



SOUTH AFRICAN COUNCIL FOR SOCIAL SERVICE PROFESSIONS

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NOTICE TO:

1. All child and youth care workers and auxiliary child and youth care workers.
2. Training institutions providing qualifications in child and youth care work and auxiliary child and youth care work.

CALL FOR APPLICATIONS OF ASSESSORS AND MODERATORS OF PORTFOLIOS OF EVIDENCE (POE) FOR CHILD AND YOUTH CARE WORK

1. The South African Council for Social Service Professions (SACSSP) is hereby inviting on behalf of the Professional Board for Child and Youth Care Work eligible and interested child and youth care workers to apply for participation in the assessment and moderation of Portfolios of Evidence (POEs) for child and youth care work.
2. POEs are required as part or as a whole for the purpose of recognition of prior learning (RPL) in the registration of child and youth care workers and auxiliary child and youth care workers in terms of section 18A of the Social Service Professions Act 110 of 1978 ("the Act").
 - 2.1 The qualifications required to be registered as a child and youth care worker (professional category of registration) are prescribed as per regulation 16(1) of the *Regulations for child and youth care workers, auxiliary child and youth care workers and student child and youth care workers* (the Regulations), while regulation 16(2) provides that such prescribed qualification may be obtained through recognition of prior learning (RPL) provided that not more than 50% of such qualification is obtained through RPL.
 - 2.2 The qualifications required to be registered as an auxiliary child and youth care worker (auxiliary category of registration) are prescribed as per regulation 17(1) of the Regulations, while regulation 17(2) provides that such prescribed qualification may be obtained partially or as a whole through RPL.
3. The following requirements apply in the appointment of persons for the assessment and moderation of POEs per registration category:
 - 3.1 Practitioners interested in the assessment and moderation of POEs of **child and youth care workers** in terms of regulation 16(2) of the Regulations for the purpose of registration in accordance with section 18A of the Act as a child and youth care worker (professional category of registration) should meet the following requirements:
 - (a) registered and in good standing with the SACSSP as a child and youth care worker (professional category of registration);
 - (b) have no pending inquiries of alleged unprofessional or improper conduct in terms of section 21 of the Social Service Professions Act 110 of 1978;
 - (c) is a HWSETA accredited assessor and moderator;
 - (d) have 3 years practical experience in assessment and moderation;
 - (e) have 3 years' practical experience as a child and youth care worker (professional category of registration).
 - (f) have a qualification in Child and Youth Care Work as contemplated in regulation 16(1) of the Regulations (NQF level 7 and above).
 - (g) are available when required by the SACSSP (as indicated in the category of interest)

3.2 Practitioners interested in the assessment and moderation of POEs of **auxiliary child and youth care workers** in terms of regulation 17(2) of the Regulations for the purpose of registration in accordance with section 18A of the Act as an auxiliary child and youth care worker (professional category of registration) should meet the following requirements:

- (a) be registered and in good standing with the SACSSP as a *child and youth care worker* (professional category of registration).
- (b) have no pending inquiries of alleged unprofessional or improper conduct in terms of section 21 of the Social Service Professions Act 110 of 1978.
- (c) is a HWSETA accredited assessor and moderator.
- (d) have 3 years practical experience in assessment and moderation.
- (e) Have 3 years practical experience as a child and youth care worker.
- (f) have a qualification in Child and Youth Care Work as contemplated in regulation 16(1) of the Regulations (NQF level 7 and above).
- (g) be available when required by the SACSSP (as indicated in the category of interest)

4. Applicants must indicate their category or categories of interest by completing one or both templates below.

4.1 TEMPLATE 1: Assessment and moderation of POEs for registration of **child and youth care workers** in terms of regulation 16(2) of the Regulations (professional category of registration)

Areas of interest	Interested person's name and surname	Interested person's telephone number	Interested person's cell number
E.g. Assessment and moderation of POEs for child and youth care workers (professional category of registration)	E.g. Thoko Moganedi	E.g. 012- 356 3800	E.g. 083 678 123 4
1. Assessment of POEs for registration of child and youth care workers			
2. Moderation of POEs for registration of child and youth care workers			

4.2 TEMPLATE 2: Assessment and moderation of POEs for registration of **auxiliary child and youth care workers** in terms of regulation 17(2) of the Regulations (auxiliary category of registration)

Areas of interest	Interested person's name and surname	Interested person's telephone number	Interested person's cell number
E.g. Assessment and moderation of POEs for registration of auxiliary child and youth care workers (auxiliary category of registration)	E.g. Thoko Moganedi	E.g. 012- 356 3800	E.g. 083 678 123 4
1. Assessment of POEs for registration of auxiliary child and youth care workers			
2. Moderation of POEs for registration of auxiliary child and youth care workers			

5. All interested practitioners are requested to apply by submitting the following by email to CYCWETD@sacssp.co.za no later than **16h00** on **10 June 2024**:

- (a) The category of interest template (see paragraph 4);
- (b) A cover letter indicating that you meet all the requirements as set out in paragraphs 3.1 or 3.2; and
- (c) An abridged curriculum vitae (CV) – not more than two pages

6. The SACSSP may request from any applicant a certified copy and/or proof related to any requirement as set out paragraphs 3.1 or 3.2 as to validate his or application.

7. Please note that the SACSSP will only inform successful applicants on their appointment as an assessor or moderator. Applicants who have not heard from the SACSSP within three (3) months of the closing date for applications are to consider their application as unsuccessful.
8. All successful applicants will be required to attend a compulsory orientation session prior to the commencement of the duties.

ISSUED BY: REGISTRAR, Mr Hitler Sekhitla