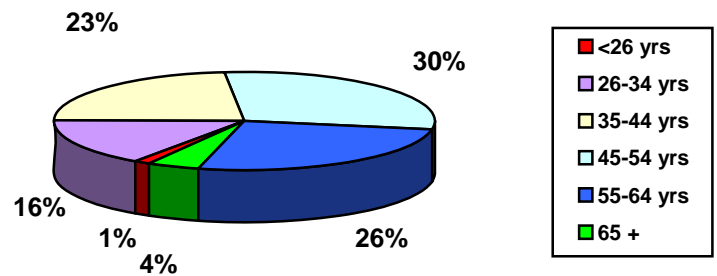


## Texas (n = 223)<sup>1</sup>

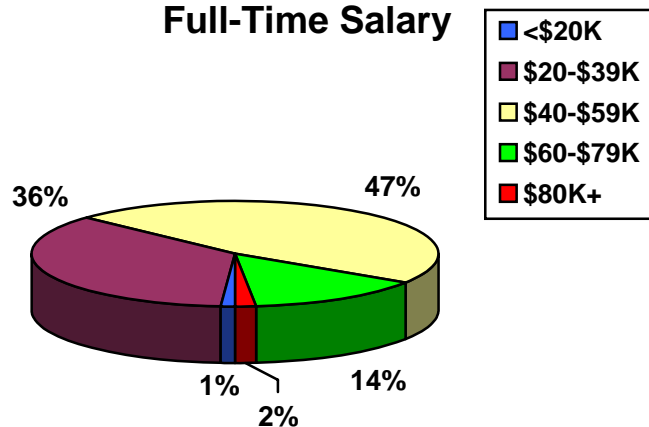
- Sixty percent of social work respondents in Texas are over 44 years of age, with the majority (30%) ranging from 45-54 years old.
- Seventy percent of Texas respondents are white. Sixteen percent are Hispanic, and 13 percent are black.

### Age



- The majority of respondents in Texas hold a master's degree as their highest social work degree (80%). Five percent hold a doctorate.
- Respondents were asked to identify their primary practice setting for employment. The three most frequently selected categories were hospital/medical center (13%), social service agency (12%), and private solo practice (11%).

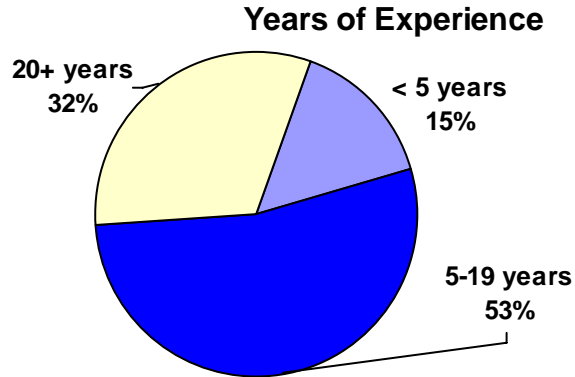
### Full-Time Salary



- The majority (47%) of respondents in Texas earn between \$40,000 and \$59,000 annually for full-time work. However, 37 percent earn less than \$40,000 per year and sixteen percent earn \$60,000 or more annually.

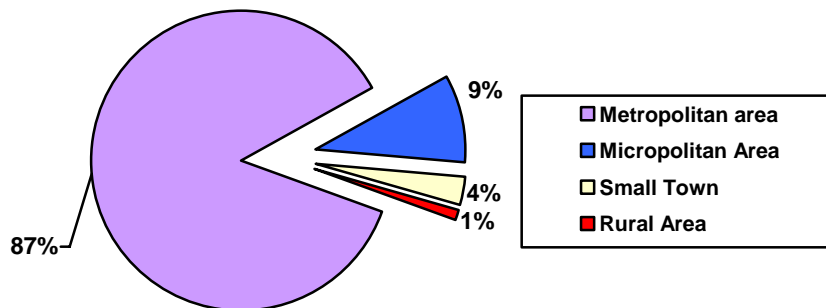
<sup>1</sup> This information is based on the results of the 2004 NASW National Survey of Licensed Social Workers. The total number of responses received was 4,487. Two hundred and twenty-three (223) of the respondents were from the state of Texas.

- The majority (53%) of respondents in Texas have five to 19 years of experience. Nearly a third have 20+ years of experience.



- The majority of Texas respondents (36%) are employed in a private for-profit setting. An additional third are employed in a private non-profit setting. Twenty percent are employed in government settings, primarily state government.

**Location of Primary Work Setting**



- The majority of social workers in Texas are employed in a metropolitan area (87%).
- Nearly a quarter (25%) identified Mental Health as their primary practice area, followed by Child Welfare/Family (17%), Health (14%), and Aging (10%).

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