

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY AND SOCIAL WORK**ASOCVAC01: MEDICAL AND PSYCHIATRIC SOCIAL WORK****Learning Objectives**

- LO1: To expose the students to the knowledge and skills of psychiatric social work
- LO2: To make the students understand the psychiatric disorders of child, youth and women
- LO3: To enable the students aware of coping strategies for psychiatric problems.

Course Outcomes

Upon completion of the course the students will

- CO1: know the history, scope and changing perspectives of psychiatric problems.
- CO2: understand the various types of psychiatric problems and their treatment
- CO3. gain knowledge on modern treatment for psychiatric disorders.
- CO4. comprehend the role of psychosomatic disorder in mental illness.
- CO5. infer specific psychiatric disorders affecting women, youth and aged.

Unit – I

Psychiatric Social Work: Basic concepts, scope, management and treatment for psychiatric disorders.

Unit – II

Major Psychiatric and Psychotic disorders –Schizophrenia - Its types - Mood Disorder – Other Bipolar Disorders.

Unit – III

Minor Psychiatric disorders – Anxiety disorder – Panic disorder – Phobias – Post Traumatic Stress.

Unit – IV

Other Psychiatric Disorders – Personality Disorders – Sleep disorder – Speech disorder - Psychosomatic disorder – Suicide.

Unit – V

Childhood Psychiatric disorders – Mental Retardation – Learning disorders – Developmental disorders - Autism – Attention Deficit Hyper activity. Psychiatric disorder affecting Women, Youth and aged – Elimination of disorders.

TEXT BOOKS

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