

Counselor, Social Worker, and Marriage and Family Therapist Board

Role and Overview

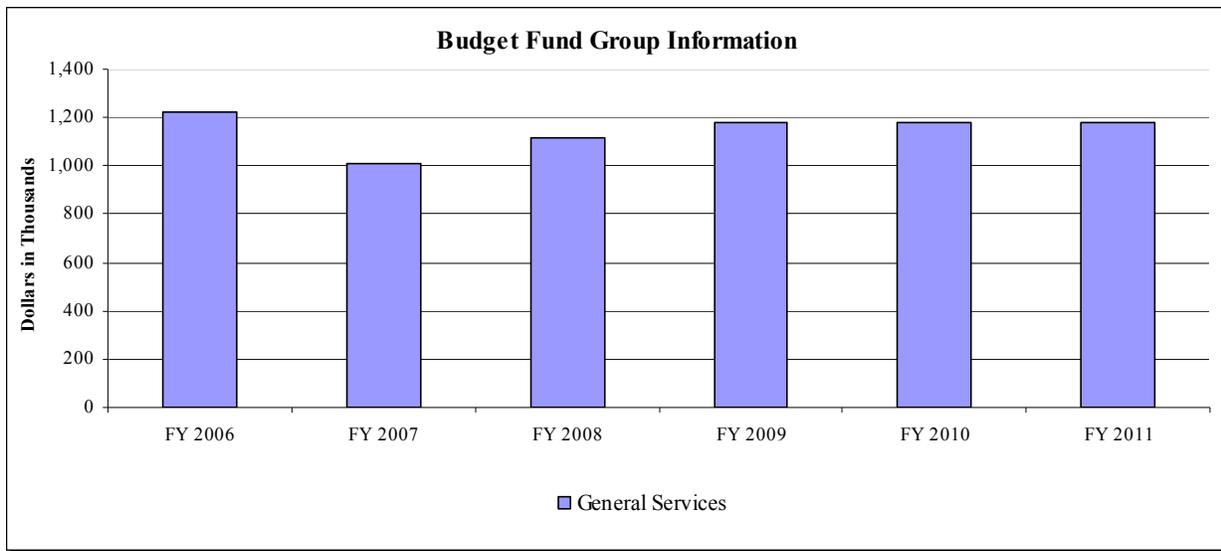
The State of Ohio Counselor, Social Worker and Marriage and Family Therapist Board (CSW) licenses qualified practitioners, establishes standards for counselors, social workers, and marriage and family therapists, and the education programs for those professions, as well as enforcing rules governing the practice. With 15 board members and 12 staff members, CSW regulates more than 29,000 licensees.

More information regarding the Counselor, Social Worker and Marriage and Family Therapist Board is available at <http://www.cswmft.ohio.gov/>

Agency Priorities

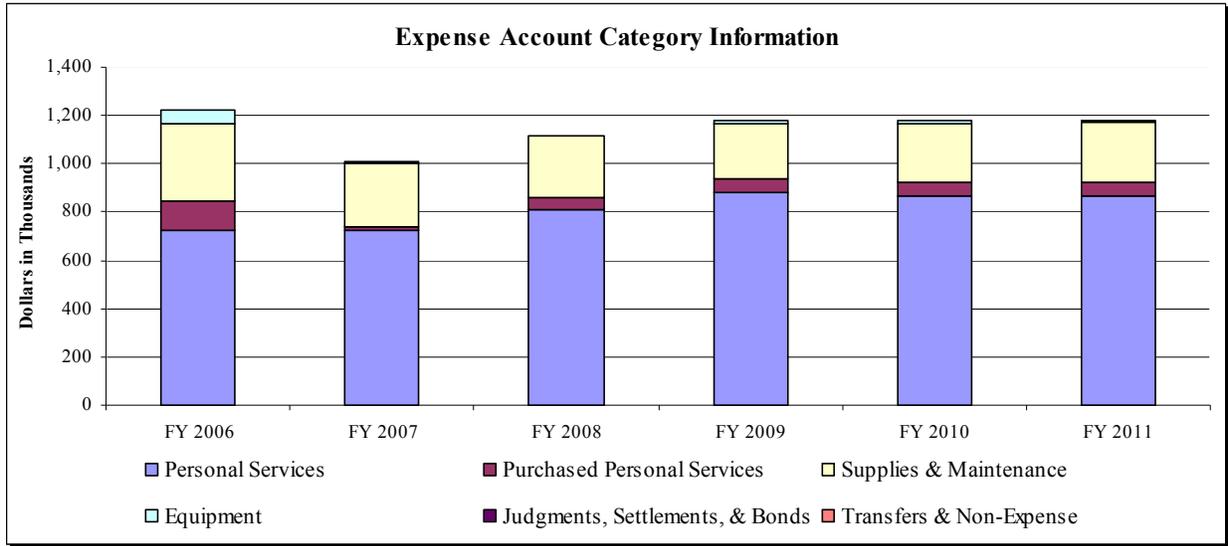
- Protect and serve the citizens of Ohio by effectively and efficiently regulating the licensed practice of counseling, social work, and marriage and family therapy in the State of Ohio through the licensing of qualified practitioners, establishing standards for counselors, social workers, and marriage and family therapists, providing educational programs, and enforcing the laws and rules governing the practice.
- Inform the citizens of Ohio, licensees, and applicants that protection of the public is the primary purpose of the board.
- Process efficiently and effectively new applications for licensure as counselors, social workers, or marriage and family therapists.
- Renew existing licensees efficiently and effectively upon application.
- Protect the public through promulgation of the standards of conduct and investigate all complaints against licensees.

Summary of Budget History and Recommendations



(In Thousands) BUDGET FUND GROUP	ACTUAL			% CHANGE		RECOMMENDED			
	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 2008	EST. FY 2009	FY 08-09	FY 2010	% CHANGE	FY 2011	% CHANGE
General Services	1,224	1,009	1,117	1,180	5.6	1,180	0.0	1,180	0.0
TOTAL	1,224	1,009	1,117	1,180	5.6	1,180	0.0	1,180	0.0

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(In Thousands) EXPENSE ACCOUNT CATEGORY	ACTUAL			EST.	% CHANGE	RECOMMENDED			
	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2009	FY 08-09	FY 2010	% CHANGE	FY 2011	% CHANGE
Personal Services	726	726	808	881	9.0	866	-1.7	866	0.0
Purchased Personal Services	123	15	53	54	2.4	57	4.6	57	0.0
Supplies & Maintenance	313	263	256	228	-10.9	240	5.4	251	4.4
Equipment	61	5	1	17	2,141.9	17	0.0	6	-64.0
Judgments, Settlements, & Bonds	0	0	0	1	100.0	0	-100.0	0	0.0
Transfers & Non-Expense	0	0	0	0	-100.0	1	100.0	1	0.0
TOTAL	1,224	1,009	1,117	1,180	5.6	1,180	0.0	1,180	0.0

PROGRAM SERIES 01: Regulation

This program series ensures the health, safety, and general welfare of the citizens of the state through oversight of the regulated profession.

Program 01.01: License/Registration/Enforcement

This program includes all operations of the Counselor, Social Worker, and Marriage and Family Therapist Board.

The Executive Recommendation will fund the following objectives:

- Maintain operations of the board with the goal of protection of the public;
- Processing of more than 3,000 new license applications, 14,000 license renewal applications, 700 continuing education program applications, and 300 continuing education provider applications per fiscal year;
- Investigation of more than 200 complaints per fiscal year; and
- Tracking of more than 3,000 licensing examination requests and results, more than 3,000 transcripts, and more than 4,000 supervision documents per fiscal year.

FUND				RECOMMENDED	
GROUP	FUND	ALI	ALI NAME	FY 2010	FY 2011
GSF	4K90	899609	Operating	1,179,774	1,179,774
TOTAL FOR PROGRAM				1,179,774	1,179,774

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FUND	ALI	ALI NAME	FY 2006 ACTUAL	FY 2007 ACTUAL	FY 2008 ACTUAL	FY 2009 ESTIMATE	FY 2010 RECOMMENDED	% CHANGE	FY 2011 RECOMMENDED	% CHANGE
4K90	899609	Operating	1,224,210	1,008,984	1,117,171	1,179,774	1,179,774	0.0	1,179,774	0.0
TOTAL General Services			1,224,210	1,008,984	1,117,171	1,179,774	1,179,774	0.0	1,179,774	0.0
TOTAL Counselor, Social Worker, and Marriage and Family Therapist Board			1,224,210	1,008,984	1,117,171	1,179,774	1,179,774	0.0	1,179,774	0.0