



MAHATMA GANDHI CENTRAL UNIVERSITY, BIHAR

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Syllabus of Entrance Examination for M.Phil. and Ph.D. Programmes of Study during the Academic Session 2020-21- **Social Work**

1. SYLLABUS: RESEARCH METHODOLOGY (PART A)

- Nature of Scientific Research Methods and Ethics in Social Science Research
- Types of Research: Historical, Descriptive, Interdisciplinary, Evaluative, Action Research, Participatory Research
- Concepts in Research: Model, Theory, Variable
- Process of Research
- Research Problem: Formulation & Sources of Research Problem
- Review of Literature and Hypotheses, Null & Working Hypothesis
- Quantitative and Qualitative Research and Ethnographic Research,
- Research Design
- Census and Sampling: Probability and Non-Probability Sampling
- Methods of Data Collection: Observation, Interview and Focused Group Discussion
- Tools of Data Collection and Rating Scales and Questionnaire & Interview Schedule
- Tabulation, Graphical and Diagrammatic Presentation of Data
- Measurement of Central Tendency, Dispersion, Correlation and Regression
- Parametric Test and Non Parametric Test
- Application of Computers for Social Work / Social Science Research.
- Plagiarism- UGC Guidelines, Impact Factor, DOI and Open Access Source Journal

2. SYLLABUS: SUBJECT SPECIFIC (PART B)

- Social Work Profession: Social Work Profession, Bodies of Social Work, Ethics & Values of Social Work and New Trends in Social Work Practice as a Profession.
- Working with Individuals: Principles, Skills, Components, and Models of Social Case Work, Theories of social case work and Social Case Work in different settings.
- Working with Groups: Social group work as a method of social work, principles, Skills and models of Social group work Theories of social group work and social Group work in different settings.
- Working with Communities: Community organization as a method of social work, principles, Skills and models of community organization. PRA, sustainable development, need and importance of documentation.

- Social Work Education: History of Social Work Education, field work practicum problems and challenges. Need for Indigenization of Social work education. Different issues of Social Work education in India.
- Social Work Practice in Different Setting : Medical Hospital Setting, Psychiatric/ Clinical Hospital Setting, School Setting , Social Work and Disabilities Setting, Industrial Social Work, Rehabilitation and Social Work, Women and Child Welfare.

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