



**Course Title: SOCIAL GROUP WORK**

L	T	P/S	SW/F W	TOTAL CREDIT UNITS
3	1	-	-	4

**Course Code: sw 201**

**Credit Units: 04**

**Course Objectives:**

To provide an understanding of historical development and relevance of group work as method of social work

**Pre-requisites: General**

**Course Contents/Syllabus:**

	Weightage (%)
<b>Module I: Introduction</b>	25%
<b>Descriptors/Topics</b> Group: importance and place in society, Historical development of group work, Relevance of group work in social work practice	
<b>Module II Concept of Groups</b>	25%
<b>Descriptors/Topics</b> Concept of groups: characteristics, Nature, Group dynamics and Leadership, Types: task group and treatment group	
<b>Module III Group work</b>	25%
<b>Descriptors/Topics</b> Objectives and assumptions, Principles of social group work, Stages in group work	
<b>Module IV Social Group Work</b>	25%

<b>Descriptors/Topics</b> Models of group work, Techniques of group work- program planning, group discussion, decision making, recording in group work, Role of group worker in various stages, group work in different settings	
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**Student Learning Outcomes:**

- Describe the evolution of the practice of social group work in India
- Analyze the dynamics of different types of groups
- Use the principles of group work while working with groups in field.
- Apply the knowledge & Skills of Group Work while dealing with clients in group settings
- Recommend practical strategies for dealing with groups in different settings

**Pedagogy for Course Delivery:**

- Lectures,**
- Tutorial,**
- Case studies**

**Assessment/ Examination Scheme:**

<b>Theory L/T (%)</b>	<b>Lab/Practical/Studio (%)</b>	<b>End Term Examination</b>
100%	NA	70

**Theory Assessment (L&T):**

<b>Continuous Assessment/Internal Assessment</b>					<b>End Term Examination</b>
<b>Components (Drop down)</b>	<b>CT</b>	<b>HA</b>	<b>CP</b>	<b>A</b>	70
<b>Weightage (%)</b>	10	10	5	5	

**Text & References:**

- Groups in Social work, Hartford, M.E. New York: Columbia 1971
- An Introduction to Group Work Practice, Toseland, W.R& Rivas, R.F. London: Allyn And Bacon 1995
- Social Group Work, Konopka, G. New Jersey: Prentice Hall 1963
- Social Group Work, Tracker, H.B., New York: Associated Press, 1975

