



# SOUTH AFRICAN COUNCIL FOR SOCIAL SERVICE PROFESSIONS

## GENERAL NOTICE 9 of 2026

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### NOTICE TO:

1. All child and youth care workers who are facilitators of the Auxiliary Child and Youth Care Work Learning Programme
2. Training institutions accredited to provide qualifications in Auxiliary Child and Youth Care Work

### CALL FOR APPLICATIONS OF QUALITY ASSURANCE PANEL FOR AUXILIARY CHILD AND YOUTH CARE WORK LEARNING PROGRAMME

The Professional Board for Child and Youth Care Work hereby invites suitably qualified and interested child and youth care workers to apply to be appointed to serve as members of the Quality Assurance Panel for the assessment of the Auxiliary Child and Youth Care Work Learning Programme, in line with section 14B(c)(i) of the Social Service Professions Act 110 of 1978, subject to meeting the requirements as set out below.

#### 1. Requirements for Appointment

Applicants must meet the following criteria:

- (a) Bachelor's Degree/Diploma in Child and Youth Care Work.
- (b) Minimum of five (5) years appropriate and evidence based practical experience as a child and youth care worker.
- (c) Registration with the South African Council for Social Service Professions (SACSSP) and in good standing in terms of his or her registration.
- (d) At least 2 years experience in facilitating the Auxiliary Child and Youth Care Work Learning Programme.
- (e) Assessor or moderator certificate for accredited trainings will be an added advantage.

#### 2. Application Submission

The following are required to be submitted by suitably qualified and interested child and youth care workers:

- (a) A motivational letter indicating that the applicant meets all the requirements, with a maximum of 500 characters, covering the following:
  - i. Experience in facilitating the Auxiliary Child and Youth Care Work Learning Programme.
  - ii. Knowledge of relevant policies and legislation.
  - iii. Ethical conduct; applicant must disclose the penalty imposed if found guilty during an inquiry held in terms of section 21 of the Social Service Professions Act 110 of 1978.
  - iv. Disclosure of any pending inquiries of alleged unprofessional or improper conduct in terms of section 21 of the Social Service Professions Act 110 of 1978;
  - v. Communication and interpersonal skills.
- (b) A certified copy of the Bachelor's Degree/Diploma in Child and Youth Care Work.
- (c) A certified copy of the SACSSP registration certificate.
- (d) The latest practice card.
- (e) A detailed curriculum vitae (CV).
- (f) A certified copy of identity document (ID).
- (g) A certified copy of assessor or moderator certificate for accredited trainings (optional).

**3. Submission Details**

All interested child and youth care workers or facilitators that meet the requirements mentioned above are requested to apply by submitting the above documents by email to the Education, Training and Development Manager; Ms Pertunia Nkosi at [etdmanager@sacssp.co.za](mailto:etdmanager@sacssp.co.za) by no later than 16h00 on 12 June 2026.

**4. Additional Information**

- (a) The SACSSP may request from any applicant a certified copy and/or proof related to any requirement as to validate his or her application.
- (b) Only successful applicants will be contacted. If no response is received within three (3) months of the closing date, the application should be considered unsuccessful.

**5. Obligations of Appointment Members**

Upon appointment, members of the Auxiliary Child and Youth Care Work Quality Assurance Panel will be required to:

- (a) Attend a mandatory training of Quality Assurance Panel members before the assessment.
- (b) Sign a confidentiality agreement, to the effect of keeping all information regarding a training institution, their programme, the quality assurance process and findings confidential.
- (c) Conduct quality assurance of the Auxiliary Child and Youth Care Work Learning Programme and site visits to training institutions within stipulated timelines.
- (d) Report on findings of quality assurance processes within stipulated timelines

**6. Reservation of Rights**

The Professional Board for Child and Youth Care Work reserves the right not to appoint the Quality Assurance Panel, notwithstanding the call for applications as per this General Notice.

**7. Training Institutions**

Training Institutions are requested to share this General Notice with child and youth care workers who are facilitators.

**ISSUED BY:** REGISTRAR, Mr Hitler Sekhitla