

# **MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK COUNSELLING**

**MSW(C)**

**First Year**

**Assignment: 2020-2021**

## **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, 2020 Session – March 31, 2021**

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Dear Learner,

Welcome to the MSW (Counselling) programme of IGNOU. You have purposefully chosen to become a post graduate in Social Work to contribute your mite for improving the social conditions of our humanity. To successfully complete your MSW -C programme, kindly follow to following tips:

- Read the programme guide before your begin your studies. It will clarify most of your doubts regarding how to go about doing the MSW -C from IGNOU.
- Submit your assignments to the study centre on time.
- Be in touch with your Study Centre and Regional Centre.
- Fill up the examination form on time.

Do your field practicum only under the guidance of a professionally qualified social worker having MSW/ M.A (Social Work) provided to you from your study centre.

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 hand-written only** and duly signed on it before its submission in the study centre. In order to prepare a good set of assignment-responses, you must first of all read the chapter(s) from which a particular question has been framed. Discuss with your peer-group and academic counselors or professors 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 question answer starts on a new page. For long and medium answers, ensure that there is an introduction, sub-titles for main 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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(Programme Coordinator)

# 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. Discuss the importance, scope and future prospects of community work with examples. 20

OR

Describe the development of ecological systems theory and the life model in Social Work. 20
2. Explain briefly the influence of ancient societies on the development of social welfare and social work within Europe. 20

OR

Describe the emergence and growth of social work discipline in South Asia. 20
3. Answer any **two** of the following questions in about **300** words each:
  - a) Discuss the essential components of social action. 10
  - b) Trace the history of Open Universities. 10
  - c) Define and discuss the scope of social work. 10
  - d) Briefly describe the emergence and growth of social work discipline in Pacific region. 10
4. Answer any **four** of the following in about **150** words each:
  - a) List out the basic components of a profession. 5
  - b) Distinguish between community development and community Organisation. 5
  - c) Outline briefly the scope of social group work. 5
  - d) Differentiate professional action from charity. 5
  - e) Enlist the salient features of a social movement. 5
  - f) What elements do you consider are important for administration? 5
5. Write short notes on any **five** of the following in about **100** words each:
  - a) Social work in 'Post-modern' society 4
  - b) Elizabethan poor law 4
  - c) Concept of general systems theory 4
  - d) Social Justice 4
  - e) Shramdaan 4
  - f) Purpose and objectives of social work 4
  - g) Social network 4
  - h) Skills and roles of generalist social workers 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. Discuss Gandhi's 19 Point-Constructive Programme. 20  
OR  
Trace the historical development of social work education in India. 20
2. Write an essay on Religion and Social Work. 20  
OR  
Describe the contributions of Social reformers in India before and during Independence. 20
3. Answer any **two** of the following questions in about **300** words each:
  - a) Discuss the linkage of values, principles, ethics of Sikhism with social work. 10
  - b) Highlight the ideals pertaining to social work in Buddhism. 10
  - c) Explain some of the important environmental movements in India. 10
  - d) Briefly discuss the contributions made by B.R.Ambedkar for the empowerment of weaker section. 10
4. answer any **four** of the following in about **150** words each:
  - a) Highlight the philosophical base of Satyagraha. 5
  - b) Briefly discuss the Characteristics of Bhoodan Movement 5
  - c) Enlist the objectives of NAPSWI. 5
  - d) Write a short note on State Social Welfare Departments. 5
  - e) What are the values on which Gandhiji wanted to build an ideal society? 5
  - f) Enumerate the objectives of tribal development. 5
5. Write short notes on any **five** of the following in about 100 words each:
  - a) Social policy 4
  - b) Medical and psychiatric social work 4
  - c) Peasant movement in India 4
  - d) Missionaries of charity 4
  - e) Indigenous literature in social work 4
  - f) Central and State Social Welfare Board 4
  - g) Advocacy 4
  - h) Arya Samaj movement 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) describe Corporate Social Responsibility in India with examples. 20
- Or
- Discuss the educational, administrative and helping functions of a field work supervisor. 20
- 2) Describe the principles that focus on the social worker. 20
- Or
- Draw a comparison between field work practicum in conventional and distance education systems. 20
- 3) Answer any **two** of the following questions in about **300** words each:
- a) What are the different problems faced by social workers in India. 10
- b) Write about the minimum criteria for social work training institute. 10
- c) How can one deal with conflicts in supervision? Explain. 10
- d) Discuss the social work practice opportunity in Child Care Setting. 10
- 4) Answer any **four** of the following questions in about **150** words each:
- a) What activities can a trainee social worker perform in a donor agency? 5
- b) Write about any two modes of supervision during field work. 5
- c) Highlight your understanding of placement-based supervision. 5
- d) Enumerate the criteria for effective report-writing. 5
- e) In general, what are the trainee's learning expectations while working with organisation and communities. 5
- f) Write a brief note about the School of Social Work at IGNOU. 5
- 5) Write short notes on any five of the following questions in about 100 words each:
- a) Orientation Visit 4
- b) Code of Ethics 4
- c) Cross-Cultural helping skill 4
- d) Any 5 non-verbal communication skill 4
- e) Training of supervisors 4
- f) Signs of burnout and compassion fatigue 4
- g) Juvenile in conflict with law 4
- h) Social worker as 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.

1. Describe the role of group work in community setting. 20  
OR  
Briefly describe the various leadership theories. 20
2. Trace the historical development of group work in independent India. 20  
OR  
Discuss the models of social group work. 20
3. Answer any **two** of the following in about **300** words each:
  - a) What is programme planning in social group work? 10
  - b) Explain group work in psychiatric setting. 10
  - c) Discuss the limitations of group work. 10
  - d) Explain the factors affecting group development. 10
4. Answer any **four** of the following questions in about **150** words:
  - a) Mention any two principles of social group work. 5
  - b) How to create and sustain a social action group? 5
  - c) What are the various types of group? 5
  - d) List the main indicators for evaluating a group. 5
  - e) What are the basic values of social group work? 5
  - f) Explain the role of social worker in social group work. 5
5. Write short notes on any **five** of the following in about **100** words each:
  - a) Group dynamics 4
  - b) Group work in correctional institutions 4
  - c) Group cohesiveness 4
  - d) SHGs 4
  - e) Group life cycle 4
  - f) Role of group worker in geriatric care 4
  - g) Conflict resolution 4
  - h) Life skills 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. Trace the history of community organization in India. 20  
OR  
Describe the strategies and models of social action. 20
2. Describe the concept and the characteristic features of social welfare administration. 20  
OR  
Define community organization. Discuss briefly the steps involved in the process of community organization. 20
3. Answer any **two** of the following in about **300** words each:
  - a) Describe some of the community development programmes in rural areas. 10
  - b) Discuss the functions and characteristics of NGOs. 10
  - c) Describe any two models of community organization. 10
  - d) Discuss various welfare schemes under Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment. 10
4. Answer any **four** of the following questions in about **150** words:
  - a) What are the main characteristics of a community? 5
  - b) Differentiate between social action and social movement. 5
  - c) Differentiate between community development and community work. 5
  - d) What are the various components of need assessment? 5
  - e) Explain briefly the role of a community organizer. 5
  - f) List out the skills required for community practice. 5
5. Write short notes on any **five** of the following in about **100** words each:
  - a) Fund raising 4
  - b) Nomadic tribe 4
  - c) Social auditing 4
  - d) Social planning 4
  - e) Principles of social action 4
  - f) SWOT analysis 4
  - g) Rural artisans 4
  - h) SHGs 4