



# ALISON COUNSELOR

**LAKEVIEW COUNSELING,**  
**PEACE RANCH,**  
**NORTHWEST EDUCATION**  
**SERVICES**



What is the  
EAGALA model?

## CORE TASKS

- Work with parents to identify needs behind children's behaviors and their own needs
- How to meet those needs while strengthening family bonds
- Helping families and students overcome trauma
- Using play-based or equine therapy to help youth share what they are feeling

## OUTLOOK



**Increase in  
job demand**

Check out other  
occupations like  
**Family Engagement  
Specialist or School  
At-Risk Counselor**



## ANNUAL SALARY RANGE

**\$32,640–\$80,960**

**MICHIGAN**



**\$32,640–\$77,330**

**NORTHWESTERN  
MICHIGAN**

• Salary information from O\*net

### What Alison loves about her jobs:

**The variety, no two families are the same, and I like getting to meet new people and helping them to live their best lives.**

**I like the variety of my three positions—one is office based, one is nature based, and the third is home based, with school observations as well.**

### HIGH SCHOOL CAREER TECH OPTIONS



- Charlevoix Emmet ISD Career Tech Programs: Health Occupations
- Northwest Education Services Career Tech Center: Teacher Academy, Allied Health, Early Childhood Education
- Wexford Missaukee ISD Career Tech Center: Allied Health

### COUNSELORS HAVE A MASTERS DEGREE

- Kirtland Community College
- North Central Michigan College
- Northwestern Michigan College
- Westshore Community College
- University Center (NMC):
  - Central Michigan University (Education)
  - Ferris State University (Social Work Bachelors)
  - Ferris State University (Social Work Masters)

### FOCUSING ON CAREERS NEAR YOU



**Northwestern  
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