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**FIRST SEMESTER MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK (MSW) EXAMINATION,
JANUARY 2025
(2024 Admissions)**

SW 511: HISTORY AND PHILOSOPHY OF SOCIAL WORK

Time 3 hours

Max: 75 Marks

Nos.	Part A: Answer ALL Questions in not less than 50 words. Each carries 2 marks	Course Outcome	Blooms Level	Marks
Q1	Conscious use of self	CO4	Understand	2
Q2	Liberalism	CO3	Understand	2
Q3	Social Security	CO1	Understand	2
Q4	Emotional maturity	CO4	Understand	2
Q5	Elizabethan Poor Law	CO1	Understand	2
Q6	Social Casework	CO2	Understand	2
Q7	Charity Organisation Society	CO2	Understand	2
Q8	Code of Ethics	CO3	Understand	2
Q9	Geriatric Social Work	CO5	Understand	2
Q10	LGBTQIA+	CO5	Understand	2
	Part B : Answer ALL questions in not less than 300 words, choosing between options given within each pair of questions.	Course Outcome	Blooms Level	Marks
Q11.	a. Differentiate social work and social welfare OR b. Analyse the assumptions underlying social work practice with examples.	CO2	Analyse	5
Q12.	a. Explain the significance of the NASW Code of Ethics in resolving ethical dilemmas faced by professional social workers. How can these guidelines assist in maintaining professional integrity in complex situations? OR b. Explain how a thorough understanding of social work principles and values helps shape your identity as a professional social worker. What strategies can we adopt to practice ethically and uphold social work standards in diverse scenarios?	CO3	Apply	5

Q13	<p>a. Explain how can a social worker apply inclusive practices to support LGBTQIA+ individuals in a community setting?</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>b. Describe how a social worker can address the rehabilitation needs of offenders in a correctional setting using their professional skills?</p>	CO5	Apply	5
Q14	<p>a. Explain how a social worker apply culturally sensitive approaches when working with Dalits and Tribals in a rural community setting.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>b. Describe how a social worker apply their knowledge of social work theories and interventions to support environmental sustainability in a community setting.</p>	CO5	Apply	5
Q15	<p>a. How can you apply the core competencies of social work, such as ethical decision-making, cultural competence, and advocacy skills, to address a real-life case of a family facing homelessness and unemployment?</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>b. Reflect on a challenging situation where empathy, resilience, and critical thinking were essential. How would demonstrating these attributes help you build trust and achieve better outcomes for the clients you serve?</p>	CO4	Apply	5
	Part C: Answer ALL questions in not less than 850 words, choosing between the options given within each pair of questions.	Course Outcome	Blooms Level	Marks
Q16	<p>a. Examine the application of principles of Social Work in the field. Provide examples to illustrate the application based on your field practicum in this semester</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>b. Write an analysis of the application of Core Competencies in social work. Explain the universal nature of the core competencies</p>	CO4	Analyse	15
Q17	<p>a. Examine the role of a professional social worker in two distinct fields—such as health and correctional settings—highlighting the skills, approaches, and ethical considerations required to address the needs of their specific target groups. Illustrate with examples.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>b. Compare and contrast the commonalities and diversities in professional social work practices across the globe, focusing on how social workers address issues related to marginalized communities like LGBTQIA+ or indigenous groups in both local and international contexts. What lessons can international social work offer to enhance field-specific practices?</p>	CO5	Analyse	15