



School Social Workers

WHEREAS, serving as vital members of a school's education team, school social workers play a central role in creating partnerships between the home, school, and community to ensure student academic success, and

WHEREAS, school social workers are especially skilled in providing services to students who face serious challenges to school success, including disability, poverty, discrimination, abuse, neglect, mental illness, homelessness, bullying, familial stressors, and other barriers to learning, and

WHEREAS, more necessary now than at any time in recent memory, school social workers assist students struggling with mental and behavioral health disorders, and

WHEREAS, school social workers are essential to early identification of and early intervention for mental health problems, and

WHEREAS, school social workers play a vital role in the lives of students in the state, NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESPECTFULLY PROCLAIMED that school social workers are recognized and sincerely thanked for their commitment to the well-being of children and the community.

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