

TEACHING PLAN (July 2015 to November 2015)
MSW- SI-03 WORKING WITH COMMUNITIES

Course Teacher: Prof. S.M. Sajid Max Marks: 100(25/75)

Transaction time: 4 periods per week (1 hour each)

Internal Assessment

- a) One skill laboratory (10 marks) : Participatory Learning and Action
- b) Assignments (15 marks): Understanding Community and its Dynamics OR Principles and Approaches of Community Work (Tentative)

At the end of the course, the student shall be able to:

- 1. *Understand the conceptual framework of community work and community mobilization;*
- 2. *Understand community dynamics, identify community needs, implement programme planning and resource mobilization; and*
- 3. *Practice participatory community work through use of PLA tools*

Week 1.

Communities: Typology & Characteristics

References:

Siddiqui, H.Y. (1997) Working with Communities: An Introduction to Community Work, New Delhi: Hira Publications

Week 2:

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Siddiqui, H.Y. (1997) Working with Communities: An Introduction to Community Work, New Delhi: Hira Publications

Week 3:

Developing a Profile of the Community

References:

Meenai, Z (2007): Participatory Community work, New Delhi : Concept publications

Siddiqui, H.Y. (1997) Working with Communities: An Introduction to Community Work, New Delhi: Hira Publications

Brager, George and Specht, Harry (1973) Community Organizing, New York & London, Columbia University Press

Week 4:

Social Work and Community Work: Objectives and Scope

References:

Ross, M G. (1967) Community Organization; Theory, Principles, and Practice Harper & Row

Dunham, A. (1958): Community Welfare Organization. Principles and practice, New York: Thomas Y. Crowell.

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Brager, George and Specht, Harry (1973) Community Organizing, New York & London, Columbia University Press

Week 5:

Community Work: Assumptions, Principles

References:

Brager, George and Specht, Harry (1973) Community Organizing, New York & London, Columbia University Press

Ross, M G. (1967) Community Organization; Theory, Principles, and Practice Harper & Row

Dunham, A. (1958): Community Welfare Organization. Principles and practice, New York: Thomas Y. Crowell.

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Week 6:

Approaches to Community Work

References:

Ross, M G. (1967) Community Organization; Theory, Principles, and Practice Harper & Row

Dunham, A. (1958): Community Welfare Organization. Principles and practice, New York: Thomas Y. Crowell.

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Week 6:

Understanding Community and its Dynamics

References:

Brager, George and Specht, Harry (1973) Community Organizing, New York & London, Columbia University Press

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Week 7:

Week 8:

Community Need Identification

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Week-9:

Programme Planning, Programme Implementation and Resource Mobilization

References:

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Dunham, A. (1958): Community Welfare Organization. Principles and practice, New York: Thomas Y. Crowell.

Siddiqui, H.Y. (1997) Working with Communities: An Introduction to Community Work, New Delhi: Hira Publications

Week 10-11:

Social Action: Concept and Process

References:

Siddiqui, H.Y. (ed) (1984) : Social Work and Social Action, New Delhi: Harnam Publications

Week 12:

Strategies and Models of Social Action

References:

Siddiqui, H.Y. (ed) (1984) : Social Work and Social Action, New Delhi: Harnam Publications

Week 13:

Peoples' Participation: levels, limits & obstacles

References:

Brager, George and Specht, Harry (1973) Community Organizing, New York & London, Columbia University Press

Ross, M G. (1967) Community Organization; Theory, Principles, and Practice Harper & Row

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Siddiqui, H.Y. (1997) Working with Communities: An Introduction to Community Work, New Delhi: Hira Publications

Week 14:

Principles, Methods & Tools of PLA with reference to process of community work

References:

Chambers R (1992): Rural Appraisal: Rapid, Relaxed and Participatory, Sussex: Institute of Development Studies

Meenai, Z (2007): Participatory Community work, New Delhi : Concept publications

Chambers R (1992): Rural Appraisal: Rapid, Relaxed and Participatory, Sussex: Institute of Development Studies

Mickelson, B (1995): Methods for Development work and Research, New Delhi: Sage publications

Week 15:

Principles, Methods & Tools of PLA with reference to process of community work

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Readings:

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6. Ross, M G. (1967) Community Organization; Theory, Principles, and Practice Harper & Row
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8. Siddiqui, H.Y. (ed) (1984) : Social Work and Social Action, New Delhi: Harnam Publications