

**Social Worker, Cougar Connections Center of Social Work
Kean University**

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Job Title	Social Worker, Cougar Connections Center of Social Work
Department	
Institution	Kean University Union, New Jersey
Date Posted	Jan. 17, 2025
Application Deadline	Open until filled
Position Start Date	Available immediately
Job Categories	Professional Staff
Academic Field(s)	Counseling Services
Job Website	https://kean.wd1.myworkdayjobs.com/en-US/Kean/details/Social-Worker--Cougar-Connections-Center-of-Social-Work_R3296-1

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Job Description

External Applicant Instructions

- Please upload your resume/CV for automatic population of information to your Kean application.
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Your contact information, work experience and education will be automatically filled in. Please review all fields – you will need to verify that the data is accurate.

- **In the “My Experience” section, you will find a resume/CV upload option where you can submit your cover letter and any other supporting documents you may wish to submit.**

Cougar Connections Center of Social Work

Social Worker

Reporting to the Associate Director of Social Work, the Social Worker (Professional Services Specialist 3) for Cougar Connections Center of Social Work will support the mission and vision of the department and university by assisting at-risk traditional and nontraditional students with issues that impact their well-being and academic success through comprehensive assessments and case management support. They will be responsible for a caseload of students as assigned, provide support to the Lead Social Workers and be part of a team assisting Kean University students in obtaining resources that will improve their daily life and student experience. The Social Worker will connect students with campus and community resources that assist with solving social, economic, emotional and behavioral challenges. They will help students cope with problems and solve issues related to food insecurity, housing issues, financial well-being, and personal or family crises. The Social Worker will run workshops; assist with campus events that promote social emotional wellness; perform responsibilities for KUBIT, the Kean University Behavioral Intervention Team; and perform related work as required.

This position requires some travel and a flexible schedule including evening and weekend hours. This is not a remote position and requires physical presence on campus as determined by the Associate Director. It requires working on campus and interacting directly with students, faculty, staff and key stakeholders on and off campus.

Qualifications: MSW degree and two years of professional experience working with at-risk populations, mentoring and/or community stakeholders is required. LSW or LCSW in the State of New Jersey is preferred. Bilingual in Spanish is preferred. Candidate must be student centered and have the ability to work with a diverse campus population. Excellent administrative and organizational skills; excellent data-gathering, analysis and reporting skills; and excellent oral and written communication skills are essential.

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Candidacy review begins immediately and continues until appointment is made. **Please submit your cover letter, resume/CV and contact information for three professional references.** Official transcripts are required prior to the starting date of employment.

Attention current Kean University employees (including part-time Student Assistants, Graduate Assistants, Academic Specialists and Adjuncts): Please apply via the internal career site to ensure consideration as an internal candidate. To apply internally, please log into your Workday account and select the Career icon on your homepage to view available positions.

Additional Information

Kean University complies with the [New Jersey First Act](#) (Senate Bill No. 1730, P.L. 2011, Chapter 70). Any individual newly hired by Kean University will be required to abide by this law and establish a principal residence in New Jersey. New employees will have a full 365 days to establish such residence, from the effective date of hire.

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), if you have a disability and would like to request an accommodation in order to apply for a position, please refer to Section III.A. of our [Reasonable Accommodations Policy & Procedures](#).

Diversity & Non-Discrimination Statement

Kean University is committed to establishing and maintaining a diverse campus community through inclusive excellence and equal opportunity. Kean's commitment to access and equity is designed to prepare each graduate to not only thrive, but climb higher in a diverse world. As an affirmative action, equal opportunity institution we work to support a campus-wide agenda to foster a community that both values and promotes the diversity and equity of all students, faculty, staff, administrators, and beyond.

EEO/AA Statement

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Contact Information

Please reference Academickeys in your cover letter when applying for or inquiring about this job announcement.

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