

TEACHING PLAN (January 2015 to April 2015)
MSW-S IV-W-17 FAMILY PRACTICE

Course Teacher: Dr. Ushvinder Kaur Popli

Max Marks: 100(25/75)

Transaction time: 4 periods (45 Mins each) + 1 hour of contact each week for 16 weeks

Internal Assessment

- a) One skill laboratory (10 marks)
- b) Two Assignments (15 marks)

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

1. *Understand the concept of family and and Family Life cycle*
2. *Develop an understanding of the Implications of the changes in contemporary families and challenges faced consequently.*
3. *Understand changing patterns in marriage and strategies to face the challenges.*
4. *To develop an understanding of the issues of elderly in the family and support system to handle the issues.*

*** Students are expected to read the laws and legislations related to family , marriage and old age.**

Week 1: Introduction to the course outline mainly briefing about the areas to be transacted in the semester , relating the issues to be covered in the course to social work

Unit for Family Studies (1994) : *Family Interventions:Some Case Studies*, Mumbai: Tata Institute of Social Sciences

Young Husband, E. (1965): *Social Work with Families, Readings in Social Work*, Vol.I :U.K.

Week 2 : Family: Theoretical and conceptual frame work of family as a system:

Carefred, B. Broderick (1993) :*Understanding Family Process : Bases of Family System Theory*,UK: Sage Publications

Carlton Munson (1994) : *Family Centered Social Work Practice* :, Free Press

Week 3: Family Life Cycle and Challenges

Carefred, B. Broderick (1993) :*Understanding Family Process : Bases of Family System Theory*,UK: Sage Publications

Carlton Munson (1994) : *Family Centered Social Work Practice* :, Free Press

Young Husband, E. (1965): *Social Work with Families, Readings in Social Work*, Vol.I :U.K.

Week 4: Alternative family types: Dual earning /Career families , Single parent families, Consensual families and challenges faced by them in contemporary times

Mckenry, Price (2000): *Families and Change*, UK: Sage Publications

Desai, Murli(1994): *Family Interventions : A Course Compendium*, Mumbai: Tata Institute Of Social Sciences

Week 5: Family assessment tools: Eco-map and Eco-gram

Desai, Murli(1994): *Family Interventions : A Course Compendium*, Mumbai: Tata Institute Of Social Sciences

Holman, A. (1983), *Family Assessment: Tools for Understanding, Assessment*, Beverly Hills: Sage Publications.

Week 6: Marriage: Concept, forms and changing trends

James M. Henslin 1992 *Marriage and Family in a Changing Society*. New York : The Free Press

Patricia Uberoi 1994 *Family, kinship and marriage in India*, Oxford University Press

Week 7: Challenges in marriage

Patricia Uberoi 1994 *Family, kinship and marriage in India*, Oxford University Press

James M. Henslin 1992 *Marriage and Family in a Changing Society*. New York : The Free Press

Week 8 : Legal provisions related to marriage: Dowry, PDVA, 498A, 304b

Dave, A. and Solanki, G. (2001), *Journey from Violence to Crime : A Study of Domestic Violence in Mumbai*, Mumbai, Tata Institute Of Social Sciences.

Week 9: FCC and Family courts

Dave, A. and Solanki, G. (2001), *Journey from Violence to Crime : A Study of Domestic Violence in Mumbai*, Mumbai, Tata Institute Of Social Sciences.

Patricia Uberoi 1994 Family, kinship and marriage in India, Oxford University Press

Week 10: Therapeutic approaches –Couple therapy, Family therapy

Becvar, D. S., & Becvar, R. J. (1996). Family therapy: A systemic integration (3rd ed.). Boston, MA: Allyn & Bacon,

Week 11: Elderly in families *Gerontology : concept , theory and approaches*

Komp, Kathrin, Aartsen, Marja 2013 A Textbook of Gerontology: Old Age In Europe

Springer Briefs in Aging series , XI, 141 p

Deborah M. Merrill 1997 Caring for Elderly Parents: Juggling Work, Family, and Care giving in Middle and Working Class Families Greenwood Publishing Group, Incorporated

Week 12: Issues of elderly : longevity, Health, bereavement and death

Donna Dickenson, Malcolm Johnson, Jeanne Katz 2000 Death, Dying and Bereavement, London : Sage Publications

Kumar S. Vijaya 1991 Family Life And Socio-Economic Problems Of The Aged. Ashish Publishing House: New Delhi.

Week 13: Older person and family: intervention with spouse, children, grand children, neglect and abuse.

Mishra Saraswati 1987 Social Adjustment In Old Age .New Delhi : B.R. Publishing Corporation.

Kumar S. Vijaya 1991 Family Life And Socio-Economic Problems Of The Aged. Ashish Publishing House: New Delhi.

Week 14: Services and schemes for older person : NPOP, MCSAM

Vivek Mor, Naveen Goel,Manoj Sharma 2012 Shell of the elderly-national policy of older people,India. Germany: Lap Lambert Academic Publishing

<http://socialjustice.nic.in/pdf/dnpsc.pdf>.

Week 15:Conducting Skill lab

Week 16: Review, Case Discussion, Assignment Discussion