

**MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK COUNSELLING
(MSW(C) First Year)**

Assignment: 2022-2023

Course Titles

- MSW-001 : Origin and Development of Social Work**
MSW-002 : Professional Social Work: Indian Perspectives
MSW-005 : Social Work Practicum and Supervision
MSW-008 : Social Group Work: Working with Groups
**MSW-009 : Community Organization Management for
Community Development**

Last Date of Submission of Assignments to the Study Centre

July, 2022 Session – March 31, 2023

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Dear Learner,

Welcome to the MSWC (1st year) programme of IGNOU. You have purposefully chosen to become a post graduate in Social Work Counselling to contribute towards improving the social conditions of people. To successfully complete your MSWC program, kindly follow the following tips:

- Read the programme guide before you begin your studies. It will clarify most of your doubts regarding how to go about doing the MSW Program from IGNOU.
- Submit your assignments to the Study Centre on time.
- Be in touch with your Study Centre and Regional Centre
- Meet your Field Work Supervisor (FWS) at the Study Centre for Fieldwork Supervision
- Fill up the examination form on time.

Assignments are open book examination and we at IGNOU assign 30 per cent weightage to the assignment while calculating the overall grade for each course. **Assignments are to be handwritten and duly signed before its submission in the Study Centre.** In order to prepare a good set of assignment responses, you must first of all read the units) from which a particular question has been framed. Discuss with your peer-group and academic counselors who teach you. Prepare a draft, do the necessary correction on it and then, prepare the final version for submission to the Study Centre.

Make sure that each answer starts on a new page. For long and medium answers, ensure that there is an introduction, sub-titles, body and a conclusion. One line should be left between each paragraph. Make sure your answers are specific and in your own words and do not copy from books. Your answers will be exclusively based on the IGNOU materials only. Preparation of assignments is preparation for your term-end examination. Therefore take the assignments seriously.

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Origin and Development of Social Work ASSIGNMENT

Course Code: MSW-001

Total marks: 100

Note: (i) Answer all the **five** questions.

(ii) **All** questions carry **equal** marks.

(iii) Answers to question no. **1** and **2** should not exceed **600** words each.

1. Trace the development of social work practice in Middle East Countries. 20

OR

What is the NASW Code of Ethics? Explain the purpose of the NASW Code of Ethics. 20

2. Define Community Work. Explain how community work is relevant to social work with relevant examples. 20

OR

Explain Generalist practice. Give reasons as to why it is relevant in India. 20

3. Answer any two of the following questions in about 300 words each:

a) Write about the social work intervention in the South East Asia with special reference to Malaysia. 10

b) What are the advantages of offering social work through the Distance Mode. 10

c) Define Case work. What is the importance of case work in contemporary society. 10

d) Discuss the significance of Social Welfare Administration in your own words. 10

4. Write short notes on any four of the following in about 150 words each:

a) Briefly write about social work in a 'Postmodern Society' 5

b) Discuss the challenges in the development of the Global Standards in Social Work Education. 5

c) While conducting social work research what are the ethical safeguards that needs to be considered? 5

d) List the essential components of Social Action. Explain any one. 5

e) Explain Social Justice with relevant example. 5

f) Did social work in Africa contribute to a better society? Explain. 5

5. Write short notes on any five of the following in about 100 words each:

a) Any two difference between social welfare and social work 4

b) Any two common features of social work discipline in the Pacific Countries 4

c) Importance of Human Relationships as a value of social work 4

d) Objectives of Social Work 4

e) Advantages of Group Work 4

f) Friendly Visitors 4

g) Skidmore definition of Social Welfare Administration 4

h) Social Work Research 4

Professional Social Work: Indian Perspectives
ASSIGNMENT

Course Code: MSW-002
Total marks: 100

Note: (i) Answer all the **five** questions.

(ii) **All** questions carry **equal** marks.

(iii) Answers to question no. **1** and **2** should not exceed **600** words each.

- 1) How do you explore the history of social work in the initiatives of local rulers? 20
- Or
- Discuss the social work values, ideals and concepts inherent in Jainism. 20
- 2) Enlist the roles of social worker in policy formulation and development. 20
- Or
- Explain Gandhiji's constructive programme for the welfare of the society. 20
- 3) Answer any two of the following questions in about 300 words each:
- a) Discuss the initiative of the State in the field of Child Welfare. 10
- b) Explain main points of affinity between Hindu concepts, beliefs and values and those held by Professional Social Work. 10
- c) What are the major features of Gandhi's ideal society? 10
- d) Describe the various stages of establishment of various social work educational institutions in India. 10
- 4) Answer any four of the following questions in about 150 words each:
- a) What are the objectives of NAPSWI? 5
- b) Discuss the relevance of social action in the history of social reform movement in India. 5
- c) Explain the key aspects of Christian life and its social teachings. 5
- d) Discuss Gandhi's perception of man and his relationship with society. 5
- e) Enlist the characteristic features of Satyagrah. 5
- f) Enumerate the general characteristics of Gandhian Social Work. 5
- 5) Write short notes on any five of the following questions in about 100 words each:
- a) Central Social Welfare Board 4
- b) Ram Krishna Mission 4
- c) Buddha and Buddhism 4
- d) The Dharmashastras 4
- e) Satyagrah 4
- f) Gandhiji's relevance in today's world 4
- g) National Development Council 4
- h) Social Work as a Career 4

Social Work Practicum and Supervision ASSIGNMENT

Course Code : MSW-005
Total marks: 100

Note: (i) Answer all the **five** questions.

(ii) **All** questions carry **equal** marks.

(iii) Answers to question no. **1** and **2** should not exceed **600** words each.

- 1) Discuss the significance of supportive supervision in field work practicum I open an distance learning mode. 20
Or
Explain the importance of code of ethics in social work practicum. 20
- 2) Describe any two models of social work practicum. 20
Or
Explain the competencies required in social work practicum with suitable examples. 20
- 3) Answer any two of the following questions in about 300 words each:
- a) What are the problems faced by social work trainees undergoing field work practicum? 10
 - b) Explain the components of field practicum in IGNOU model. 10
 - c) Discuss the services for children in need of care and protection. 10
 - d) Why communication skills is essential for social workers? Explain. 10
- 4) Answer any four of the following questions in about 150 words each:
- a) What are the areas of practice in correctional social work? 5
 - b) Explain different styles of supervision. 5
 - c) What are the objectives of field work? 5
 - d) List the guidelines for in-service placements in an organization. 5
 - e) What are the common stressors that lead to burnout? 5
 - f) Differentiate between basic research and evaluation. 5
- 5) Write short notes on any five of the following questions in about 100 words each:
- a) Role of donor agencies 4
 - b) Social welfare administration 4
 - c) Lifelong learning 4
 - d) Nonverbal communication 4
 - e) Client social worker relationship 4
 - f) School social worker 4
 - g) Individual conference 4
 - h) Qualities of a supervisor 4

SOCIAL GROUP WORK: WORKING WITH GROUPS

ASSIGNMENT

Course Code: MSW-008

Total marks: 100

Note: (i) Answer all the **five** questions.

(ii) **All** questions carry **equal** marks.

(iii) Answers to question no. **1** and **2** should not exceed **600** words each.

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| 1. Explain the Characteristics of Groups. | 20 |
| Or | |
| Discuss the Models of Social Group Work ? | 20 |
| 2. Enlist the factors Influencing Group leadership. | 20 |
| Or | |
| Enlist the factors Influencing Group. | 20 |
| 3. Answer any two of the following questions in about 300 words each: | |
| a) Elaborate the types of groups. | 10 |
| b) Discuss the Role of Group Worker in Group Development. | 10 |
| c) Explain Recording in Social Group Work. | 10 |
| d) Describe the Camping and Indian Youth Organizations. | 10 |
| 4. Attempt any four of the following in about 150 words each: | |
| a) Differentiating between Group Work and Case Work. | 5 |
| b) Explain Process of Group Formation. | 5 |
| c) What are the Skills and Techniques of Group Work? | 5 |
| d) Discuss the Group Work in Educational Setting. | 5 |
| e) What do you understand the Trait Theory of leadership? | 5 |
| f) Enlist three major group work settings. | 5 |
| 5. Write short notes on any five of the following in about 100 words each: | |
| a) Group work in community setting | 4 |
| b) Reciprocal model | 4 |
| c) Treatment and Task Groups | 4 |
| d) Group conflict | 4 |
| e) SHG's | 4 |
| f) Social Action Groups | 4 |
| g) Group Development | 4 |
| h) Group Processes | 4 |

Community Organization Management for Community Development

ASSIGNMENT

Course Code: MSW-009

Total marks: 100

Note: (i) Answer all the **five** questions.

(ii) **All** questions carry **equal** marks.

(iii) Answers to question no. **1** and **2** should not exceed **600** words each.

1. How you are Understanding Community. 20
Or
Discuss the History of Community Organisation in India? 20
2. Describe the various models of social action and their characteristics. 20
Or
Elaborate the Scope of Social Welfare Administration. 20
3. Answer any two of the following questions in about 300 words each:
 - a) Explain the Community Development Programmes in Rural, Tribal and Urban Areas. 10
 - b) Discuss on Social Welfare Policies and Programmes. 10
 - c) Differentiate Between Community Organisation and Community Development. 10
 - d) What do you understand Gandhian Model of Social Action. 10
4. Attempt any four of the following in about 150 words each:
 - a) Enlist The Current Issues Facing Tribal communities. 5
 - b) Discuss The Roles of Community Organiser. 5
 - c) Describe the models of social action. 5
 - d) Explain The Various kinds of Social Welfare Organizations. 5
 - e) What are the Strategies and Tactics in Social Action? 5
 - f) Elaborate on Social Welfare Administration as a Profession. 5
5. Write short notes on any five of the following in about 100 words each:
 - a) Urbanisation 4
 - b) Slums 4
 - c) Locality Development 4
 - d) Assumptions Regarding Method 4
 - e) SWOC (Strength, Weakness, Opportunity and Challenges) Analysis 4
 - f) Social Auditing 4
 - g) Fund Raising 4
 - h) Capacity Building 4