



## 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
PO 1	Develops the foundations of social work practice by providing the theoretical input on the philosophy, values, methods, fields and approaches of human service profession and human resource management.
PO 2	Sensitization about the contemporary socio-economic and cultural realities 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 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 same in professional practice through integral transformative practices.
PO 5	Sharpens the learners' skills in conceptualization, scientific assessment, 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
PSO3	Understands the application of counselling
PSO4	Develops skills in application of Development communication for social Change
PSO5	Provides knowledge and skills in research and statistics for social work practice



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**Semester 1**

<b>Name of the Course</b>	<b>Course Outcome</b>
<b>Social Sciences For Social Work</b>	<p><b>CO1</b> Understands the basic concepts of sociology and its different dimensions.</p> <p><b>CO2</b> Applies the concepts of sociology in Social Work practice.</p> <p><b>CO3</b> Analyzes different dimensions of prevailing social issues in India.</p> <p><b>CO4</b> Recognizes the linkage of social issues and the design of social work interventions.</p> <p><b>CO5</b> Understands basic economic concepts and the economic situation in India.</p> <p><b>CO6</b> Appraises the effect of national/global economy on social life in a society</p>
<b>Human Growth And Development</b>	<p><b>CO1</b> Demonstrates knowledge of the major influences in human development.</p> <p><b>CO2</b> Learns the structure and function of the brain.</p> <p><b>CO3</b> Understands the developmental changes in various developmental stages across the life span.</p> <p><b>CO4</b> Analyzes the importance of developmental psychology in social work practice and be able to link with real life situations</p> <p><b>CO5</b> Ability to identify the use of theoretical concepts in lifespan stages in social work practice</p> <p><b>CO6</b> Understands the theories related to human Development</p>

<p><b>History, Philosophy and Fields Of Social Work</b></p>	<p><b>CO1</b> Understands the history of social work approaches with respect to underlying ideologies and philosophies.</p> <p><b>CO2</b> Appreciates social work as a profession and recognizes the need and importance of Social Work Education, Training and Practice.</p> <p><b>CO3</b> Identifies the importance of professional values and ethics in social work practice.</p>
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	<p><b>CO4</b> Understands different fields of social work intervention and the issues and concerns of social work practice in India.</p> <p><b>CO5</b> Understands the social movements and role of social reformers in social welfare.</p> <p><b>CO6</b> Understands the present issues faced by social work profession.</p>
<p><b>Social Work Practice With Individuals</b></p>	<p><b>CO1</b> Understands Social Case Work as a method of Social Work and applies it as an intervention method.</p> <p><b>CO2</b> Demonstrates knowledge of the values and Principles of Social Case Work and develops the capacity to practice them.</p> <p><b>CO3</b> Acquires the required skills for practicing social case work.</p> <p><b>CO4</b> Demonstrates ability to adopt a multi- dimensional approach in assessment.</p> <p><b>CO4</b> Ability to document and social case work practice.</p> <p><b>CO5</b> Applies social case work method in various settings.</p>

<p><b>Social Work Practice With Communities</b></p>	<p><b>CO1</b> Displays an in depth knowledge about the community organization process.</p> <p><b>CO2</b> Understands the use and practice of community organization in various fields of social work.</p> <p><b>CO3</b> Understands the role of social worker in social action and social reform for social development.</p> <p><b>CO4</b> Ability to undertake social audit, social impact assessments</p> <p><b>CO5</b> Able to analyze ongoing community organization programmes.</p> <p><b>CO6</b> Identifies the emerging trends and experiments in community organization</p>
<p><b>Field Practicum 1</b></p>	<p><b>CO1</b> Understanding a community in terms of its geographical, social, economic and political systems, power</p>

	<p>structures and their inter-relationships based on the theoretical understanding obtained from the courses in the semester.</p> <p><b>CO2</b> Understands and practices the values and code of ethics of professional social work practice and familiarizes with the principles of social work;</p> <p><b>CO3</b> Develops understanding of the assumptions, principles, phases and models of community organization.</p> <p><b>CO4</b> Knowledge of the structure and function of the decentralized governance system and various institutions in the community.</p> <p><b>CO5</b> Demonstrates professional rapport building skills with the people in the community</p> <p><b>CO6</b> Demonstrates skills in social analysis and need assessment, program planning, implementation and evaluation frame work in a community setting.</p> <p><b>CO7</b> Demonstrates oral, written and presentation skills of communication in a community context.</p>
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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Introduction To Abnormal And Social Psychology</b></p>	<p><b>CO1</b> Understands the fundamentals of human behavior</p> <p><b>CO2</b> Demonstrates knowledge of classification and overview of psychological disorders.</p> <p><b>CO3</b> Develops insight about the theories of human personality</p> <p><b>CO4</b> Demonstrates knowledge of concepts theories of social psychology</p> <p><b>CO5</b> Learns to analyse individual behaviour in social context.</p> <p><b>CO6</b> Learns to analyze the group behaviour in social context</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Counselling And Psychotherapy</b></p>	<p><b>CO1</b> Understands the process, skills required and the principles to be followed in helping individuals</p>

	<p><b>CO2</b> Acquires knowledge of the theoretical and therapeutic approaches in counselling and Psychotherapies</p> <p><b>CO3</b> Demonstrates knowledge and skills in the process and techniques of Counselling and Psychotherapies</p> <p><b>CO4</b> Demonstrates skills for ethical practice of counselling with different clients in various settings</p> <p><b>CO5</b> Understands the concepts of Psychotherapy and various psychotherapeutic techniques</p> <p><b>CO6</b> Demonstrates knowledge of skills and techniques of various psychotherapeutic interventions</p>
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<p align="center"><b>Professional Skills For Social Workers</b></p>	<p><b>CO1</b> Demonstrates professionalism in their behavior</p> <p><b>CO2</b> Demonstrates skills in critical reflection in personal and professional practice contexts</p> <p><b>CO3</b> Displays knowledge and competence in life skills</p> <p><b>CO4</b> Demonstrates skills in communication</p> <p><b>CO5</b> Able to document social work practice in respective domain areas</p> <p><b>CO6</b> Displays competence in management of teams and leadership in the practice context</p>
<p align="center"><b>Social Work Practice With Groups</b></p>	<p><b>CO1</b> Understands Social Group Work as a method of Social Work and applies it as an intervention method.</p> <p><b>CO2</b> Demonstrates skills to apply the method for development and therapeutic work</p> <p><b>CO3</b> Understands the scope of Social Group Work in different settings.</p> <p><b>CO4</b> Understands group work as an instrument of change/development in individual in groups</p> <p><b>CO5</b> Develops skills to work with different stages and record the process</p> <p><b>CO6</b> Displays therapeutic skills for Group Work practice</p>
<p align="center"><b>Social Work Research And Statistics</b></p>	<p><b>CO1</b> Develops an understanding about the scientific approach to human inquiry</p>

	<p><b>CO2</b> 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.</p> <p><b>CO3</b> Demonstrates skills in literature search</p> <p><b>CO4</b> Able to design research proposals</p> <p><b>CO5</b> Understands the relevance and ability to carry out appropriate statistical analysis in social work research.</p> <p><b>CO6</b> Independently evaluates different methodological approaches within qualitative research</p>
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<b>Field Practicum 2</b>	<p><b>CO1</b> 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)</p> <p><b>CO2</b> Understands in depth application of Social Work methods in dealing with individuals (case work) and groups (group work)</p> <p><b>CO3</b> Develops the ability to do interventions ensuring clients' participation.</p> <p><b>CO4</b> Becomes familiar with the method of social work research through field level application</p> <p><b>CO5</b> Develops skill in writing academic articles based on practice experience.</p> <p><b>CO6</b> Develops the skill in recording</p>
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### Semester 3

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<b>Planning And Implementation Of Development Projects</b>	<p><b>CO1</b> Understands in detail the nature, approaches and strategies of development projects</p> <p><b>CO2</b> Learns to analyze systematic approach to programme planning.</p> <p><b>CO3</b> Develops an understanding of the changing trends in participatory programme planning approach in government and NGOs.</p>

	<p><b>CO4</b> Demonstrates skills to handle various phases of Development projects</p> <p><b>CO5</b> Understands the concepts of financial management of a project</p> <p><b>CO6</b> Able to write project proposals</p>
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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Administration Of Human Service Organizations</b></p>	<p><b>CO1</b> Develops understanding of the evolution of administration as a science and as a method in Social Work Practice.</p> <p><b>CO2</b> Develops understanding and appreciate the utility of the administrative structures, processes and procedures in an organization.</p> <p><b>CO3</b> Acquires knowledge and skills in the use of different management techniques in HSO.</p> <p><b>CO4</b> Develops an understanding of elements of management and</p> <p><b>CO5</b> Understands concepts in organizational management.</p> <p><b>CO6</b> Acquires knowledge of the concept of social marketing and its scope in social work practice.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Specialization paper Medical &amp; psychiatric social work</b></p>	<p><b>CO1</b> Acquires understanding on the evolution of psychiatry and attitude towards mental illness.</p> <p><b>CO2</b> Demonstrates knowledge and skills of assessment in mental health settings.</p> <p><b>CO3</b> Demonstrates knowledge of clinical psychopathology. <b>CO4</b> Develops an understanding of the nature, causes, types and treatment of mental health disorders in children, adolescents and adults.</p> <p><b>CO5</b> Acquires knowledge of Socio-Cultural Factors influencing mental health.</p>
	<p><b>CO6</b> Develop a critical understanding of Mental Health Policies.</p>



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

	<b>CO5</b> Develops skills in intervention at organizational / community level ensuring people's participation
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#### Semester 4

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<b>Social Legislation and Human Rights</b>	<p><b>CO1</b> Understands the Indian Legal System and its functioning.</p> <p><b>CO2</b> Understands and appreciates the Indian Constitution with particular emphasis on the Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles.</p> <p><b>CO3</b> Understands the nature of social legislation and the various</p> <p><b>CO4</b> learns to explain the salient features of legislations for family, women, children and other marginalized groups.</p> <p><b>CO5</b> Learns the concept of social policy and demonstrates skills in social policy analysis.</p> <p><b>CO6</b> Demonstrates skills of using legal procedures to defend the human rights of various marginalized groups</p>
<b>Gerontological Social Work</b>	<p><b>CO1</b> Understands the concept of gerontology and approaches to ageing</p> <p><b>CO2</b> Learns to analyze the process and issues of ageing</p> <p><b>CO3</b> Learns to analyze policies and programmes for elderly in India.</p> <p><b>CO4</b> Demonstrates skills in working with elderly</p> <p><b>CO5</b> Demonstrates knowledge and skills for interventions in Gerontological Social Work</p> <p><b>CO6</b> Learns to explain and analyze institutional and non-institutional services for elderly</p>
<b>Specialization Paper Medical and Psychiatric social work</b>	<p><b>CO1</b> Able to apply psychosocial Treatment Methods for persons with Mental and Emotional Disorders.</p> <p><b>CO2</b> Understands Institutional approaches to provision of</p>
<b>Social Work Interventions in the field of Mental Health</b>	<p>Mental Health Services.</p> <p><b>CO3</b> Demonstrates knowledge and skill in the practice of Community Psychiatry and Rehabilitation.</p>

<p><b>School Mental Health and Social Work Practice</b></p>	<p><b>CO1</b> Understands the basics of child mental health and issues of children.</p> <p><b>CO2</b> Develops knowledge of the history of social work in schools.</p> <p><b>CO3</b> Demonstrates knowledge and skills to work in educational settings.</p> <p><b>CO4</b> Able to deliver life skills education.</p> <p><b>CO5</b> 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.</p>
<p><b>FIELD PRACTICUM 4</b></p>	<p><b>CO1</b> Gains an in-depth knowledge of the specialization area by working with an agency in the respective area.</p> <p><b>CO2</b> Learns to practice adaptively all the methods of social work (both primary and secondary).</p>
<p><b>Dissertation /Project</b></p>	<p><b>CO1</b> Helps the student researcher to get an understanding about the steps in research and the application of the theory of research methodology in a systematic manner.</p>
<p><b>INTERNSHIP</b></p>	<p><b>CO1</b> The fourth and the last semester block placement is the culmination of practice training and the students are given preference to select their own</p>

	<p>agency, based on their interest areas within the framework of the specialization area.</p> <p><b>CO2</b> This placement is meant to give them the opportunity to work as professional Social Workers and take up individual assignments and responsibility.</p> <p><b>CO3</b> Students could also take up job in an organization and complete this requirement therein, provided that the learning objectives could be ensured.</p> <p><b>CO4</b> 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.</p> <p><b>CO5</b> The tasks will depend on the agency and the student initiative.</p>
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