

## **Family Service Specialist I/II**

New Kent County is seeking a Family Service Specialist I or II. The person in this position will specialize in program areas. Level I includes training and close supervision with progression to Level II which includes independent functioning and assuming more complex duties such as interviewing/investigating in cases involving suspected child/adult abuse/neglect, out-of-home placements, guardianships, emergency protective orders, and adoptions; testifying in legal proceedings, and placing children in foster/adoptive homes.

### **Minimum Qualifications**

Bachelor's degree in a Human Services field or minimum of a Bachelor's degree in any field and a minimum of two years of appropriate and related experience in a Human Services area. Level II requires more experience, with higher education preferred.

Knowledge of social work principles and practices; human behavior and motivational theory is required. At Level II this is expanded to include knowledge of laws, policies, and regulations relating to human services program areas; investigating and interviewing techniques; legal procedures as related to program area; and social, economic, and health problems. Must have a valid Commonwealth of Virginia driver's license or able to obtain one upon employment.

Visit the New Kent County website, Employment Opportunities <http://www.co.new-kent.va.us/>

Or

See full Job Descriptions and apply: <https://virginiajobs.peopleadmin.com/>

Applications will be accepted from 11/11/2016 through 12/4/2016.