SOCIAL WORK

UNIT - I

Evolution of Social Work Profession – Impact of Social Reform Movement; Factors that influenced the emergence of method approach in Social Work Practice; Social Work profession and Human Rights.

Philosophy and Principles of Social Work and their application.

System Approach to Social Work Practice; Role of Social Work in the Remedial, Preventive and Developmental Models.

UNIT - II

Meaning and Characteristics of Society, Community, Social Group and Social Institution; Social Structure and Social Stratification; Theories of Social Change and Social Disorganisation.

Tribal, Rural and Urban Communities, Weaker and Vulnerable Sections and Minority Groups.

Population, Poverty, Unemployment, Underdevelopments; Problems of Developing Economies and Consequences a New Economic Policy.

Concept and Causative Factors of Indian Social Problem – Analysis.

Intervention in Social Problems – Government and Voluntary Efforts at Micro – and Macro – levels.

UNIT - III

Human Behaviour, Human Needs, Human Motivation and Problems of Human Behaviour and Coping Mechanisms.

Human Growth and Development in the Lifespan of Individual.

Learning, Socialisation and Theories of Personality.

UNIT - IV

Case Work - Concept, Objectives and Principles.

Social Case Work Process – Intake, Study, Social Diagnosis, Treatment, Termination and Evaluation.

Approaches in Case Work – Psychoanalytical, Psycho – social, Problem Solving, Behaviour Modification, Crisis Intervention, Eclectic Approach.

Technique and skills in Social Case Work:

Interviews, Home visit, Resource Mobilisation, Referral, Environmental Modification, Case Work Relationship, Communication, Type of Recordings in Case Work.

Role of Social Case Work in Various Settings.

UNIT - V

Concept of Group Work – Assumptions, Definition and Goals of Group Work.

Principles, Skills and Values of Social Group Work.

Stages of Group Development and use of Programmes for Group Development: Orientation Stage, Working Stage, Termination Stage, Programme Planning, Implementation and Evaluation.

UNIT - VI

Concept, Principles and Objectives of Community Organisation.

Approaches in Community Organisation – Models, Strategies and Role of Social Worker in each of the Approaches.

Community Development and Community Organisation.

Social Action in Community Organisation – Concept, Purpose and Techniques.

UNIT - VII

Social Policy – Concept and Scope, Distinction between Social and Economic Policies, Place of Ideology and Values.

Characteristics of Social Welfare Organisations – Size, Nature, Design, Legal Status, Rules and Procedure and Overall Policy.

Management of Social Welfare Organisation (Government and Voluntary) – Home relation, Financial relation and Physical relation.