

# Human Services Print and Internet Resources

## PRINT RESOURCES

Periodicals covering news, trends, and issues in the human services industry. Some offer free online content.

### *Child Care Business Magazine*

P.O. Box 40079  
Phoenix, AZ 85067-0079  
(480) 990-1101  
[www.childcarebusiness.com](http://www.childcarebusiness.com)

A magazine created for owners, directors, and administrators of larger child care centers.

### *Consumer Reports*

101 Truman Avenue  
Yonkers, NY 10703  
[www.consumerreports.org](http://www.consumerreports.org)

A magazine published by Consumers Union, a nonprofit organization that tests and rates products and services and informs and protects consumers.

### *Healthy Child Care*

P.O. Box 624  
Harbor Springs, MI 49740  
(877) 258-6178  
[www.healthychild.net](http://www.healthychild.net)

A bimonthly publication devoted to health and safety issues in child care programs.

### *The New Social Worker*

P.O. Box 5390, Dept. WWW  
Harrisburg, PA 17110-0390  
[www.socialworker.com](http://www.socialworker.com)

A quarterly magazine for social work students and recent graduates.

### *Psychology Today*

49 East 21st Street, 11th Floor  
New York, NY 10010  
(800) 234-8361

[www.psychologytoday.com](http://www.psychologytoday.com)

A consumer magazine focusing on issues of mental health and psychology.

## INTERNET RESOURCES

### Industry Web Sites

Business, professional, and educational organizations offering news, analysis, and career information on the human services industry.

### **Alliance for Technology Access**

[www.ataccess.org](http://www.ataccess.org)

An advocacy organization dedicated to bringing assistive technology to people with disabilities.

### **American Beauty Association**

[www.abbies.org](http://www.abbies.org)

A trade association with the mission to expand, serve, and protect the interests of the professional beauty industry.

### **American Board of Examiners in Clinical Social Work**

[www.abecsw.org](http://www.abecsw.org)

An organization that sets national practice standards for social work and issues an advanced-practice credential.

### **American Counseling Association**

[www.counseling.org](http://www.counseling.org)

A professional and educational organization dedicated to the growth and enhancement of the counseling profession.

### **American Psychological Association**

[www.apa.org](http://www.apa.org)

A scientific and professional organization representing psychologists in the United States.



**American Public Human Services Association**

[www.aphsa.org](http://www.aphsa.org)

A nonprofit, bipartisan organization of individuals and agencies concerned with human services.

**Association for Advanced Training in the Behavioral Sciences**

[www.aatbs.com](http://www.aatbs.com)

An educational organization offering preparation programs for licensing examinations in mental health professions.

**Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards**

[www.asppb.org](http://www.asppb.org)

An association of the psychology licensing boards in the United States and Canada.

**Behind the Chair**

[www.behindthechair.com](http://www.behindthechair.com)

Information on cosmetology trends, products, and techniques, plus an online job database.

**Consumer Federation of America**

[www.consumerfed.org](http://www.consumerfed.org)

An agency that provides consumers with facts and analysis on important issues.

**Council for Professional Recognition**

[www.cdacouncil.org](http://www.cdacouncil.org)

An organization that works to improve the professional status of early childhood care workers and helps to meet the growing need for qualified child care staff.

**Council on Social Work Education**

[www.cswe.org](http://www.cswe.org)

A nonprofit national association representing educational programs in professional social work education.

**Electronic Privacy Information Center**

[www.epic.org](http://www.epic.org)

A public interest research center established in 1994 to focus public attention on emerging civil liberties issues and to protect privacy.

**Family, Career, and Community Leaders of America**

[www.fhahero.org](http://www.fhahero.org)

A vocational organization for students in family and consumer sciences through grade 12.

**Human Services Research Institute**

[www.hsri.org](http://www.hsri.org)

An organization that assists states and the federal government in enhancing services and support to people with mental illness or mental retardation.

**International Society for Mental Health Online**

[www.ismho.org](http://www.ismho.org)

A nonprofit corporation that promotes the understanding, use, and development of online mental health services.

**National Association of Accredited Cosmetology Schools**

[www.naacs.org](http://www.naacs.org)

An association of accredited cosmetology schools.

**National Association of Child Care Resource and Referral Agencies**

[www.naccrra.org](http://www.naccrra.org)

An organization offering services to early childhood care professionals and public policy makers.

**National Association of Social Workers**

[www.naswdc.org](http://www.naswdc.org)

The largest membership organization of professional social workers in the world, which maintains professional standards and advances sound social policies.

**National Board for Certified Counselors**

[www.nbcc.org](http://www.nbcc.org)

A nonprofit credentialing body for counselors.



**National Child Care Association**

[www.nccanet.org](http://www.nccanet.org)

The only national association serving the private, licensed childhood care and education community.

**National Mentoring Center**

[www.nwrel.org/mentoring](http://www.nwrel.org/mentoring)

A program created by the Northwest Regional Educational Laboratory to provide training and technical assistance to mentoring programs.

**National Mentoring Partnership**

[www.mentoring.org](http://www.mentoring.org)

An organization that provides resources and tools to mentoring organizations.

**National-Interstate Council of State Boards of Cosmetology**

[www.nictesting.org](http://www.nictesting.org)

An association of the cosmetology licensing boards in the United States.

**Network for Good**

[www.networkforgood.org](http://www.networkforgood.org)

A resource for finding local volunteer opportunities and participating in worldwide crisis relief efforts.

**Government Web Sites**

Government agencies and departments that oversee aspects of the human services industry and offer information for the public.

**Department of Health and Human Services**

[www.hhs.gov](http://www.hhs.gov)

The executive department that administers federal social welfare programs, including Head Start, TANF, and child support enforcement.

**Federal Consumer Information Center**

[www.pueblo.gsa.gov](http://www.pueblo.gsa.gov)

A one-stop source for answers to questions about federal agencies, programs, and services.

**Federal Trade Commission Privacy Initiatives**

[www.ftc.gov/privacy](http://www.ftc.gov/privacy)

A service of the Federal Trade Commission to educate consumers and businesses about the importance of personal information privacy.

**National Child Care Information Center**

[www.nccic.org](http://www.nccic.org)

A project of the Department of Health and Human Services that disseminates child care information and works to improve the child care delivery system.

**Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention**

<http://ojjdp.ncjrs.org>

A government agency charged with providing national leadership, coordination, and resources to prevent and respond to juvenile delinquency and victimization.

**Relief Web**

[www.reliefweb.int](http://www.reliefweb.int)

A project of the United Nations that provides information on international humanitarian relief projects and needs.

**Union Web Sites**

Labor unions representing workers in the human services industry.

**American Federation of Government Employees**

[www.afge.org](http://www.afge.org)

The largest federal employee union, representing 600,000 federal and Washington, D.C., government workers.

**International Brotherhood of Teamsters**

[www.teamsters.org](http://www.teamsters.org)

A union representing workers in nearly every field, including elderly care workers, drug and alcohol counselors, and Red Cross workers.



**Office and Professional Employees  
International Union**

[www.opeiu.org/guilds\\_locals/guilds\\_index.htm](http://www.opeiu.org/guilds_locals/guilds_index.htm)  
An umbrella union with a guild that represents clinical social workers.

**Service Employees International Union**

[www.seiu.org](http://www.seiu.org)  
A union representing workers in a variety of sectors, including home care workers and public service employees.

**Career Web Sites**

Internet-based employment sites offering career information and job postings for the human services industry.

**America's Job Bank**

[www.ajb.dni.us](http://www.ajb.dni.us)  
A Web site offering a database of over one million jobs nationwide, a résumé-posting service, and more.

**NASW Job Link**

[www.naswdc.org/job.htm](http://www.naswdc.org/job.htm)  
Job-search resources from the National Association of Social Workers.

**USA Jobs**

[www.usajobs.opm.gov](http://www.usajobs.opm.gov)  
The official source of job and employment information from the federal government.

**SocialService.com**

[www.socialservice.com](http://www.socialservice.com)  
A career Web site featuring jobs in social work, social service, mental health, counseling, and psychology.

**SocialWork.com**

[www.socialwork.com](http://www.socialwork.com)  
A career Web site dedicated for social workers and mental health professionals.

**Spa Jobs**

[www.spa-jobs.com](http://www.spa-jobs.com)  
A career Web site for the international spa industry.

