DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WORK

PO1: Social Work Values and Ethics

Students will demonstrate a strong understanding of social work values and ethical principles, including the commitment to client self-determination, social justice, and cultural competence.

PO2: Human Behavior and Social Systems

Students will apply knowledge of human behavior and the impact of social systems on individuals and communities to assess and intervene in social issues and challenges effectively.

PO3: Assessment and Intervention Skills

Students will develop strong assessment and intervention skills, including the ability to identify client needs, create service plans, and provide appropriate support and resources.

PO4: Diversity and Cultural Competence

Students will exhibit cultural competence and an appreciation for diversity, respecting the unique identities and backgrounds of clients and advocating for inclusivity and social equity.

PO5: Social Policy and Advocacy

Students will engage in policy analysis and advocacy, working to change social policies and systems that adversely affect vulnerable populations and advocating for social change.

PO6: Community and Organizational Practice

Students will gain proficiency in community and organizational practice, including skills in community assessment, program development, and the management of social service organizations.

PO7: Research and Evaluation

Students will acquire research and evaluation skills, enabling them to assess the effectiveness of social programs and contribute to evidence-based practices in social work.

PO8: Field Practice and Application

Students will have practical experience through field placements, applying social work knowledge and skills in real-world settings and working under the supervision of experienced social workers.

PO9: Interdisciplinary Collaboration

Students will collaborate effectively with professionals from other disciplines, recognizing the importance of multidisciplinary teamwork in addressing complex social issues.

## PO10: Self-Care and Professional Development

Students will prioritize self-care and engage in continuous professional development, recognizing the importance of maintaining their own well-being and staying current with best practices in social work.