

Jaycelynn Kingsford

Medical Social Worker

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EDUCATION

Master of Social Work at University of South Carolina

Aug 2017 - May 2021

I have learned how to critically think about social issues, how to engage with clients in a way that is helpful and respectful, and how to work with others as a team to effectively address social problems.

LINKS

[linkedin.com/in/jaycelynnkingsford](https://www.linkedin.com/in/jaycelynnkingsford)

SKILLS

Medical knowledge

Ability to empathize with patients

Strong communication skills

Organizational skills

Time management skills

Multitasking ability

LANGUAGES

English

Hindi

PROFILE

I am a medical social worker with over 1 year of experience. I have worked in a variety of settings, including hospitals, clinics, and community health centers. I have provided counseling and support to patients and their families dealing with chronic illness, terminal illness, and grief. I have also assisted clients with navigating the healthcare system, securing financial assistance programs, and making end-of-life decisions. In addition to my clinical work, I have also served as an advocate for policy change at the local level.

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

● Medical Social Worker at Roper St. Francis Healthcare, SC

Jun 2022 - Present

- Provided direct social work services to patients and families in a hospital setting.
- Assessed patient and family needs, developed treatment plans, and provided counseling.
- Coordinated with other members of the healthcare team to ensure continuity of care.
- Made referrals to community resources as needed.
- Provided discharge planning services.

● Social Worker at MUSC Health, SC

Jul 2021 - May 2022

- Negotiated with insurance companies on behalf of clients to ensure they received the coverage and benefits they were entitled to.
- Worked with a client who had been diagnosed with cancer, helping them to navigate their treatment options and connect with resources for financial assistance.
- Advocated for increased funding for mental health services in the community.
- Organized a food drive that collected enough non-perishable food items to stock the shelves of the local food bank for two months.
- Led a support group for caregivers of loved ones with Alzheimer's disease.

CERTIFICATES

Certified Clinical Social Worker (CCSW)

Nov 2020

Board Certified Diplomate in Clinical Social Work (BCD-CSW)

Nov 2019

MEMBERSHIPS

National Association of Social Workers

American Academy of Hospice and Palliative Medicine