

# Jefferson County **CASEWORKER (HELP PROGRAM)**



Jefferson County Department of Social Services is seeking caseworkers to provide social work services for individuals, families, & children, to assist with resolving economic, medical, emotional, social, and environmental challenges.

## **Salary Ranges:**

**Caseworker** - \$31.48 - \$39.82

**Caseworker (Child Protective Services)** - \$32.85 - \$41.56/hr.

**\*\* Plus a \$3,500  
Retention  
Bonus!**

## **Excellent fringe benefits include:**

- NYS Retirement
- Deferred Compensation
- Sick Leave
- Paid Vacation
- Tuition Reimbursement
- Comprehensive Health Plan, Including Vision
- Dental Insurance
- Flex Spending Account
- Candidates may be eligible for the Public Service Loan Forgiveness program

## **MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: Either:**

A) Graduation from a regionally accredited or New York State registered four-year college or university with a bachelor's degree; or

B) Graduation from a regionally accredited or New York State registered college with or university with an associate's degree and two years of Human Service's experience.

**SPECIAL REQUIREMENT:** Appointees will be required to possess a valid license to operate a motor vehicle in New York State or otherwise demonstrate their ability to meet the transportation needs of the job.

**Background Investigation:** Applicants may be required to undergo a State and national criminal history background investigation to determine suitability for appointment. Failure to meet the standards for the background investigation may result in disqualification.

**\*This is a Hiring Emergency Limited Placement (HELP) Program appointment. This is non-competitive permanent appointment, and the Civil Service exam will be waived.**

Applications will be accepted until the position is filled,  
first review of applicants will be July 24, 2026.

**Apply online on our Employment Portal:**

<https://jefferson-portal.mycivilservice.com/>

**Or send a paper application and resume to:**

Jefferson County Dept. of Human Resources,  
175 Arsenal St. Watertown, NY 13601.

\*Jefferson County is an Equal Opportunity Employer\*

