



Social and Human Services

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Social and Human Services students

“Eventually I would like to be a school counselor because I know what it’s like to be in high school going through really tough times and not having an adult to trust and talk to... Someday, I would like to be that safe person for other kids.”

—Sarah Doonan, Social and Human Services student

Lake Washington Institute of Technology’s Social and Human Services (SHSV) program prepares students for a variety of exciting and challenging social service positions. The program provides a generalist education for employment in which the student will develop the professional values,

skills, and knowledge to assist individuals and groups with personal, interpersonal, and situational problems. Whether you’re interested in working with people, looking for a new career, returning to school or just beginning your professional life, this program will give you the multiple skills you need for employment in this rewarding field.



LAKE WASHINGTON
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Degrees and Certificates:

Associate Degree

- Social and Human Services, AAS

Certificates

- Social and Human Services, Certificate of Proficiency

Program Highlights:

- Make a real difference in the lives of others
- Gain a broad foundation in real-world training, teamwork and problem-solving
- Enjoy small class sizes, with hands-on training geared for the work environment
- Gain work experience and professional connections through internships available through the program
- Attend full or part-time, with financial aid available for those who are eligible
- Transfer opportunities for four-year degrees

Career Opportunities:

Social service is one of the fastest growing occupations in the country. When you successfully complete the Social and Human Services program at LWTech, you'll be able to compete for numerous jobs in a wide variety of social services areas, including:

- Family support specialist
- Community outreach
- Para-educator
- Social service assistant
- Certified peer specialist
- Mental health technician
- Gerontology aide
- Adult day care staff
- Correctional officer
- Medical secretary

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