



SOCIAL WORK CERTIFICATION AND MENTAL HEALTH LICENSURE IN NEBRASKA

Anyone seeking professional certification or licensure is encouraged to review requirements applicable for the state in which they intend to practice. In most states, requirements include graduating from an accredited program, passing an examination, and successfully completing a supervised practice experience.

Anyone may provide "social work" activities/services. Social work activities do not require certification or licensure. However, you must be certified in Nebraska in order to represent yourself as a Social Worker in Nebraska. Social work is the professional application of social work values, knowledge, principles, and methods in all areas of social work practice. CSWs cannot practice privately, independently, or autonomously and cannot provide mental health services. (Source: dhhs.ne.gov)

