

CHILD WELFARE EMPLOYEE MASTERS IN SOCIAL WORK SCHOLARS TUITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

Do you work in Child Welfare Services and want to advance your skills as a child welfare professional?

The South Carolina Department of Social Services (SCDSS) is looking to promote a well-educated, trained workforce to work with children and families served by the state's child welfare system.

DSS is accepting applications from current DSS child welfare professionals to be admitted to our program, which provides full financial assistance for tuition and fees, and \$350.00 allowance per semester (for books and course materials) to selected DSS employees seeking a Master's in Social Work at the University of South Carolina, or Winthrop University who will commit to continue working with the children and families served by SCDSS for a minimum of two years after graduation.

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WHAT?

- The purpose of the Child Welfare Employee MSW Tuition Assistance Program is to allow employees to enhance their education in order to build a stronger workforce in support of the DSS mission.
- Commit to remaining employed with DSS for 2 years following graduation.
- Receive full financial assistance for tuition and fees, and reimbursement for required books and course material expenses.

WHY?

- To grow professionally and personally through building advanced skills in social work and a career in child welfare.

WHO?

- CWS Team Leaders and Team Coordinators
- CWS Case Managers
- Other CWS staff

WHEN?

- All DSS employees who are interested in applying or accepted into an MSW program at the University of South Carolina or Winthrop University by July 31.
- Includes DSS employees part way through an MSW program at the University of South Carolina or Winthrop University
- Email Michael.Robbins@dss.sc.gov for more information.

HOW?

- Apply [HERE!](#)
- Have your supervisor provide a reference [HERE](#).

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