

# SOCIAL WORK PRACTICE IN EDUCATION

**DID YOU KNOW?** Social workers play a key role in education:

- Teaching social work knowledge and skills including interviewing, assessment, intervention, critical analysis, anti-oppressive practice and community development
- Preparing students for social work practice through classroom instruction and field placements
- Conducting and distributing research on issues that impact individuals, families, groups and communities
- Promoting social justice and contributing to public policy
- Evaluating the effectiveness of student learning and programs
- Teaching students to practice with a variety of diverse populations including individuals, families, groups and communities
- Providing student services through support, linking with university and community resources, program development and advocacy

There are over 1500 social workers registered to practice social work in Newfoundland and Labrador. Further information about the social work profession can be found at [www.nlasw.ca](http://www.nlasw.ca) or by contacting:

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