

Social Worker

The Lake County Council on Aging is seeking an energetic individual for an exciting position as a Social Worker with skills to execute the following:

- Provide a spectrum of social work services for older adult clients, their families and caregivers, which include conducting initial assessments, developing, implementing, evaluating and revising comprehensive care plans, referring clients to appropriate service providers, conducting follow-up as needed and coordinating and maximizing services received.
- Conduct initial and periodic follow-up evaluations and assessments of older adults' physical, mental and emotional well-being via home visits, personal interviews.
- Develop a comprehensive care plan; balancing recommendations for services and providers needed to safeguard or enhance the well-being and independence of older adult clients with respect for the clients' right of self-determination.
- Evaluating and modifying plans as needed.
- Refer clients to appropriate service providers; monitoring and coordinating provision of services to ensure maximum benefit to the client; follow-up as needed.
- Notify and involve appropriate entities or individuals as may be legally or ethically necessary to ensure the clients' well-being.
- Meet and confer with family members or significant others as requested.

Experience: Minimum of three years social work experience. Experience working with geriatric clients for 2 years is preferred.

Education: Bachelor's degree in Social Work; Master's degree in Social Work or a closely-related field is highly preferred.

Current Ohio LSW or LISW required.

Job Type: Full-time

Please forward resumes to: HumanResources@lccoa.org