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MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK (MSW)

PROGRAMME OUTCOMES (PO)

On completion of the Post graduate programme, the student is expected to attain the

following learning outcomes

PO No	Graduate Program Outcomes
	Develops the foundations of social work practice by providing the theoretical
PO 1	input on the philosophy, values, methods, fields and approaches of human
	service profession and human resource management.
	Sensitization about the contemporary socio-economic and cultural realties
PO 2	through field based learning and proficiency in helping skills and effective
	intervention strategies.
PO 3	Develops a professional approach in addressing human societal needs and
PO 3	becomes effective and efficient change agents in the social milieu.
PO 4	Develops an insight into one's professional self and purposive use of the
PO 4	same in professional practice through integral transformative practices.
PO 5	Sharpens the learners' skills in conceptualization, scientific assessment,
FO 3	analysis & interpretation and planning & intervention.

PROGRAMME SPECIFIC OUTCOMES (PSO)

PSO No	Intended Programme Specific Outcomes
PSO1	Introduction to basic psychological concepts for social work practice
PSO2	Providing knowledge and skill for practicing case work and group work in different settings
PS03	Understands the application of counselling
PS04	Develops skills in application of Development communication for social change
PS05	Provides knowledge and skills in research and statistics for social work practice



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Name of the Course	Course Outcome
	CO1 Understands the basic concepts of sociology and its
	different dimensions.
	CO2 Applies the concepts of sociology in Social Work
	practice.
	CO3 Analyzes different dimensions of prevailing social
Social Sciences For Social	issues in India.
Work	CO4 Recognizes the linkage of social issues and the design
	of social work interventions.
	CO5 Understands basic economic concepts and the economic
	situation in India.
	CO6 Appraises the effect of national/global economy on
	social life in a society
	CO1 Demonstrates knowledge of the major influences in
	human development.
	CO2 Learns the structure and function of the brain.
	CO3 Understands the developmental changes in various
	developmental stages across the life span.
Human Growth And	CO4 Analyzes the importance of developmental
Development	psychology in social work practice and be able to link with
	real life situations
	CO5 Ability to identify the use of theoretical concepts in
	lifespan stages in social work practice
	CO6 Understands the theories related to human
	development
	CO1 Understands the history of social work approaches
	with respect to underlying ideologies and philosophies.
	CO 2 Appreciates social work as a profession and
History, Philosophy and	recognizes the need and importance of Social Work
Fields Of Social Work	Education, Training and Practice.
	CO3 Identifies the importance of professional values and
	ethics in social work practice.
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	CO4 Understands different fields of social work
	intervention and the issues and concerns of social work
	practice in India.
	CO5 Understands the social movements and role of social
	reformers in social welfare.
	CO6 Understands the present issues faced by social work
	profession.
	CO1 Understands Social Case Work as a method of Social
	Work and applies it as an intervention method.
	CO2 Demonstrates knowledge of the values and Principles
	of Social Case Work and develops the capacity to practice
	them.
Social Work Practice	CO3 Acquires the required skills for practicing social case
With Individuals	work.
	CO4 Demonstrates ability to adopt a multi- dimensional
	approach in assessment.
	CO 4 Ability to document and social case work practice.
	CO5 Applies social case work method in various settings.
	CO1 Displays an in depth knowledge about the community
	organization process.
	CO2 Understands the use and practice of community
	organization in various fields of social work.
	CO3 Understands the role of social worker in social action
Social Work Practice	and social reform for social development.
With Communities	CO4 Ability to undertake social audit, social impact
	assessments
	CO5 Able to analyze ongoing community organization
	programmes.
	CO6 Identities the emerging trends and experiments in
	community organization
	CO1 Understanding a community in terms of its
Field Practicum 1	geographical, social, economic and political systems, power



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str	uctures and their inter-relationships based on the theoretical
un	derstanding obtained from the courses in the semester.
C	O2 Understands and practices the values and code of ethics
of	professional social work practice
an	d familiarizes with the principles of social work;
C	O3 Develops understanding of the assumptions,
pri	inciples, phases and models of community organization.
C	O4 Knowledge of the structure and function of the
de	centralized governance system and various institutions in
the	e community.
C	O5 Demonstrates professional rapport building skills with
the	e people in the community
C	06 Demonstrates skills in social analysis and need
ass	sessment, program planning, implementation and evaluation
fra	me work in a community setting.
C	07 Demonstrates oral, written and presentation skills of
со	mmunication in a community context.

Name of the Course	Course Outcome
	CO1 Understands the fundamentals of human behavior
	CO2 Demonstrates knowledge of classification and
	overview of psychological disorders.
	CO3 Develops insight about the theories of human
Introduction To	personality
Abnormal And Social Psychology	CO4 Demonstrates knowledge of concepts theories of social
	psychology
	CO5 Learns to analyse individual behaviour in social
	context.
	CO6 Learns to analyze the group behaviour in social context
Counselling And	CO1 Understands the process, skills required and the
Psychotherapy	principles to be followed in helping individuals



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	CO2 Acquires knowledge of the theoretical and therapeutic
	approaches in counselling and Psychotherapies
	CO3 Demonstrates knowledge and skills in the process and
	techniques of Counselling and Psychotherapies
	CO4 Demonstrates skills for ethical practice of counselling
	with different clients in various settings
	CO5 Understands the concepts of Psychotherapy and
	various psychotherapeutic techniques
	CO6 Demonstrates knowledge of skills and techniques of
	various psychotherapeutic interventions
	CO1 Demonstrates professionalism in their behavior
	CO2 Demonstrates skills in critical reflection in personal
	and professional practice contexts
	CO3 Displays knowledge and competence in life skills
Professional Skills For	CO4 Demonstrates skills in communication
Social Workers	CO5 Able to document social work practice in respective
	domain areas
	CO6 Displays competence in management of teams and
	leadership in the practice context
	CO1 Understands Social Group Work as a method of Social
	Work and applies it as an intervention method.
	CO2 Demonstrates skills to apply the method for
	development and therapeutic work
	CO3 Understands the scope of Social Group Work in
Social Work Practice	different settings.
With Groups	CO4 Understands group work as an instrument of
	change/development in individual in groups
	CO5 Develops skills to work with different stages and
	record the process
	CO6 Displays therapeutic skills for Group Work practice
Social Work Research	CO1 Develops an understanding about the scientific
And Statistics	approach to human inquiry
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	CO2 Understands Social research as a method of social
	work and develops the appropriate skills to effectively
	implement the research methods and techniques in the field.
	CO3 Demonstrates skills in literature search
	CO4 Able to design research proposals
	CO5 Understands the relevance and ability to carry out
	appropriate statistical analysis in social work research.
	CO6 Independently evaluates different methodological
	approaches within qualitative research
	CO1 Understands the functioning of a structured
	setting/agency – Primary or Secondary
	(e.g., a school, a hospital, or an institution providing services
	for people with inability, social, 'physical or mental)
	CO2 Understands in depth application of Social Work
	methods in dealing with individuals (case work) and groups
	(group work)
Field Practicum 2	CO3 Develops the ability to do interventions ensuring
	clients' participation.
	CO4 Becomes familiar with the method of social work
	research through field level application
	CO5 Develops skill in writing academic articles based on
	practice experience.
	CO6 Develops the skill in recording
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	CO1 Understands in detail the nature, approaches and
	strategies of development projects
Planning And	CO2 Learns to analyze systematic approach to programme
Implementation Of	planning.
Development Projects	CO3 Develops an understanding of the changing trends in
	participatory programme planning approach in government
	and NGOs.



	CO4 Demonstrates skills to handle various phases of
	Development projects
	CO5 Understands the concepts of financial management of
	a project
	CO6 Able to write project proposals
	CO1 Develops understanding of the evolution of
	administration as a science and as a method in Social Work
	Practice.
	CO2 Develops understanding and appreciate the utility of
	the administrative structures, processes and procedures in an
Administration Of	organization.
Human Service	CO3 Acquires knowledge and skills in the use of different
Organizations	management techniques in HSO.
	CO4 Develops an understanding of elements of
	management and
	CO5 Understands concepts in organizational management.
	CO6 Acquires knowledge of the concept of social
	marketing and its scope in social work practice.
Specialization Papers	CO1 Understands the concepts of rural and urban
	community development and the strategies and approaches for
Group 1- Community Development	Rural & Urban Development.
	CO2 Understands the problems and issues of People in
	Rural/Urban/ Tribal/Costal settings in India and the various
	governmental programmes and interventions in these settings.
1.1 Rural & Urban	CO3 Studies the functioning of rural and urban local self-
Community Development	government (LSG) and cooperative institutions and their
	contribution towards Rural and Urban Development
	CO4 Studies the role of Civil Society and NGOS in Rural and
	Urban Development
1.2 Environment And	CO1 Develops perspectives about the interrelatedness of
Disaster Management	human life and environment.



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	CO2 Develops an understanding of problems arising out of	
	environmental degradation and globalization.	
	CO3 Studies the role of social work practice in tackling	
	environmental issues and disaster management.	
	CO1 Understands the concept of health and integrated	
	approach to health in the context of Development.	
	CO2 Learns to critically analyze plans and policies/services in	
1.3 Community Health	health and implications for social work practice.	
For Development	CO3 Demonstrates knowledge on concepts of Community	
Practice	Health, community participation, vital indicators and	
	demographic data of health	
	CO4 Develops skills for intervention in community health	
	sector	
Specialization papers	CO1 Understands family as a social institution and the	
Group 2: Family and	different conceptual frameworks for understanding	
Child welfare	marriage and family	
2.1 Social Work Practice	CO2 Demonstrates an understanding of family Social	
With Families	Work.	
	CO3 Familiarizes with family life education programmes.	
	CO4 Develops knowledge and skills of Family Therapy.	
	CO5 Develops an understanding of Various Settings of	
	family practice	
	CO6 Gets acquainted with the various programmes for the	
	welfare and development of the family.	
	CO1 Learns to analyze the needs of children in various	
	circumstances	
2.2 Policies And	CO2 Comprehensive understanding of legal provisions for	
	children in India	
Programmes For Children And Youth	CO3 Comprehensive understanding of schemes and programs	
	in India to facilitate application in fieldwork.	
	CO4 Learns to analyze the needs and challenges faced by	
	youth	



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	CO5 Comprehensive understanding of legal provisions,	
	schemes and programs for youths in India	
	CO6 Application of knowledge and skills in working with	
	youth	
	CO1 Comprehensive understanding of basic demographic	
	elements, measures and its applications in field of family and	
	child welfare	
	CO2 Learns to analyze the transition of population dynamics	
	and its implications on family and households in order to aid	
	assessments of individual cases	
	CO3 Learns the critical evaluation of population programs	
	and policies in India and in the global context to develop	
2.3 Population Dynamics	perspectives and synthesizes in framing programs/ activities	
and reproductive child	in fieldwork.	
health	CO4 Comprehensive understanding of RMNCH Programs in	
	India to aid in field work practicum	
	CO4 Learns to analyze factors leading to reproductive ill	
	health burden in community and to develop programmes to	
	address them effectively	
	CO5 Building professional skills and technical know-how to	
	construct new IEC materials for propagation of RMNCH and	
	Family Welfare	
Specialization papers	CO1 Acquires understanding on the evolution of psychiatry	
	and attitude towards mental illness.	
Group 3: Medical &	CO2 Demonstrates knowledge and skills of assessment in	
psychiatric social work	mental health settings.	
	CO3 Demonstrates knowledge of clinical psychopathology.	
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3.1 Clinical assessment	and treatment of mental health disorders in children,	
and diagnosis of	adolescents and adults.	
psychiatric disorders		
	CO5 Acquires knowledge of Socio-Cultural Factors	
	influencing mental health.	



	CO6 Develop a critical understanding of Mental Health
	Policies.
	CO1 Develops an understanding of the holistic concept of
	Health.
	CO2 Understands and analyzes different health problems in
	India
	CO3 Assesses the scope of social work methods in medical
3.2 Social work in the	settings.
field of health	CO4 Demonstrates skills for interventions in medical social
	work practice.
	CO5 Understands the role and functions of a medical social
	worker in various settings
	CO6 Learns to analyze the standards of social work practice
	in health setting.
	CO1 Understands the concept of health and integrated
	approach to health in the context of Development.
	CO2 Learns to critically analyze plans and policies/services in
3.3 Health care	health and implications for social work practice.
administration and	CO3 Demonstrates knowledge on concepts of Community
community health	Health, community participation, vital indicators and
	demographic data of health
	CO4 Develops skills for intervention in community health
	sector
	CO1 Understands the administrative structure and
	functioning of the agency.
	CO2 Becomes familiar with the policies, laws and
	government programmes applicable to the client systems of
FIELD PRACTICUM 3	the agency
	CO3 Becomes familiar with the approaches and
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	intervention strategies in the development sector
	CO4 Develops the skill in using PRA techniques in the
	setting



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CO5 Develops skills in intervention at organizational /
community level ensuring people's participation

Name of the Course	Course Outcome
	CO1 Understands the Indian Legal System and its
	functioning.
	CO2 Understands and appreciates the Indian Constitution
	with particular emphasis on the Fundamental Rights and
	Directive Principles.
	CO3 Understands the nature of social legislation and the
Social Legislation and	various
Human Rights	CO4 learns to explain the salient features of legislations for
	family, women, children and other marginalized groups.
	CO5 Learns the concept of social policy and demonstrates
	skills in social policy analysis.
	CO6 Demonstrates skills of using legal procedures to
	defend the human rights of various marginalized groups
	CO1 Understands the concept of gerontology and
	approaches to ageing
	CO2 Learns to analyze the process and issues of ageing
	CO3 Learns to analyze policies and programmes for elderly
Gerentological Social	in India.
Work	CO4 Demonstrates skills in working with elderly
	CO5 Demonstrates knowledge and skills for interventions
	in Gerentological Social Work
	CO6 Learns to explain and analyze institutional and non-
	institutional services for elderly
Specialization Papers	CO1 An understanding of the strategic issues and
	organizational challenges in Human Resource Management
Group 1- Community	CO2 Relevant management competencies, leadership skills
development	and analytical capabilities in HR management



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	CO3 Insight into the different strategies and approaches		
	commonly adopted in Development Practise		
	CO4 An appreciation of the issues of managing changes in		
1.1 Human Resource	Human Resource Management.		
Management for	CO5 Access to a strong network and connections within the		
Development Practice	sector		
	CO6 Confidence to pursue a career in the Human Resource		
	Management sector		
	CO1 Understands critical perspectives on various dimensions		
	of		
	development		
1 2 Economia	CO2 Applies appropriate strategies and models in their		
1.2 Economic	development		
Development: Theory	practice		
and Practice	CO3 Demonstrates skills to quantify the development		
	outcomes for strategic development planning		
	CO4 Evolves new strategies and models for achieving		
	sustainable development goals		
Specialization Papers	CO1 Understands and demonstrates skills in working with		
Group 2- Family and	families		
child welfare	CO2 Understands and manages sexual dysfunctions		
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2.1 Therapeutic	partners		
Interventions in the field	CO4 Applies therapeutic techniques with children		
of Family and Child	CO5 Understands and manages autism spectrum disorders		
Welfare	and child sexual abuse		
2.2 Social Work in	CO1 Understands the basics of child mental health and		
	issues of children		
Education	CO2 Develops knowledge of the history of social work in		
	schools.		
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	CO3 Demonstrates knowledge and skills to work in
	educational settings.
	CO4 Able to deliver life skills education.
	CO5 Understands the multiple levels and systems operating
	to define schools and ways social workers can effectively
	practice at these various levels and within these systems.
Specialization Papers	CO1 Able to apply psychosocial Treatment Methods for
Group 3- Medical and	persons with Mental and Emotional Disorders.
Psychiatric social work	CO2 Understands Institutional approaches to provision of
3.1 Social Work	Mental Health Services.
Interventions in the field	CO3 Demonstrates knowledge and skill in the practice of
of Mental Health	Community Psychiatry and Rehabilitation.
	CO1 Understands the basics of child mental health and
	issues of children.
	CO2 Develops knowledge of the history of social work in
	schools.
3.2 School Mental Health	CO3 Demonstrates knowledge and skills to work in
and Social Work Practice	educational settings.
	CO4 Able to deliver life skills education.
	CO5 Understands the multiple levels and systems operating
	to define schools and ways social workers can effectively
	practice at these various levels and within these systems.
	CO1 Gains an in-depth knowledge of the specialization area
FIELD PRACTICUM 4	by working with an agency in the respective area.
FIELD FRACTICUM 4	CO2 Learns to practice adaptively all the methods of social
	work (both primary and secondary.
	CO1 Helps the student researcher to get an understanding
Dissertation / Project	about the steps in research and the application of the theory of
	research methodology in a systematic manner.
	CO1 The fourth and the last semester block
INTERNSHIP	placement is the culmination of practice training and
	the students are given preference to select their own



agency, based on their interest areas within the
framework of the specialization area.
CO2 This placement is meant to give them the
opportunity to work as professional Social Workers
and take up individual assignments and
responsibility.
CO3 Students could also take up job in an
organization and complete this requirement therein,
provided that the learning objectives could be ensured.
CO4 The focus is on 'integrated social work
practice', wherein the student is expected to practice
adaptively all the methods and skills with the expected
attitudinal disposition.
CO5 The tasks will depend on the agency and the
student initiative.
Student Initiative.