

1. TITLE OF THE CERTIFICATE - ET ⁽¹⁾
Sotsiaaltöötaja, EKR tase 6
⁽¹⁾ In the original language

2. TRANSLATED TITLE OF THE CERTIFICATE ⁽¹⁾
Social Worker, EstQF level 6
⁽¹⁾ If applicable. This translation has no legal status.

<p>3. PROFILE OF SKILLS AND COMPETENCIES</p> <p>Social work promotes the well-being and social cohesion of people and contributes to social change and development at the levels of the individual, organisations and society/the community. Social justice, human rights, collective responsibility and respecting differences play an important role in social work.</p> <p>The main tasks of Social Worker, Level 7 are preventive work, advising clients and the people close to them and cooperating with them to organise and carry out supportive activities.</p> <p>A certified Social Worker, Level 6 is able to fulfil the following tasks:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - planning and organising work; - organising and providing services; - professional self-improvement and career advice; - client work; - informative and preventive work and community activation; - creating, maintaining and strengthening a network of specialists; - social sector development. <p>Social Worker, Level 6 can specialise in one of the following areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - child protection; - social work with children and families; - social work with people with special needs; - social work with the elderly; - social work with addicts. <p>Elective tasks:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - organising training; - supervising work experience; - managing services; - international social work; - organising guardianship; - social work in rehabilitation; - victim support; - social work with the homeless; - social work in a rural community.
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^(*)Explanatory note

This document is designed to provide additional information about the specified certificate and does not have any legal status in itself. The format of the description is based on the following texts: Council Resolution 93/C 49/01 of 3 December 1992 on the transparency of qualifications, Council Resolution 96/C 224/04 of 15 July 1996 on the transparency of vocational training certificates, and Recommendation 2001/613/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 10 July 2001 on mobility within the Community for students, persons undergoing training, volunteers, teachers and trainers.

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4. RANGE OF OCCUPATIONS ACCESSIBLE TO THE HOLDER OF THE CERTIFICATE ⁽¹⁾

Social worker, social work specialist, social advisor, child protection specialist, child protection worker, case manager.

⁽¹⁾ If applicable

5. OFFICIAL BASIS OF THE CERTIFICATE

Name and status of the body awarding the certificate The occupational certificate that has been issued by the professional council that operates under the activity license issued by a Awarding Body	Name and status of the national/regional authority providing accreditation/recognition of the certificate Occupational Qualification Council approved by a Regulation of the Government of the Republic
Level of the certificate (national or international) Estonian Qualification Framework level 6 European Qualification Framework level 6	Grading scale / Pass requirements passed/fail
Access to next level of education/training Social Worker, EstQF level 7	International agreements
Legal basis Occupational Qualifications Act (RT I 2008, 24, 156; 01.09.2008)	

6. OFFICIALLY RECOGNISED WAYS OF ACQUIRING THE CERTIFICATE

In order to obtain a occupational certificate, the applicant has to prove all his/her competencies required by the occupational standard and by the procedure for awarding of occupational qualification established by the body awarding the occupational qualification

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