

## State of Nevada

## **Board of Examiners for Social Workers**

4600 Kietzke Lane, #C-121, Reno, NV 89502 (775) 688-2555

January 1, 2024

The Nevada Legislature mandated **Cultural Competency and Diversity**, **Equity and Inclusion Continuing Education Units (CEUs)**, in 2021. The number of CEUs required was increased to six (6) in the 2023 Legislative session.

The range of topics approved by the Legislature includes any of the following –

- Persons from various gender, racial and ethic backgrounds;
- Persons from various religious backgrounds;
- Lesbian, gay, transgender and questioning persons;
- Children and senior citizens;
- Veterans;
- Persons with an intellectual disability, developmental disability or physical disability.

Please note that the list above was developed by the Legislature and not the Board. We are tasked with doing a 100% audit of these CEUs.

**As a LASW / LSW / LSMW, you still collect 30 CEUs every collection cycle**. Now 2.00 will be in Suicide Prevention (upload required), 6.00 in Cultural Diversity and Inclusion (upload required), 4.00 in ethics; 10.00 in your field of practice; and 8.00 in any area of interest for you.

As a LCSW / LISW, you will still collect 36 CEUs every collection cycle. Now 2.00 will be in Suicide Prevention (upload required), 6.00 in Cultural Diversity and Inclusion (upload required), 4.00 in ethics; 12.00 in your field of practice; and 12.00 in any area of interest for you.