You’ll Need a Social Worker...

When you come into the world too soon
When you can’t find anyone to play with
When you are left home alone
When you hate the new baby
When you don’t think your teacher likes you
When you are bullied
When you don’t want mommy and daddy to divorce
When you miss your big brother
When you don’t like how the neighbor touches you
When you get into fights at school
When you don’t make the team
When your best friend moves away
When you get poor grades
When you always fight with your siblings
When your friends pressure you to get high
When you can’t adjust to the move
When you can’t talk to your parents
When you want to quit school
When your friends don’t like you anymore
When you didn’t want this baby
When you feel like running away
When your friend swallows an overdose
When you are the only one that thinks you’re fat
When you can’t find someone who speaks your language
When you can’t forget the assault
When you can’t decide on a career
When your family pressures you to marry
When your boss is hitting on you
When you can’t stick to a budget
When you want to adopt
When you wonder if you are drinking too much
When you can’t find good day care
When you think you are neglecting your kids
When you are hated because of who you are
When you lose your baby
When your community has gang problems
When your kids want to live with your ex
When your partner is unfaithful
When you want to meet your birthparent
When your child with a disability needs friends
When your step-kids hate you
When your mother won’t speak to you
When you just can’t face moving again
When your spouse wants a divorce
When you want to be a foster parent
When your city officials don’t respond
When your best friend has panic attacks
When you find drugs in your son’s room
When your job is eliminated
When you spouse is deployed.
When your mother-in-law wants to move in
When your neighborhood needs a community center
When you find there is no joy in your life
When your car accident destroys your career
When you sponsor a refugee family
When your legislature passes a bad law
When your brother won’t help care for dad
When your partner has a mid life crisis
When you are stressed by menopause
When your mom gets Alzheimer’s
When you are caring for parents and children
When you want to change careers
When you lose your home in a fire
When you are angry all the time
When your nest really empties
When your partner insists you retire
When you can't afford respite care
When you can’t find a job and you’re sixty
When your kids demand you move in with them
When your daughter suddenly dies
When you are scared about living alone
When you can’t drive any more
When your children ignore your medical decisions
When your retirement check won’t pay the bills
When you learn you have a terminal illness
When you need a nursing home

Life’s Challenges - Social Workers Are There For You!

© 2001 Darlene Lynch and Robert Vernon. For free distribution permission information visit: http://hsmedia.biz