

Symbiosis College of Arts and Commerce

(An Autonomous College Affiliated to University of Pune)

Subject code Semester I II III IV V VI M.A. I II III IV

Title of Subject PRACTICUM/ FIELDWORK
(Credits 4)

Detailed syllabus

Contents of the syllabus

PRACTICUM/ FIELDWORK COUNSELLING PSYCHOLOGY (Credits 4)

Students should select at least 7 types of cases, e.g. career selection, interpersonal problems, personal problems, marital problems, etc and two exercises of groups counseling, e.g. conducting sessions on study habits, self-awareness, career guidance, etc. in consultation with the teacher and prepare detailed report of 5 cases and the 2 exercises. Cases should be from three age groups, namely childhood (3 cases), youth (2 cases), and old age (2 cases). Students should present at least 2 cases. Report of exercises should be neatly typed in the standard format and a bound copy should be submitted. The report should cover the following points.

- 1. Case history, genogram of client
- 2. Primary identification of the problem
- 3. Psychological / behavioral assessment based on primary identification of problem.
- 4. Diagnosis of the problem
- 5. Prognosis
- 6. Session plan
- 7. Therapeutic intervention used & its justification.
- 8. Verbatim report of all sessions.
- 9. Summery and outcome.

Notes: General

- 1. Each batch of Practicum should consist of maximum 8 students.
- 2. A separate batch will be formed if this number exceeds even by one.
- 3. Workload for each batch will be equivalent to 8 lecture periods.
- 4. Each student should select clients from hospitals/clinics / Rehabilitation centers/ schools / colleges/ Old age homes/ families/ correctional institutions/ NGO set up etc.
- 5. Each student should conduct group counseling exercises in organizations / institutes.
- 6. One teacher supervisor should accompany a group of students.
- 7. Eligibility for the practicum examination is subject to certification of practicum by teacher- in charge and HoD.

