



# ROWAN COUNTY NORTH CAROLINA *Be an original*

## Job Opportunity Announcement

**SOCIAL WORKER III Job #671-1**

**(Department of Social Services—Permanency Planning/Facilitator)**

**Open Until Filled**

Located in the heart of North Carolina's Piedmont, Rowan County is attractively and conveniently nestled between the state's largest city and its Capitol. Rowan County is made up of more than 20 departments and nearly 1,250 employees that are committed to providing a wealth of services to County residents and businesses.

The County is currently accepting applications for the position of **Social Worker III (Permanency Planning/Facilitator)**. This position is primarily responsible for coordinating and facilitating Child and Family Team Meetings, Permanency Planning Reviews, and Transitional Living Plan/Transitional Support Team Meetings, as well as collecting and tracking associated data. This position will have additional duties as assigned to meet the overall needs of the Permanency Planning Unit and Social Work Services Division.

Requires a thorough knowledge of social work principles, techniques, and practices and their application to complex casework, group work, and community problems; considerable knowledge of family and group dynamics and a range of intervention techniques; and skill in establishing rapport with a client and in applying techniques of assessing psycho-social, behavioral, and psychological aspects of the client's problems.

Requires a Master's Degree in Social Work; or a Bachelor's Degree in Social Work and one year of human services experience in the areas of case management, assessment and referral, supportive counseling, intervention, psycho-social therapy and treatment planning; or a Bachelor's Degree in a human services field and two years of directly related experience; or an equivalent combination of education and experience; requires proficient use of Microsoft Word and Excel, especially efficient word processing; experience in Foster Care and bilingual applicants preferred. All degrees/coursework must be from an appropriately accredited institution. If degree is not in Social Work, please submit a copy of transcript with application. A valid driver's license is required.

Starting Salary \$56,700 - \$62,300/annual (commensurate with experience) and excellent benefits package available. Benefits include health, dental, vision, retirement, 401K, flexible spending, paid holidays, employee discounts, and more.

Apply online at [www.rowancountync.gov/jobs](http://www.rowancountync.gov/jobs).

Individuals with disabilities may request application accommodations by calling HR at (704) 216-8100. The County administers pre-employment drug tests and criminal background checks for all positions. Some positions may require a physical exam, credit check, and/or a driving history check depending upon the position.

**Rowan County is an Equal Opportunity Employer**