#### Compensation and Benefits

State of Michigan offers a competitive salary package

State of Michigan benefits include: health care, dental, vision, life insurance, defined contribution retirement 401K and 12 paid holidays.

Vacation and sick hours are accrued on a bi-weekly basis.

Flex schedules may be available

#### **Application Process**

All applicants must submit an application through the Michigan Civil Service Commission NEOGOV online application process.

View MDHHS Assistance Payment Worker postings at: <u>www.michigan.gov/MDHHSjobs</u>.

Positions are available statewide. However, a separate application must be submitted for each county for which you would like to be considered.





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# ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS WORKER



### Assistance Payments Worker (Eligibility Specialist)

The role of the Assistance Payments Worker is to strengthen Michigan Families by:

- Ensuring that each person/family that applies for public assistance receives the type and level of assistance that they are eligible for
- Assessing the needs of each person/ family and giving them appropriate information and making any referrals and/or contacts to persons/agencies to help them meet their needs
- Providing all families with information about the expectations and goals of MDHHS
- Encouraging and guiding families in their efforts to become self supporting

## The Right Fit

The following questions should be considered when applying for an Assistance Payments Worker position:

- ⇒ Do you enjoy meeting directly with people?
- ⇒ Do you have excellent communication skills?
- ⇒ Are you able to review and process high volumes of paperwork rapidly?
- ⇒ Are you able to pay attention to small details?
- ⇒ Are you comfortable performing a large portion of your work using a computer in a Windows environment?
- ⇒ Are you comfortable making decisions?
- ⇒ Are you fluent in a second language? \* \* not a requirement



## **Education Requirements**

#### When you apply, you must have:

• Competition of two years of college (30 semester or 90 term credit hours)

#### **Recognized Alternatives:**

- Four years of administrative support experience in a human services or office setting.
- Completion of one year of college (30 semester or 45 term credit hours) and three years of administrative support experience equivalent in a human services or office setting.



#### Training

- 1 2 weeks of Computer Based Training
- 4 weeks of Institute BRIDGES Training
- 6 months 1 year to be proficient on the job
- Some small follow up trainings for specific programs