



# THE HELP PROGRAM



## OUR PROGRAMS

**The Human Services Employment Ladder Program (HELP)** is an eight-week Human Services training program that prepares participants to become entry-level Direct Support Professionals in the field of Human Services. Through the HELP program graduates become qualified to fill the increasing need for caring, professional workers in community residences, shelters, day programs and other Human Services settings. The HELP program can be transferred to college credits.

### GRADUATES CAN BECOME:

- Residential Counselors
- Program Monitors
- Vocational Counselors
- Developmental Specialists
- Teacher's Assistants
- Recovery Specialists
- Group Care Workers
- Relief Support Staff
- Family Partners
- Community Support Workers

### PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS:

- Candidates must be over the age of 20
- Candidates must have a high school diploma or GED.
- Candidates must be interested in helping others.
- Candidates must be willing to commit to 2nd, 3rd, weekend and holiday shift schedules.
- Candidates must have a minimum of 6th grade reading and math skills.
- Must pass academic, ethical and computer screening.

**APPLICATIONS ARE AVAILABLE BY  
EMAIL: [MPIRES@GOODWILLMASS.ORG](mailto:MPIRES@GOODWILLMASS.ORG)**

**Next class is starting January 2021**  
Information sessions are held virtually until spots are filled.

**To register please contact  
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