

**RAJAGIRI COLLEGE OF SOCIAL SCIENCES
(AUTONOMOUS)**



**MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK (MSW)
CLINICAL SOCIAL WORK
(2024 Admission Onwards)**

Scheme and Syllabus

**BOARD OF STUDIES (SOCIAL WORK)
RAJAGIRI COLLEGE OF SOCIAL SCIENCES
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KALAMASSERY, KOCHI, KERALA, INDIA**

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Programme Highlights

1. Unique practice-based curriculum and pedagogy
2. Intensive Clinical Experiences
3. Exposure to Psychotherapeutic approaches

Programme Objectives

1. To understand the principles, values, and philosophy of the social work profession.
2. To develop a thorough understanding of methods of social work.
3. To develop perspectives on human behavior and social environment.
4. To develop knowledge base for clinical social work practice in various settings.
5. To develop Skills for clinical interventions in various settings.
6. To foster knowledge and skills in the use of various therapeutic interventions in Clinical Social Work practice.

Programme Summary

Semester	Theory & Field Education	Dissertation	Comprehensive Viva	Total Credits
	Credits			Credits
Semester 1	21	-	-	21
Semester 2	21	-	-	21
Semester 3	22	-	-	22
Semester 4	21	4	1	26
Total	85	4	1	90

Curriculum Structure

Semester 1

COURSE CODE	Title of Course	Credits	Hours
CSWC11	Social Work Profession and Practices	4	72
CSWC12	Introduction to Clinical Social Work	4	72
CSWC13	Human Behaviour and Social Environment	4	72

CSWC14	Mental Health and Psychopathology	4	72
CSWFE11	Field Education 1	5	180
	Total	21	

Semester 2

COURSE CODE	Title of Course	Credits	Hours
CSWC21	Health Care Policies and Legislations	4	72
CSWC22	Social Work Research	4	72
CSWC23	Counselling Process and Skills for Clinical Social Work	4	72
CSWC24	Clinical Social Work with Children and Families	4	72
CSWFE21	Field Education 2	5	180
	Total	21	

Semester 3

COURSE CODE	Title of Course	Credits	Hours
CSWC31	Psychotherapy for Clinical Social Work	3	54
CSWC32	Advanced Clinical Social Work Research	3	54
	Electives (Any Five)		
CSWE31	Family Therapy	2	36
CSWE32	Group Therapy	2	36
CSWE33	Cognitive Behaviour Therapy	2	36
CSWE34	Cognitive Analytic Therapy	2	36
CSWE35	Strength Based Practice and Solution Focused Therapy	2	36
CSWE36	Interventions for Addictive Behaviours	2	36
CSWE37	Gerontological Social Work	2	36
CSWFE31	Field Education 3	6	216
	Total	22	

Semester 4

COURSE CODE	Title of Course	Credits	Hours
	Electives (Any Three)		
CSWE41	Psychosocial Care in Disasters	Any 3 courses x 3 credits = 9 credits	54
CSWE42	Clinical Social Work in Workplace		54
CSWE43	Clinical Social Work in Healthcare		54
CSWE44	Clinical Social Work in Schools		54
CSWE45	Community Mental Health and Suicide Prevention		54
CSWFE41	Field Education 4	6	216
CSWFE42	Field Education 5 & Clinical Case Records	6	216
CSW4D1	Dissertation/Project	4	72
CSW4V1	Comprehensive Viva	1	
	Total	26	