

<b>Job Title</b>	Sr. Social Work Counselor- The Woodlands
<b>Employer/ Agency</b>	MD Anderson Cancer Center
<b>Job Description</b>	<p><b>MISSION STATEMENT</b> The mission of The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center is to eliminate cancer in Texas, the nation, and the world through outstanding programs that integrate patient care, research and prevention, and through education for undergraduate and graduate students, trainees, professionals, employees and the public.</p> <p><b>SUMMARY</b> Provide comprehensive assessment and counseling services to individuals, families and groups to promote an appropriate adjustment to cancer. Supports compliance with treatment protocols and assists with resource linkage as a part of a multidisciplinary healthcare team.</p> <p><b>KEY FUNCTIONS</b> Conducts biopsychosocial assessments using appropriate diagnostic criteria to recommend, facilitate, and implement interventions for a comprehensive treatment plan. Participates in continuity of care and discharge planning. Facilitates advance care planning. Documents patient care activity in institutional electronic healthcare record in accordance with departmental documentation policy. Uses counseling techniques, resource knowledge and linkage throughout the disease trajectory, including end of life, survivorship and bereavement. Demonstrates specialization/knowledge in one or more theoretical frameworks utilized in clinical practice (Including as feasible, obtaining certification in a therapeutic modality CBT, SFT, MI, etc.) Counsels patients/families using theoretical techniques, trains staff on therapeutic modality, leads support groups using specific modality. Develops educational materials, leads and develops clinical programs and special projects. Demonstrates professional behavior, verbal and written skills among health care team, department and institution (commitment to continuing education and development for self, mentorship of colleagues, and leadership role within the department and on the interdisciplinary team. Serves as an example to others in meeting commitments and promises, works cooperatively to proactively address issues and errors as they arise). Other duties as assigned.</p>
<b>Qualifications</b>	<p><b><u>Education</u></b> <b>Required:</b> Master's degree in Social Work (MSW or MSSW) from an accredited program approved by the Council on Social Work Education (CSWE).</p> <p><b><u>Experience</u></b> Required: Three years post Master's degree in Social Work (MSW or MSSW) which includes two years of clinical experience Preferred: Five years post Master's degree in Social Work (MSW or MSSW) clinical experience with three years in an oncology setting.</p> <p><b><u>License/Certification</u></b> Required: Licensed Clinical Social Worker in the state of Texas. Preferred: Certification as appropriate.</p>

<b>Salary/Hours</b>	\$71,000 to \$107,000
<b>City, State, Zip</b>	The Woodlands, Texas
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<b>Opening Date</b>	Immediately

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