

Programme Specific Outcomes for M.A. Social Work (PSOs.)

PSO 1:

To impart education and training in professional social work in order to provide manpower in social welfare, development and allied fields capable of working at various levels of micro, meso and macro systems

PSO 2:

To help students develop knowledge, skills, attitudes and values appropriate to the practices of social work profession.

PSO 3:

To enable students develop creative thinking and ability to apply theoretical knowledge in practice of social work.

PSO 4:

To facilitate interdisciplinary approach for better understanding of social problems, situations and issues of development.

Course Specific Outcomes for M.A. (Social Work)

(No of courses offered: 36)

SW 6101: NATURE AND DEVELOPMENT OF SOCIAL WORK

CO 1:

Familiarize students to the core values and philosophy of social work profession and enable them to imbibe these values into their professional self.

CO 2:

Enable students to understand and differentiate social work and other related terms.

CO 3:

Understand the context of emergence of social work as a profession.

CO 4:

Understand the nature of Social work practice in different settings

SW 6102: SOCIOLOGICAL CONCEPTS AND CONTEMPORARY CONCERNS

CO 1:

Understand basic sociological concepts and social formations

CO 2:

Develop skills to analyse and understand Indian society

CO 3:

Learn to apply sociological insight and approaches in social work practice

SW 6103: HUMAN BEHAVIOUR AND SOCIAL ENVIRONMENT

CO 1:

Understand the nature and development of human behaviour in socio-cultural context.

CO 2:

Develop a critical perspective of the theories of human behaviour and personality.

CO 3:

Learn to apply concepts and theories of psychology in social work practice.

SW 6104: STATE, POLITICAL ECONOMY AND GOVERNANCE

CO 1:

Gain an understanding of the evolution of state and subsequently the welfare state by critically examining the concept of representative democracy and constitutional foundations of Indian State

CO 2:

Understand the political and economic systems and processes by analyzing governance issues- local, regional, state, national level specially with regard to marginalized and vulnerable.

SW 6105: SOCIAL WORK WITH COMMUNITIES

CO 1:

To understand and analyse community as a dynamic entity

CO 2:

To comprehend the concept, context and strategies of community work

CO 3:

To develop commitment to the cause of the people on the margins

SW 6201: SOCIAL WORK WITH INDIVIDUALS

CO 1:

Understand social casework as a method of social work practice.

CO 2:

Develop capacity to understand and accept the uniqueness of individuals and work towards strengthening personality of clients by fostering skills of self-help.

CO 3:

Understand the process involved in social work in individualized situations.

CO 4:

Develop self-awareness and skills in working with individual clients as well as family systems.

SW 6202: SOCIAL WORK WITH GROUPS

CO 1:

Develop understanding of group work as a method of professional social work

CO 2:

Gain insight into various dimensions of group processes and group work practice

CO 3:

Develop competencies for working with groups in diverse settings.

SW 6203: RESEARCH IN SOCIAL WORK: QUANTITATIVE APPROACHES

CO 1:

Understand the application of scientific methods in furthering knowledge base of social work.

CO 2:

Understand the nature, scope and significance of research in social work practice.

CO 3:

Develop competence in conceptualizing, designing and implementing research using quantitative paradigms and techniques.

SW 6204: SOCIAL ACTION AND SOCIAL MOVEMENTS

CO 1:

Imbibe values and commitment for the people on the margins

CO 2:

Understand the concepts relevant for application of social action and social movement in responding to the critical social reality

CO 3:

Apprise and develop skills in the use of various approaches and techniques relevant to social action and movements

SW 6205: RESEARCH IN SOCIAL WORK: QUALITATIVE APPROACHES

CO 1:

Understand the role of qualitative methods of research in social work theory building and practice enhancement.

CO 2:

Understand the nature and application of alternative research paradigms in a practice profession like social work.

CO 3:

Develop skills in conceptualizing, designing and executing qualitative research studies.

SW 6301: ADMINISTRATION OF WELFARE AND DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

CO 1:

Develop understanding of social welfare administration as a method of social work profession.

CO 2:

Understand various components of social welfare administration.

CO 3:

Acquire competence in the administration of social welfare and development services.

SW 6302: SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT

CO 1:

Understand concepts of social justice and empowerment

CO 2:

Understand empowerment processes for the marginalized sections of the society

CO 3:

Critically examine legal mechanisms available for different vulnerable groups

CO 4:

Understand social situations, protective and promotive programmes for specific vulnerable groups

SW 6303: SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT

CO 1:

Critically understand the concept, strategies and process of social development.

CO 2:

Understand linkages between social needs, problems, development issues, and policies.

CO 3:

Develop skills necessary for development interventions and inculcate values of social justice and equality.

SW 6401: MANAGEMENT OF DEVELOPMENT ORGANISATIONS

CO 1:

Understand the nature and context of development organizations as civil society initiatives

CO 2:

Develop skills in planning and management of civil society organizations

CO 3:

Understand contemporary development discourses and suitable strategies

SW 6402: HUMAN RIGHTS AND SOCIAL WORK PRACTICE

CO 1:

Understand the context of Human Rights and the emergence of rights based perspective in social work practice

CO 2:

Apply human rights framework for understanding issues and concerns affecting society

CO 3:

Develop knowledge and skills required in working for a just society

CO 4:

Develop appropriate attitudes and commitment required to work for a just and equitable society

SW 6403: SOCIAL POLICY

CO 1:

Develop an understanding of the nature of social policy in the cultural /social political, economic context.

CO 2:

Acquire knowledge of policy analysis and policy formulation processes

CO 3:

Develop critical insights into the working of policies-identifying conceptual and operational lacunae.

CO 4:

Examine intervention strategies and their application to wider situations- study best practices in policy intervention.

SW 7101: URBAN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

CO 1:

Understanding urban communities and urban planning and development.

CO 2:

Develop sensitivity and commitment to the rights of vulnerable groups in urban communities.

CO 3:

Develop skills necessary for community development work in urban settings.

SW 7103: ORGANISATIONAL BEHAVIOUR AND EMPLOYEE DEVELOPMENT

CO 1:

Develop understanding of industrial organisations and organisational behaviour

CO 2:

Provide requisite legal base to deal with issues related to human resources

CO 3:

Learn the processes and concerns for employee development in the context of globalisation

CO 4:

Develop appropriate skills and competencies in managing human resources.

SW 7104: SOCIAL DEFENCE AND CORRECTIONAL SERVICES

CO 1:

Develop understanding of the concept and philosophy of social defence and correctional services.

CO 2:

Develop practice skills in prevention, correction and rehabilitation work in social defence.

CO 3:

Understand the philosophy, approaches and relevance of community based programmes in social defense.

SW 7201: HEALTHCARE SOCIAL WORK PRACTICE

CO 1:

Understand the changing concept of health as an aspect of social development.

CO 2:

Develop a critical perspective of healthcare services and programmes in the context of health scenario in the country.

CO 3:

Gain understanding of relevance, domains and nature of social work intervention in different health settings.

SW 7202: SOCIAL WORK WITH FAMILIES AND CHILDREN

CO 1:

Understand families as social systems and factors affecting family functioning

CO 2:

Comprehend the significance of child development and rights of children

CO 3:

Acquaint with the policies, programmes and services related to family and children

CO 4:

Develop skills of working with family systems and children

SW 7203: SOCIAL WORK WITH PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES

CO 1:

Understand issues and concerns related to persons with disability and their caregivers

CO 2:

Critically appraise theoretical and conceptual perspective with regard to disability and appropriate sources of research evidence in order to inform effective assessment, decision making and interventions

CO 3:

Facilitate the integration and synthesis of theoretical concepts and social work tasks

SW 7204: OCCUPATIONAL SOCIAL WORK

CO 1:

Understand changing profile of industrial and non-industrial workers

CO 2:

Provide an understanding of working conditions and conditions of work as well as workers' problems

CO 3:

Provide an insight on problems of unorganised workforce, social security measures and welfare issues to work related issues

CO 4:

Learn social work response to workplace interventions for workers' welfare

SW 7301: RURAL COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

CO 1:

Understand social structure, social relations and institutions in rural communities

CO 2:

Develop sensitivity, commitment, and skills to influence critical issues in rural communities

CO 3:

Understand the policies, programmes and approaches of rural community development

SW 7303: ENVIRONMENT AND SOCIAL WORK

CO 1:

Gain insight about environmental problems and challenges in the global and national context.

CO 2:

Develop critical understanding of environmental policies, legislations and programmes.

CO 3:

Understand the strategies and approaches of environment management

CO 4:

Develop skills of social work intervention in the protection and promotion of the environment.

SW 7304: HIV/AIDS AND SOCIAL WORK PRACTICE

CO 1:

Understand HIV/AIDS pandemic as a health and development issue

CO 2:

Understand the social dimension of HIV/AIDS and learn to deal with its consequences in the best interest of People Living with HIV/AIDS (PLHA)

CO 3:

Learn different prevention strategies for general population as well as people at higher risk of HIV infection

CO 4:

Learn social work profession's response to HIV/AIDS and PLHA

SW 7401: SOCIAL WORK AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT

CO 1:

Develop understanding of disasters and disaster management

CO 2:

Acquire a critical perspective of the policy framework, institutional structures and programmes for disaster management in India

CO 3:

Understand the process and techniques of empowering communities in disaster preparedness and mitigation

CO 4:

Learn the nature and scope of psychosocial care in disaster management

SW 7402: CONFLICT MITIGATION AND PEACE BUILDING

CO 1:

Understand situations of conflict, violence and conflict zones from across the world

CO 2:

Learn to intervene from early warning to post-conflict reconstruction and restoration

SW 7403: GENDER AND DEVELOPMENT

CO 1:

Understand the social construction of gender

CO 2:

Develop gender perspectives in analyzing social realities

CO 3:

Understand gender and development approaches and strategies with specific reference to India.

SW 7404: COUNSELLING THEORY AND PRACTICE

CO 1:

Understand the nature and goals of counselling as a helping process

CO 2:

Understand the theoretical base underlying counselling practice

CO 3:

Learn to apply counselling skills while working with clients in various settings

CO 4:

Develop attitudes and inculcate values that enhance investment of self in the counselor's role.