

# **PAPER 1.1: SOCIAL WORK INTERVENTION RESEARCH**

## **Unit-I Intervention Research**

- Concept of 'Intervention'
- Definition of 'Intervention'
- Objectives of Intervention
- Types of Interventions: Simple Intervention, Classical Intervention, Family System Intervention, Crisis Intervention, Brief Intervention

## **Unit-II Social Work Intervention Research**

- History of Intervention Research
- Concept of Social Work Intervention Research
- Objective of Social Work Intervention Research
- Purpose of Social Work Intervention Research Nature of Social Work Intervention Research
- Need for Social Work Intervention Research
- Scope of Social Work Intervention Research
- Use of Social Work Intervention Research
- Role of Intervention Research
- Social Work Intervention Research Methodology
- Social Work Intervention Research Studies: An Overview

## **Unit-III Social Work Intervention Research Designs: Group Designs**

- Social Work Intervention Research Designs
- Group Designs
  - Pre-Experimental Designs
  - Quasi-Experimental Research Designs
- Ex-Post-Facto Social Work Intervention Study Design
- Alternative Social Work Intervention Research Designs
- Multiple Study Designs

## **Unit-IV Social Work Intervention Research Designs: Single-Subject Designs**

### **Single-Subject Design**

- General Features of Single-Subject Designs
- Characteristics of Single-Subject Designs
- Requirements of a Single-Subject Design Research
- Advantages of Single-Subject Design
- Disadvantages of Single-Subject Design

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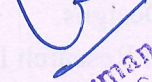



- Limitations of Single-Subject Design
- Foundations of Single-Subject Design Research
- Repeated Measurement
- Phases of Single-Subject Design Research Basic Difference between Single-Subject Design
- Basic differences between Single-Subject Design and Group Designs
- Use of Single-Subject Designs in Social Work Practice
- Types of Single-Subject Designs
  - A-1: Basic Single-Subject Design
  - A-B-A: Reversal Design
  - A-B-A-B: Withdrawal-Reversal Design
  - A-B-C-D: Multiple Interventions Research Design
  - A-B1-B2-B3: Changing Criterion Design
  - Ethical Issues in Single-Subject Design

#### **Unit -V Social Work Intervention Research Process:**

##### **Group Designs**

- Meaning of 'Research Process'
- Quantitative Research Process
- Qualitative Research Process
- Social Work Intervention Research Process: Group Designs
- Steps of Conducting Social Work Intervention Research using Group Design
- Meaning of 'Research Process'
- Quantitative Research Process
- Qualitative Research Process
- Social Work Intervention Research Process: Single-subject Designs
- Steps of Conducting Social Work Intervention Research using Single-subject Design

  
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## **PAPER 1.2 A: FIELD WORK PRACTICUM**

### **Field Work Practicum (1 month Placement) Course Objective**

- To explore the feasibility of the study
- To gain better understanding and in-depth knowledge on the research topic
- To enhance and practice social work skills
- To develop better understanding of society and realities through direct exposure to the field

### **Pedagogy:**

- Case Study
- Focused group Discussion
- PRA
- Mini Field survey
- Observation
- Community Programmes

### **Learning outcomes:**

- Understanding the ground level realities and difficulties in implementing research
- Show direction and inculcates insights for the research
- Helps to identify the scope of the research and policy implications

### **Field Work Placement Duration: One month**

The duration of field work is for a period of one month and should be completed after Part I exams. The field work is to be done in any Community, NGO's, Hospitals, Industries, Government organizations, Schools etc pertaining to the research area. After completion of the Field work, a detailed report containing the work carried out in the field need to be submitted to the department.

### **Submission of Research proposal**

The research proposal is submitted after the completion of Field Work Placement. The proposal should include Proposed Research Title, Introduction, Aim and objectives, Statement of the Problem, Literature review, research questions/hypotheses, Methodology and references.

**PhD Conference/Seminars/Symposium** PhD candidates shall attend at least **one** Conference/Seminars/Symposium related to their research area/Social work and one workshop on Research methodology within the completion of the PhD course.

**PhD Publication** PhD candidates shall publish at least **one** research papers in a referred standard journal before completion of course work. The candidates whose research paper has been accepted for publication may be allowed.

  
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## **PAPER 1.2 B: ADVANCED APPLICATION OF SOCIAL WORK**

### **Learning Outcome**

To facilitate the students on major theories and models for social work applications, recent developments in Social Work profession and Social Work education in India and contemporary trends in Social Development.

### **Course objectives**

- To familiarize the students on major theories and models for social work applications
- To know about the development in the methods of Social Work Practice.
- To make the students understand the new paradigms and critically appreciate the changing perspectives in social work profession.
- To orient on contemporary trends in Social Development

**Unit –I: SOCIAL WORK PROFESSION** Categories of Social Work Practice: Macro, Mezzo, Micro Social Work; Professional Ethics and Values; Skills required for a Professional Social Worker in the digital era.

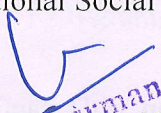
**Unit - II: MAJOR THEORIES AND MODELS IN SOCIAL WORK** Social Work Theories: Behavioral, Cognitive, Psychodynamic, Humanistic, Empowerment, Socio-cultural theories in Social Work; Social Work Models: Task Centered Case Work, Problem Solving, Solution focused therapy,

**Unit-III: METHODS OF SOCIAL WORK PRACTICE** Social Case Work: Indigenous Practices; Social Group Work: Theory to Practice; Community Organization: Intervention methods, process and challenges; Social Action: Strategies and Some Case studies (Satyagraha, Mahila Mukti Morcha – Dalli Rajhara, Bhoodan and Gramdan, Narmada Bachao Andholan), Social Welfare administration and e-governance; Social Work Research and Knowledge translation.

**Unit- IV: NEW SOCIAL WORK PARADIGMS** Social Development Paradigm: Concept and Goals, Assumptions and levels of Social development Practice, Models for Social Development Practice; Human Behaviour in Social Environment: Vulnerability, Risk and Resilience Model; Evidence-based Practice: Steps; Human Rights and Social Work: Social Justice, Equity perspectives.

### **UNIT V: CONTEMPORARY TRENDS IN SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT**

India's Commitment to United Nation's Sustainable Development Goals; Communitization: Community ownership and accountability; Role of Technology in Social development: Social Media; Environment Protection, Disaster Management, International Social Work.

  
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