) and Two Years Social Service Experience</p>
Salary/Hours	<p>Competitive Salary, Benefits Package, Continuing Education</p> <p>Full-Time: 10AM – 7PM Weekdays</p>
Employer/Agency	Harris County District Attorney's Office
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Opening Date	Immediately

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