

LEVEL : **SEMESTER IV**
PAPER NO : **10**
TITLE OF PAPER : **SOCIAL DEVIANCE AND SOCIAL PROBLEMS**
MARKS : **100**

Objectives:

1. Gain insight into the concept of social deviance and social change.
2. Identify the major factors contributing to the emergence of social problems.
3. Understand the role of social worker in dealing with the social problems

Course Contents:

Unit 1: Social Deviance

- 1.1 Social deviance, crime, and Theories of social deviance
- 1.2 social problem: Concept and nature; theories of social change
- 1.3 Contemporary social issues related to poverty, caste, crime and inequality

Readings:

- Clinar, M.B. (1963).Sociology of Deviant Behaviour Holt, Rinehart and Winston Inc., Holt.
- Cohen, A.K. (1968). Deviance and Control, Prentice Hall India, New Delhi.
- Braithwaite, J. (1979) Inequality, Crime and Public Policy . London: Routledge.

Unit 2: Social Problems

- 2.1 Drug addiction, suicide, and juvenile delinquency
- 2.2 Beggary, Commercial sex work (prostitution), and environmental degradation
- 2.3 Displacement and development

Readings:

- Prasad S.K. (2000). Social Problems in India, Mohit Publications Ltd., India.
- Zastrow, C. (1999). Social Issues and Solutions. Wardworth Thomson Learning Publications. Canada.
- Baig, M. A.A. (1996). Environment, Law and Justice, Regency Publications, New Delhi
- Thukral, E.G. (1992). Big Dams, Displaced People: River of Sorrow, River of change, Sage Publications, New Delhi.

Unit 3: Violence in Indian Society

- 3.1 Concept and nature of violence in Indian society
- 3.2 Caste and Communal violence
- 3.3 Violence against women and children

Readings:

- Domenech, J.M. *et al.* (1981) Violence and its causes. UNESCO; Paris,
- Shukla, K.S., (1988). Collective Violence: Challenge and Response, Indian Institute of Public Administration, New Delhi
- Saxena, S. (2004). Crime against Women and Protective Laws. Deep and Deep Publications, New Delhi.
- Jha, Manoj (2009), Riots as Rituals, Manak Publishers, Delhi

Unit 4: Social Defence

- 4.1 Social defence: Concept, nature, and areas
- 4.2 Social defence services in Delhi and India
- 4.3 Social work interventions in social defence and correctional services

Readings

- Bhattacharya. S.K. (2003). Social Defence: An Indian Perspective, Regency Publications, New Delhi.
- Pierson, J. (2012). Understanding Social Work, History and Context, Rewat Publications, New Delhi.
- Sheaffer.B.W. et.al (1997). Techniques and Guidelines for Social Work Practice, Allyn and Bacon, USA.