



Providing services for men, women and children with intellectual disability

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## **Vacancy: Elsie River, Cape Town**

### **Social Worker**

Oasis Association is a registered non-profit organisation established in 1952 to provide schooling facilities for children with intellectual disability (ID). The Association's services have expanded considerably over the years, and our mission is to enable people with ID to realise their full potential and become as independent and productive as possible within the community. Currently the organisation is providing holistic services for almost 600 people with ID through Protective Workshops, Day Centres and Group homes.

Oasis Association seeks to appoint a **Social Worker**, based in **Elsie River**, Cape Town.

#### **Responsibilities**

- Results driven social work services to individuals and families that improves quality of life and promotes independence and empowerment. This includes casework, assessments/screenings, referrals, group work and community work
- Goal orientated group work with beneficiaries with ID, residents of Oasis group homes, and Oasis staff
- Work with existing community initiatives to address issues within the disability sector, e.g. awareness programmes, etc.
- Maintain an effective, accurate and up-to-date administrative system
- Screening and placement of residents at group homes
- Available for crisis intervention at any time
- Compliance with all statutory requirements including DSD annual service plans.

#### **Requirements**

- A relevant Social Work qualification with a minimum of 8 years working experience as a Social Worker
- Current registration with South African Council for Social Service Professions (SACSSP)
- Must have a valid driver's licence, and own reliable transport
- Knowledge and experience of the principles and practices of social work profession
- Proven ability to write reports
- Experience with Intellectual Disability will be advantageous
- Ability to communicate in **Afrikaans** is essential.

To apply, submit a motivation letter highlighting suitability to the role, a CV (both in Word format) and the contact details of three work related referees to [rudayba@maraisbutter.co.za](mailto:rudayba@maraisbutter.co.za)

Contact will only be made with shortlisted candidates.

**Closing date: Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> December 2025**