



# Human Services

- ▶ CONSUMER SERVICES
- ▶ COUNSELING & MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES
- ▶ EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT & SERVICES
- ▶ FAMILY & COMMUNITY SERVICES
- ▶ PERSONAL CARE SERVICES

A career in human services requires certain skills and education depending on job requirements. Skills include preparing individuals that relates to family and human needs such as counseling and mental health services, family and community services, personal care, and consumer services.

<b>Bachelor's Degree from Iowa Universities and Colleges</b>	<b>Sample Career</b>	<b>Salaries</b>
Social Work	Social Worker	\$61,300
Elementary Education	Kindergarten Teacher	\$51,100
Psychology	Therapist	\$47,710
<b>Kirkwood Associate's Degree</b>	<b>Sample Career</b>	<b>Salaries</b>
Early Childhood Education	Preschool Teacher	\$25,800
Human Services	Substance Abuse Counselor	\$44,200
<b>Kirkwood Diploma</b>	<b>Sample Career</b>	<b>Salaries</b>
Early Childhood Education	Teacher Assistant	\$24,400
<b>Kirkwood Certificates</b>	<b>Sample Career</b>	<b>Salaries</b>
Early Childhood Paraeducator	Paraeducator	\$24,900
<b>Kirkwood Career Academies</b>	<b>Sample Career</b>	<b>Salaries</b>
Pre-Education Transfer	Teacher Assistant	\$24,400
Pre-Human Services Transfer (Social Work)	Patient Escort	\$28,900
Arts and Science Academy	Childcare Worker	\$20,500



\*Information provided by Emsi National data and Kirkwood Community College Regional Talent Forecast Data – Nov. 2018



## High School Courses

## High School Related Activities and Clubs