

Department of Social Work - Courses

1st SEMESTER

Introduction to Law

Introduction to law course focuses on the basic concepts of law. This course includes the question of what is right and law, legislation, executive, jurisdiction, sanction, crime and punishment, law code, regulation, well known lawyers, emergence of law and its historical development, development process of rules of social order and modern law, features and varieties of law, written means of law, constitution, code, regulations, instruction, advance ruling, creating regulation processes, methods of reaching law knowledges online. The relation between law and social work will be discussed during the course time.

Psychology

Psychology course focuses on the key concepts of psychology. This course includes psychology as a behaviour science, psychology and human, determinants of psychology of human, human behaviour and social environment; child, young, woman, adult, elderly, and retired psychology, sub fields of psychology, what is practical psychology, psychological interview techniques, theories of personality, human behaviour, important psychologists around the world and Turkey, stress, conflict and management, psychiatric social work, psychopathology, mental health and illnesses, what is social psychology. The relation between psychology and social work will be discussed during the course time.

Philosophy of Social Work

Philosophy of social work course focuses on the key concepts of the subject besides of the question of 'what is philosophy'. This course includes the subjects of the birth of philosophy, classical and modern philosophy, philosophy of belief, metaphysical philosophy, phenomenological philosophy, well known philosophers around the World and Turkey, relation of philosophy and human, the place of human within philosophy, philosophy's approach to human, social aspect of philosophy, aid, health, education, criminality and philosophy, and philosophy. The relation between philosophy and social work will be discussed during the course time.

Introduction to Social Work

Introduction to social work course focuses on the key concepts of the subject and the questions of 'What is social?', 'What is work' and 'What is social work'. This course includes the subjects of historical birth of social work, history of humanitarian aid, historical development of social service and social work, worldwide known social work authors, theoreticians, activists and practitioners, basics of social work according to different countries, economic, social and cultural fundamentals of social work, the reasons of the birth of social work, medical, mental and social health and interview.

Sociology

Sociology course aims to give basic concepts of sociology and areas of sociology which are related to department of Social Work such as urban sociology, women, senility. The relation between sociology and social work will be understood by students at the end of the course.

2nd SEMESTER

Antropology

Basic concepts of social antropology, history of antropology, important antropologists in the World and Turkey, concepts of society, human, culture, life style in antropological sense and the relation between sociology and social work.

Social Legislation

Basic concepts about the field, varieties of social legislation, the place of social legislation in the general legislation system, social work legislation, online accesibility of socila legislation.

Report Writing and Presentation

Basic concepts of report and presentation, concepts of speech, writing, meeting, report and their historical developments. Different techniques of reporting and presentation.

Management and Method of Social Work

What is management, public, local and civil managements and their differences from each other. Historical and modern management types. Social work as an area of management. Classical, democratic, authotarian types of managements. Differences between management of social service and management of social work

Methods of Social Work

What is method, technique, and strategy? The importance of vocational methods, neccesity of method in social work. First historical methods in social work, different social work methods in different countries, universal and national social work methods, techniques and strategies.

Basic Mathematics

Basic concepts and principles of mathematics and its usage areas in social sciences.

Other Courses

Social Policy, Social Planning and Social Welfare

Fundamental concepts of social policy, social planning, social solidarity, social state, social security, social insurances, social services, social aids, social welfare, descriptions of different social welfare models.

Areas and Foundations of Social Work

Descriptions of social service, social work and the field, diversification of social service areas and their differences, the role of social work in social service, changeability capacity of priority rankings of social service areas.

Communication in Health

Students' comprehension of communication concept, importance of communication in human relations and factors effectin communication, basic features and needs of human, human with his cognitive dimension and affect process, self, body image, self respect, identity concept, self awareness and mindfulness, human behavior caharacteristics, group dynamics and communication in group, therapeutic communication and empathy, anger management, conflict in human relations and conflict management strategies, communication in special conditions, use of all of this information in health and carrying out is aimed as the result of this course and content of the course includes these subjects.

Theories of Social Work and Their Application

Description of theory, its importance in application, is it possible to have theory without application and an application without theory, difficulties in application of theories, effects of social work theories to society of Turkey.

Social and Cultural Structure of Turkey

The concept of social structure, social features of Turkey and its historical development, demography, urbanization, the phenomena of immigration, the relation between social work and social and cultural structure.

Introduction to Economics and Economy of Turkey

Basic concepts of economy and the relation between economics and social work

Statistics

What is statistics, its historical development, application of statistics to social sciences.

Social Work in the Sector of Health

Importance and role of social work in health sector, social health, social rehabilitation, social treatment and social care and the role of social worker in this process.

Social Work in Education

Importance and role of social work in education, social and informal education and their place in general education system, education as an instrument of social treatment, social rehabilitation and social care

Forensic Social Work

The relation between social work and court of law, forensic aspect of social work, juvenile, woman and elder delinquency, differences between classical forensic work and forensic social work, working in applied areas of forensic social work, supervised release and misdemeanor law.

Comparative Social Policy, Social Service and Social Work Models

Fundamental concepts of social policy, social service and social work, comparison of different models in different parts of the World.

Social Problems

Description of social problem, disadvantageous social groups, social problems in the processes of immigration and urbanization.

Social Work with Families and Children

Family from the aspects of sociology, culture, law and social relations, big family, nuclear family, relation of children and family, different family relations and their results, the role of social worker in solving problems of families

Social Work Against Violence

What is violence, types of violence, anger, social and psychological sources of violence, what can social work against violence

Social Work with Young

Family- young and young-society relations, new cultural environments, problems of youth, youth and sport, youth education, what can social work produce for youth

Social Work with the Elders and Handicapped

Problems of old age, active aging, psychology, environment and problems of handicapped, socialization process.

Clinical Social Work

Description of clinical social work and its historical development, theories and applications of clinical social work, application of psychodynamic, cognitive-behavioral, family-system, ecological and other clinical social service theories, evaluation of individual and group.

Interview Techniques and Methods in Social Work

Description and purpose of interview in social work, interview techniques, interview theories, fundamental dynamics of interview, instruments of interview.

Ethics in Social Work

Morality and ethics and their differences, ethics and human, vocational ethics, social work ethics, the importance of ethics in the application of vocational work, fundamentals of ethics