**Florida LCSW FAQs**

**How do I become an Lcsw in Florida?**

**Licensed Clinical Social Worker (LCSW)**

Complete two years of supervised clinical social work experience. ...

Complete the required supplemental courses for licensure. ...

Submit an application for an **LCSW** license to the board. ...

Complete the ASWB clinical exam. ...

Receive your **LCSW** license from the board.

**Can I transfer my LCSW license to Florida?**

No. **Florida does** not have reciprocity with other states. Applying **by** ENDORSEMENT is defined as an applicant who has an active clinical **license** to practice his/her profession **in** another state and has been practicing **in** that state for at least three of **the** last five years.

**Does Florida have reciprocity for social workers?**

**Florida does** not offer **reciprocity** for those licensed in other states, however, **social workers** interested in obtaining **Florida** licensure may apply for Licensure by Endorsement or Examination. These applications are reviewed on a case-by-case basis to determine if the requirements for **Florida** license **have** been met.

**What degree do I need to be an Lcsw?**

Individuals looking to become an **LCSW** must earn a master's **degree** in social work from an accredited **school** of social work. After earning a master's **degree**, students who **want** to become an **LCSW** must complete additional coursework. As with all **LCSW requirements**, these clinical hours and **courses** vary by state.

**How many hours of supervision do you need for Lcsw in Florida?**

**100 hours**

The supervision experience must have consisted of: At least **100 hours** of supervision in no less than 100 weeks; 1,500 hours of face-to-face

psychotherapy with clients; and, 1 hour of supervision every two weeks.

**How often do you renew your LCSW?**

Every two years Licensees (LMFT, **LCSW**, LPCC, LEP) must: **Renew** every two years; AND. Complete continuing education requirements. **Renew** online (updates instantly)

**How many CEUS do I need for social work license?**

36 hours

36 hours of **continuing education** (CE) are required during each two (2)-year **license** renewal period

For more information visit:

<https://floridasmentalhealthprofessions.gov/licensing/licensed-clinical-social-worker/>

http://www.floridahealth.gov/newsroom/2014/03/032014-mental-health.html

<https://floridasmentalhealthprofessions.gov/licensing/>

https://www.socialworkguide.org/licensure/florida/

http://www.naswfl.org/licensure.html