



**Department of Development Services – West Region**  
**JOB OPPORTUNITY**  
**DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES WORKER 1**  
**(REPOSTED W/ LOCATION AND SCHEDULE CHANGE)**

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**Open to:** PUBLIC (MANDATORY DAS REEMPLOYMENT LIST HAS BEEN CLEARED)  
**Position:** Developmental Services Worker I (Durational)  
**Location:** Lower Fairfield Center – Norwalk  
**Salary:** \$20.30 hourly  
**Closing Date:** July 17, 2017

Position#	Location		Shift/Schedule		RDO's
0116448	DS Worker I	Bldg. 1 – Apt. A&B	FT – 70hrs./bi-weekly	2 <sup>nd</sup> – 2pm – 9:30pm 1 <sup>st</sup> wk. Fri, Sat, Sun, Wed, Thu 2 <sup>nd</sup> wk. Fri, Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu	1 <sup>st</sup> wk. Mon, Tue 2 <sup>nd</sup> wk. Sat, Sun

**Duration of Appointment:** This is a durational position and will end no later than December 8, 2017. Incumbent will not be entitled to any State employee benefits.

**Examples of Duties:** Duties consistent with the Developmental Services Worker 1 job specification. This position provides residential & behavioral support to individuals in Intermediate Care Facilities (ICF) units. Receives training in, then independently implements, policies and procedures designed to achieve objectives of a program for persons with intellectual and developmental disabilities; provides assistance and instruction to individuals in activities of daily living; participates in therapeutic programs for development of individuals' capabilities; provides guidance and instruction to individuals in development of desirable personal habits, hygiene and social relationships; implements individual program plans; participates in preparation, serving and feeding of meals; performs housekeeping duties necessary to maintain a clean and healthy environment; participates in social and recreational activities; reinforces appropriate individual behavior through modification techniques; may administer selected oral medications with appropriate training; performs related duties as required.

**Knowledge, Skills and Abilities:** Considerable interpersonal skills; ability to develop a positive relationship with individuals; ability to train individuals in self-care habits, personal hygiene and proper social conduct; ability to understand and carry out written and oral instructions.

**Special Requirement:** Incumbents in this class may be required to be bilingual or fluent in American Sign Language. Must have a valid CT driver's license, will be required to travel, Public Passenger Endorsement or Commercial Driver's license for designated positions; must successfully complete and maintain all DDS training requirements including Abuse and Neglect, CPR and PMT; must possess and retain or be able to obtain Medical Administration Certification from the Department of Developmental Services

**Physical Requirement:** Incumbents in this class must possess physical and emotional health for efficient performance of duties; a physical examination will be required.

**Working Conditions:** Incumbents in this class may be required to lift and restrain individuals; may have significant exposure to communicable/infectious diseases and to risk of injury from assaultive/abusive individuals; may be exposed to strongly disagreeable conditions.

**Note:** The filling of this position will be in accordance with reemployment, SEBAC, transfer, promotion and merit employment rules, if applicable. **In the event of a layoff within a job classification, temporary Employees, including per diems, and Employees who have not completed their initial working test shall be separated first and they shall not have bumping rights.**

**Application Procedure for Applicants:** Interested and qualified candidates who meet the above requirements should submit a fully completed Application for Examination or Employment (CT-HR-12) located at [www.das.state.ct.us/exam](http://www.das.state.ct.us/exam). Two letters of reference must be included with the application.

**All application materials must be received by 11:59 p.m. on the closing date indicated above.**

**Incomplete application materials will not be considered**

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