## Continuing education for social workers

Almost all social work licensing boards require social workers to complete continuing education courses. Continuing education keeps professionals' knowledge current and is required for social workers to remain licensed. Continuing education units are often referred to as CEUs.



Each board has its own continuing education requirements. Check the regulations for <u>where you are</u> <u>licensed</u>. For example, Pennsylvania's requirements include a stipulation that all continuing education courses to last at least two hours.

Many organizations provide CEUs in person and online. Local <u>college social work programs</u> are one place to check. A selection of other ways to find CEU courses is listed here.

## **CEU** search engine

• National Association of Social Workers – Continuing Education Portal

## **In-person CEUs**

- NASW Assurance Services
- NASW Delaware Chapter
- NASW New Jersey Chapter
- NASW Pennsylvania Chapter
- New Jersey Society for Clinical Social Work
- Pennsylvania Society for Clinical Social Work
- PESI

## **Distance learning CEUs**

- Ce4Less
- ContinuingEdCourses.net
- GetCEUsNow
- NASW Lunchtime Series
- NASW Specialty Practice Sections
- NetCE
- Social Work Online CE Institute
- Social Work Today