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Fundamentals of Social Work (Inter-disciplinary Course)

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- Explore the basic values and principles of Social Work profession
- Critically analyse the current trends in Fields of social work practice in India
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- Develop an understanding of the Social Worker's role in the team of disaster managements.

Course Outcome:

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- Students will be aware about the various approaches and ideologies that is practiced in social work
- Students will acquire knowledge on various social problems seen in our society and develop ideas to address them

Unit- I: Introduction to Social Work: Principles, Values and Ethics

Social Work: Concept, Meaning, Definitions, Objectives, Goals and Functions Emergence of Social Work Education in India, Guiding Principles of Social Work and their applications in diverse socio-cultural settings

Unit-II: Approaches, Ideologies and Fields of Social Work

Social Work and it's Relation to Human Rights and Social Justice, Ideology of Action Groups and Social Movements, Fields of Social Work – Community Development, Correctional Settings, Medical and Psychiatric Social Work, Family, Women and Child centered Social Work. CSR: Scope of CSR, Need and Significance of CSR, Drivers of CSR, Tools of CSR, and Benefits of CSR

Unit- III Contemporary Social Problems and Social Work

Social problems: Concept, Meaning and Definitions, Causes and consequences of social problems. Poverty and unemployment: Meaning, Types and Causes. Substance Abuse: Causes, Types, preventive measures.


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Unit IV Disaster Management and Social Work

Basic Concept of Disaster Management: Meaning, Concept, disaster, risk, Hazard. Types and Effects of Disaster: Natural disaster, Meteorological, Storm, cyclone. Participatory Assessment of Disaster Risk steps: Preparation, Hazard assessment, Vulnerability assessment, Capacity assessment.

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