

SEMESTER :VI
PAPER NO : 18
COURSE TITLLE : INTEGRATED METHODS OF SOCIAL WORK
MARKS : 100

Objectives:

- Appreciate need for integrated social work practice approach.
- Develop competencies in integrated social work practice.

Course Contents:

Unit-1: Various Approaches to Social Work

- 1.1 Interrelationship between social justice and human rights
- 1.2 Interrelationship between justice, equality and equity
- 1.3 Distinction between social work practice and praxis in social practice

Readings:

- Specht & Vickery (1997): Integrating Social work Methods, George Allen & Unwin Ltd., 1977.
- Louise C. Johnson (1998): Social Work Practice A Generalist Approach, Allyn Bacon.
- Dubois, Brenda & Miley, Karla Krogsrud (1999): Social Work: An Empowering Profession. London: Allyn and Bacon.(Chapter VI)
- Miley, Karla Krogsrud, O' Melia , Michael and Dubious, Brenda (1998): Generalist Social Work Practice: An Empowering Approach. London, Allyn Bacon.

Unit-2: An Empowering Approach to Social Work

- 2.1 Elements of empowering approach
- 2.2 Phases and processes of empowering practice
- 2.3 Social work functions and role in empowering process

Readings:

- Dubois, Brenda & Miley, Karla Krogsrud (1999): Social Work: An Empowering Profession. London: Allyn and Bacon. .(Chapter VIII)
- Miley, Karla Krogsrud, O' Melia , Michael and Dubious, Brenda (1998): Generalist Social Work Practice: An Empowering Approach. London, Allyn Bacon.
- Louise C. Johnson (1998): Social Work Practice: A Generalist Approach, Allyn Bacon.
- Goldstein , H.(1973): Social Work Practice : A Unitary Approach Columbia , University of South Carolina Press.

Unit-3: Social Work and Social Systems

- 3.1 The Ecosystems Perspective: The Social System View, The Ecological Perspective and the Ecosystem View
- 3.2 Social Functioning: Adaptive, At-risk and Maladaptive
- 3.3 Client System in social work

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- Specht & Vickery (1997): Integrating Social work Methods, George Allen & Unwin Ltd., 1977.
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- Dubois, Brenda & Miley, Karla Krogsrud (1999): Social Work: An Empowering Profession. London: Allyn and Bacon. (Chapter III)
- Miley, Karla Krogsrud, O' Melia , Michael and Dubious, Brenda (1998): Generalist Social Work Practice: An Empowering Approach. London, Allyn Bacon.

Unit-4: Contemporary Issues in Field of Practice

4.1 Social work and homeless

4.2 Social work and poverty

4.3 Social Work and family issues

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- Specht & Vickery (1997): Integrating Social work Methods, George Allen & Unwin Ltd., 1977.
- Louise C. Johnson (1998): Social Work Practice A Generalist Approach, Allyn Bacon.
- Dubois, Brenda & Miley, Karla Krogsrud (1999): Social Work: An Empowering Profession. London: Allyn and Bacon.
- Allen Pincus, Anne Minahan (1973) social work practice-Model and Methods, FE Peacock Publisher, Illinois (Chapter III)
- Miley, Karla Krogsrud, O' Melia , Michael and Dubious, Brenda (1998): Generalist Social Work Practice: An Empowering Approach. London, Allyn Bacon.