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GENERALIST SOCIAL WORK PRACTICE: SKILLS KNOWLEDGE, AND VALUES

Course Number: SW312

ETHICS FLAG

I. COURSE DESCRIPTION

This course is the first practice course you will complete in the social work curriculum. In this course, you will be introduced to the change and problem-solving process with individuals, families, groups, organizations, and communities. You will learn the purpose of theory in social work and begin to understand the theories that most influence generalist practice. The impact and guidance of the NASW Code of Ethics and other codes/principles of ethics on generalist social work practice will also be explored. Several sets of beginning social work skills, including observation, relationship building, interviewing and assessment skills, will be developed in this class. Experiential learning is emphasized as skills evolve, including a 30-hour service learning requirement that involves opportunities to interact with community members. In addition, in this course, you will learn how to reflect the needs of diverse individuals, groups and communities — as categorized by racialization, ethnic origin, class, gender, gender identity and expression, culture, sexual orientation, religion, age, physical and mental disabilities, caste, immigration/refugee status, national origin of communities and tribal sovereign status.

This course carries the Ethics flag. **Ethics courses** are designed to equip you with skills that are necessary for making ethical decisions in your adult and professional life. You should therefore expect a substantial portion of your grade to come from assignments involving ethical issues and the process of applying ethical reasoning to real-life situations.

Prerequisite: S W 310, Introduction to Social Work and Social Welfare, with a grade of at least C.

II. COURSE OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of this course, you will be able to:

- 1. Define the major dimensions of generalist social work practice and the planned change/problem solving process with individuals, families, groups, organizations, and communities.
- 2. Understand the purpose of theory, how theoretical perspectives fit with individual beliefs and values, and how theory works to provide a framework for social work practice.

- 3. Explain how the lenses of ecosystems perspective, critical race theory, strengths-based approaches, Maslow's hierarchy of needs, and social constructionist theory can be applied to generalist social work practice.
- 4. Discuss anti-racism in generalist practice, centering racialization, and using perspectives developed by Black, Indigenous and other scholars of color.
- 5. Using a social justice lens, identify policies, behaviors, and beliefs that perpetuate racist and oppressive ideas and actions and suggest strategies for change.
- 6. Demonstrate basic skills in working with individuals, families, groups, organizations, and communities including:
- a. Observation,
- b. Engagement,
- c. Communication,
- d. Interviewing,
- e. Assessment,
- f. Goal setting and intervention,
- g. Evaluation,
- h. Collaboration, and
- i. Problem solving.
- 7. Demonstrate use of tools in generalist practice including, but not limited to ecomaps, culturagrams, and genograms.
- 8. Demonstrate the ability to differentially use basic social work skills to reflect the needs of clients of diverse groups distinguished by racialization, ethnic origin, class, gender, gender expression, culture, sexual orientation, religion, age, physical and mental disabilities, caste, immigration/refugee status and national origin of communities.
- 9. Identify ethical issues and recognize when client, legal, policy, societal and/or personal values conflict, emphasizing understanding, affirmation and respect for human diversity and social justice in the practice of social work.

III. TEACHING METHODS

This class will be taught using a variety of methods to foster a stimulating, creative, collaborative and interactive learning community. Experiential learning and exercises to promote self awareness in relation to class content will be used. Other teaching methods include class discussion, videos, lecture and assigned learning activities in the community (most specifically Service Learning in the community). For a meaningful experience in this class, students must actively participate, take risks, stretch their creativity and critical thinking skills and attend class regularly. All students are encouraged to provide the instructor with feedback and meet with the instructor individually as needed to enhance their learning.

IV. REQUIRED TEXT AND MATERIALS

Birkenmaier, J., Berg-Werner, M., and Tyuse, S. (2023). *The practice of generalist social work*. (6th ed.) New York: Routledge.

Finn, J. L. (2021). *Just practice: A social justice approach to social work*. (4th ed) Oxford University Press. Electronic copy available in The University of Texas Library System. Log on with your UT EID to access.

Students are also expected to review:

UTSSW Standards for Social Work Education

http://socialwork.utexas.edu/dl/files/academic-programs/other/standards-sweducation.pdf

NASW Code of Ethics

http://www.socialworkers.org/pubs/code/code.asp

Texas State Board of Social Work Examiners Code of Conduct

http://www.dshs.state.tx.us/socialwork/sw_conduct.shtm

NASW Standards and Indicators for Cultural Competence

http://www.socialworkers.org/practice/standards/PRA-BRO-253150-CC-Standards.pdf

NASW Policy Statement on Professional Self Care

http://www.compassionstrengths.com/uploads/NASW.ProfesionalSelf-Care.pdf

V. COURSE REQUIREMENTS

Your grade for this course will be based on the following requirements (further guidance for class participation and all assignments is included in the syllabus appendix):

Student Attendance/Participation - Attendance and active participation are critical to the teaching and learning in this class. Your presence is necessary for everyone's success in this course. You are allowed to miss two class meetings. Any absence after the second will impact your engagement with content and ideas shared in class, so I encourage you to remember this. Please be proactive in situations where you will be absent, especially as it may impact experiential labs, please try to make alternative video/zoom arrangements with your peer/group when possible. You are "allowed" two absences, any further absences will result in a reduction in your grade. All assignments are based upon participation and attendance, and your grade will be reduced in attendance and specific activity/learning category. I will expect you to evaluate your own performance in this area by providing a brief learning reflection at the end of the semester.

Service Learning Requirement - All students enrolled in SW 312 are required to complete 30 clock hours of service learning in a community agency or organization. Additional instructions, forms and due dates for this course requirement are available on Canvas. you are expected to upload verification of your 30 or more learning hours into givepulse and also send a verification to canvas to confirm your hours. In addition, you are expected to write a three page APA paper to evaluate your experience in service learning. You cannot pass/complete this course without completing the required 30 hrs of service learning. This evaluation should Integrate what you are

learning about generalist practice with experience in a community agency and involve the following:

- What did you learn about issues of racial, social and economic inequity and inequality experienced in the Austin community?
- Did you have an opportunity to practice the beginning relationship building skills you will be learning in class with community members?
- Did you have opportunities to observe portions of the change process?

Initial Service-Learning Expectations – Registering on give pulse and selecting an agency will be your first steps towards service learning. The service-learning fair will give you an opportunity to see your available community choices, the service-learning fair will occur on 8/30 and you are very much encouraged to make this a priority.

Givepulse Registration (Learning Reflection #2) DUE 9/7

Service Learning Agency Selection (Learning Reflection #3) DUE 9/14

Service Learning Agency Presentation and Evaluation - Students will participate in a 15 to 20 minute fishbowl presentation or other preferred modality to engage and teach the class about their experience at their service learning agency. As a part of this evaluation of your experience, the group should address cultural diversity, systemic issues, and ethics. In addition, students will evaluate in written form through the following lens: describe, feelings, evaluate, analysis, and conclusion.

Self-Assessment- Values, Life Theories and Change: It is imperative that you be able to critically reflect and identify the value systems, beliefs and theories of life that guide you as you start to think about working with people with similar and different belief systems and experiences. This assignment will require you to think through some questions designed to help you critically reflect on the value systems most at play in your life. Then you can choose to either write a brief paper about how you view your belief systems could impact your work with people as a social worker at this early stage in your development OR depict your feelings and thoughts about the potential impact through a creative work. Finished assignments will be shared with a partner in class.

Self-Care Project and Moments of Excellence - Over the course of the semester, students are encouraged to come up with a regular practice that supports their own mental health and their - ability to best care for their clients. The professor and students will notice the effectiveness of their self-care practices, and engage in a practice of accountability throughout the semester in order to parallel the learning experienced in this course. In addition, noticing strengths in others is an essential social work skill, and you are expected to notice your peers strengths and skills throughout the semester and take note as well. On the last day of class, students will have two minutes to share with the class about their self-care practice, and the person(s) they have selected for moments of excellence. Students will also upload a minimum of one page for each aspect of this assignment, you may integrate these and upload a two page document discussing self care practices throughout the semester, and also discussing your selection for moments of excellence.

Learning Reflections – Students will submit weekly learning reflections that integrate content from readings, class sessions, and service learning experiences using prompts posted on Canvas. Reflections should be approximately two pages are to be submitted on Canvas no later than 11:59 p.m. on Saturdays (see class schedule section of the syllabus for due dates).

Reflections are to follow a basic APA format including use of citations/references unless otherwise specified by professor.

Case Example Project and In class Demonstration – All students will participate in a dyad role play demonstrating basic social work skills, working with a partner in the class. Students will select a partner and a case example at the beginning of the course, and the dyad will use this example in skills labs throughout the progression of the class. The dyad will present the case to the class and provide a sample stage of intervention, with rapport and assessment a clear focus, goals that are defined, the use of a therapeutic modality, and consideration of systemic, cultural, and other mezzo and macro variables as discussed throughout the class. Each student will evaluate their success in meeting the grading criteria for themselves and their dyad partner. And the class will view and critique others presentations in small groups. Review of cases and in class presentation will include a discussion in which class members and the instructor will interactively define grading criteria. Students are to provide a self-assessment by the Saturday following their presentation, as indicated on canvas and discussed in class.

Assignment	Points
Class attendance/contribution	10 pts
Weekly Reflections	20 pts
Self-Assessment	10 pts
Dyad Project, Presentation, & Assessment	25 pts
Service Learning Expectations	20 pts
Give pulse Registration	2 pts
Service Learning Agency Selectio	2 pts
Service Learning Evaluations/fishbowl	5 pts
Self Care & Moments of Excellence Project	6 pts
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Total pts 100

VI. GRADES

(No A+)	
94.0 and Above	A
90.0 to 93.999	A-
87.0 to 89.999	B+
84.0 to 86.999	В
80.0 to 83.999	B-
77.0 to 79.999	C+
74.0 to 76.999	C
70.0 to 73.999	C-
*minimum to pass course	
67.0 to 69.999	D+
64.0 to 66.999	D
60.0 to 63.999	D-
Below 60.0	F

VII. UNIVERSITY POLICIES

Attendance and Academic Behavior. At the University of Texas at Austin, regular attendance at all class meetings is expected. Instructors are responsible for implementing an attendance policy and must notify students of any special attendance requirements. See more information at https://catalog.utexas.edu/general-information/academic-policies-and-procedures/attendance/. Furthermore, students are expected to abide by the Standards for Social Work Education (available at https://socialwork.utexas.edu/student-resources/bsw/policies-and-procedures/). The student shows potential for responsible and accountable behavior by being punctual and dependable, prioritizing responsibilities, attending class regularly, observing deadlines, completing assignments on time, and keeping appointments or making appropriate arrangements.

Religious Holy Days. A student who misses classes or other required activities, including examinations, for the observance of a religious holy day should inform the instructor as far in advance of the absence as possible so that arrangements can be made to complete an assignment within a reasonable period after the absence. A reasonable accommodation does not include substantial modification to academic standards, or adjustments of requirements essential to any program of instruction. Students and instructors who have questions or concerns about academic accommodations for religious observance or religious beliefs may contact the Center for Access and Restorative Engagement at https://community.utexas.edu/care/. The University does not maintain a list of religious holy days.

The University of Texas Honor Code. The core values of The University of Texas at Austin are learning, discovery, freedom, leadership, individual opportunity, and responsibility. Each member of the university is expected to uphold these values through integrity, honesty, trust, fairness, and respect toward peers and community.

Policy on Academic Integrity. Students who violate University rules on academic dishonesty are subject to disciplinary penalties, including the possibility of failure in the course and / or dismissal from the University. Since such dishonesty harms the individual, all students, and the integrity of the University, policies on academic dishonesty will be strictly enforced. For further information, please visit the Student Conduct and Academic Integrity website at: http://deanofstudents.utexas.edu/conduct.

Use of Course Materials. The materials used in this course, including, but not limited to exams, quizzes, and homework assignments, are copyright protected works. Any unauthorized duplication of the course materials is a violation of federal law and may result in disciplinary action being taken against the student. Additionally, the sharing of course materials without the specific, express approval of the professor may be a violation of the University's Student Honor Code and an act of academic dishonesty, which could result in further disciplinary action. This sharing includes, among other things, uploading class materials to websites for the purpose of distributing those materials to other current or future students.

University Electronic Mail Student Notification. Electronic mail (email), like postal mail, is a mechanism for official University communication to students. The University will exercise the

right to send email communications to all students, and the University will expect that email communications will be received and read in a timely manner. Students can find UT Austin's policies and instructions for updating their e-mail address at https://it.utexas.edu/policies/university-electronic-mail-student-notification-policy.

Steve Hicks School of Social Work Policies

Professional Conduct and Civility in the Classroom. The professor expects students to act as professionals in class. This means students should arrive on time for class, be prepared to participate in the class discussion, and show respect for one another's opinions. A course brings together a group of diverse individuals with various backgrounds. Students are influenced and shaped by such factors as race, ethnicity, gender, sex, physical abilities, religious and political beliefs, national origins, and sexual orientations, among others. We expect to learn from each other in an atmosphere of positive engagement and mutual respect. This atmosphere includes working intentionally to recognize and dismantle racism, sexism, heterosexism, and ableism in the classroom. Social Work also deals with complex and controversial issues. These issues may be challenging and uncomfortable, and it would be impossible to offer a substantive classroom experience that did not include potentially difficult conversations relating to challenging issues. In this environment, we will be exposed to diverse ideas and opinions, and sometimes we will not agree with the ideas expressed by others. Nevertheless, the professor requires that students engage one another with civility, respect, and professionalism.

Classroom Confidentiality. Information shared in class about agencies, clients, and personal matters is considered confidential per the NASW Code of Ethics on educational supervision and is protected by regulations of the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) as well. As such, sharing this information with individuals outside of the educational context is not permitted. Violations of confidentiality could result in actions taken according to the policies and procedure for review of academic performance located in sections 3.0, 3.1, and 3.2 of the Standards for Social Work Education.

Unanticipated Distress. Students may experience unexpected and/or distressing reactions to course readings, videos, conversations, and assignments. If so, students are encouraged to inform the professor. The professor can be responsive and supportive regarding students' participation in course assignments and activities, but students are responsible for communicating clearly what kind of support is desired. If counseling is needed, students may contact a service provider of their choosing, including the UT Counseling and Mental Health Center at 512-471-3515 or online at https://cmhc.utexas.edu/.

Policy on Social Media and Professional Communication. Public social networks are not private. Even when open only to approved or invited members, users cannot be certain that privacy will exist among the general membership of sites. If social work students choose to participate in such forums, please assume that anything posted can be seen, read, and critiqued. What is said, posted, linked to, commented on, uploaded, subscribed to, etc., can be accessed and archived, posing potential harm to professional reputations and prospective careers.

Social work students who use social media (e.g. Facebook, Twitter, Instagram) and other forms of electronic communication (e.g. blogs) must be mindful of how their communication may be perceived by clients, colleagues, faculty, and others. Social work students are expected to make

every effort to minimize material which could be considered inappropriate for a professional social worker in training. Because of this, social work students are advised to manage security settings at their most private levels and avoid posting information/photos or using any language that could jeopardize their professional image.

Students are asked to consider the amount of personal information posted on these sites and are obliged to block any client access to involvement in the students' social networks. Client material should not be referred to in any form of electronic media, including *any* information that might lead to the identification of a client or compromise client confidentiality in *any* way. Additionally, students must critically evaluate any material that is posted regarding community agencies and professional relationships, as certain material could violate the standards set by the School of Social Work, the Texas Code of Conduct for Social Workers, and/or the NASW Code of Ethics.

Social work students should consider that they will be representing professional social work practice as well as The University of Texas at Austin School of Social Work program while in the classroom, the university community, and the broader area communities.

Resources, Prevention of Discrimination, and Safety

Disability Accommodation Statement. If you are a student with a disability, or think you may have a disability, and need accommodations please contact Disability and Access (D&A). You may refer to D&A's website for contact and more information: https://community.utexas.edu/disability/. If you are already registered with D&A, please deliver your Accommodation Letter to me as early as possible in the semester so we can discuss your approved accommodations and how they apply in my class.

Behavior Concerns and Covid-19 Advice Line (BCCAL). If students have concerns about their behavioral health, or if they are concerned about the behavioral health of someone else, students may use the Behavior Concerns and COVID-19 Advice Line to discuss by phone their concerns. This service is provided through a partnership between the Office of the Dean of Students, the Counseling and Mental Health Center (CMHC), the Employee Assistance Program (EAP), and The University of Texas Police Department (UTPD). Call 512-232-5050 or visit https://safety.utexas.edu/behavior-concerns-advice-line. The Behavior Concerns and COVID-19 Advice Line has been expanded to support The University of Texas at Austin community during the COVID-19 pandemic. By calling 512-232-5050 - Option 2 for COVID-19, students, faculty and staff can be assisted in English and Spanish with COVID-19 support.

Covid-19 Related Information. The University's policies and practices related to the pandemic may be accessed at: https://protect.utexas.edu/

Title IX Reporting. In accordance with Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, the University of Texas at Austin is committed to maintaining a learning environment that is free from discriminatory conduct on the basis of sex https://titleix.utexas.edu/. Faculty, field instructors, staff, and/or teaching assistants in their supervisory roles are mandated reporters of incidents of sex discrimination, sexual harassment, sexual violence, stalking, dating violence, or any other forms of sexual misconduct. Students who report such incidents will be informed of University resources. Incidents will be reported to the University's Title IX Coordinator. Further

information, including student resources related to Title IX, may also be found at https://titleix.utexas.edu/.

Title IX Accommodations for Those Pregnant, Nursing and Parenting. Pregnant, nursing and parenting students, faculty, and staff are eligible for accommodations through the Title IX Office that support equal access to education and work and prevent discrimination. Students may reach out to the Title IX Office for help with accommodations to make up missed classes, complete missed coursework, keep them safe in the classroom, apply for leaves of absence, receive priority registration and other related support. Faculty and staff, including undergraduate students who work on campus and graduate student employees, may reach out for assistance with job or schedule restructuring and obtaining modified or additional work equipment. Visit the Title IX pregnancy and parenting resource page for more information or contact the Title IX Support and Resources team connect with a Case Manager.

Campus Carry Policy. The University's policy on campus carry may be found here: https://campuscarry.utexas.edu.

Safety. As part of professional social work education, students may have assignments that involve working in agency settings and/or the community. As such, these assignments may present some risks. Sound choices and caution may lower risks inherent to the profession. It is the student's responsibility to be aware of and adhere to policies and practices related to agency and/or community safety. Students should notify the professor regarding any safety concerns.

Emergency Evacuation Policy. Occupants of buildings on the UT Austin campus are required to evacuate and assemble outside when a fire alarm is activated or an announcement is made. Please be aware of the following policies regarding evacuation:

- Familiarize yourself with all exit doors in the classroom and the building. Remember that the nearest exit door may not be the one you used when entering the building.
- If you require assistance to evacuate, inform the professor in writing during the first week of class.
- In the event of an evacuation, follow the professor's instructions.
- Do not re-enter a building unless you are given instructions by the Austin Fire Department, the UT Austin Police Department, or the Fire Prevention Services office.

VIII.CLASS POLICIES

1. Participation and Attendance

Attendance and active participation are critical to the teaching and learning in this class. Your presence is necessary for everyone's success in this course. You are allowed to miss two class meetings. Any absence after the second may impact your engagement with content and ideas shared in class, so I encourage you to remember this. Please be proactive in situations where you will be absent, especially as it may impact experiential labs, please try to make alternative video/zoom arrangements with your peer/group when possible.

2. Late Assignments

Except in the case of extreme emergencies, and then only with the permission of the professor, late assignments WILL NOT be accepted without penalty. Students are expected to turn in all required assignments on the agreed upon due date at the beginning of class. Assignments not

turned in class on the day it is due will be considered late. If accepted, late assignments will be assessed point penalties at the rate of 10% each day late. If the due date is a problem, then the student should see the professor and negotiate another due date well in advance.

3. Student Achievement

Student Achievement in meeting course objectives will be evaluated on the following written, oral, and in-class experiential assignments, regular and punctual class attendance, and informed class participation based upon class readings/assignments.

4. Student Feedback

Student feedback is welcome either informally or formally about class room learning and content, the teacher's teaching strategies, peer relationships, scheduling, or other items. Students are also encouraged to provide feedback during office hours, by phone, by e-mail, and by appointment if they desire.

5. Assignment Changes

The instructor reserves the prerogative to change class assignments as needed to meet the course objectives. The changes will be discussed with the students in class or by email before implementation.

6. Cell phone and Laptop Use

Cell phones and laptops are permitted in virtual learning class, however the student is expected to be utilizing those devices only for the purpose of accessing or enhancing the classroom learning environment. Failure to comply with this expectation may result in a grade reduction in class participation grade.

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IX. COURSE SCHEDULE

Date	Topic	Assignment Due	Readings
8/27	Introduction/ syllabus		Course Syllabus
	review, class guidelines,		
	and Kolb's Learning		
	Cycle		
	Service Learning how	Reflection 1 Due	<u>Textbook Readings</u>
8/29	and why?	8/31 by 11:59pm	Finn, Chapter 2
	Guest Speaker: Sandy Lam, Service Learning TA	SERVICE LEARNING FAIR 8/30	

9/3	Understanding Social Work Practice		Textbook Readings Birkenmaier, Berg-Werner & Dewees, Chapter 1
9/5	Values and Ethics in Social Work	Reflection 2 Due 9/7 by 11:59pm Givepulse Registration Due 9/7 by 11:59pm	Textbook Readings Birkenmaier, Berg-Werner & Dewees, Chapter 2 NASW Code of Ethics naswor.socialworkers.org > Code-of- EthicsCode of Ethics - National Association of Social Workers
9/10	More about Ethics and Social Work Practice Class exercise: Tammy's story		Textbook Readings Finn, Chapter 4
9/12	Cultural Humility And Critical Reflection; micro, mezzo, and macro perspectives Reflections on personal values	Reflection 3 Due 9/14 by 11:59pm Service Learning Agency Selection Due 9/14 by 11:59pm	Canvas Postings McCoy, Black Lives Matter and Yes, You are a Racist NASW Standards and Indicators for Cultural Competence http://www.socialworkers.org/practice/standards/PRA-BRO-253150-CC-Standards.pdf
9/17	Self care Boundaries and empowerment	Self-Assessment- Values, Life Theories and Change Due 9/21 by 11:59 pm	Canvas Postings NASW Policy Statement on Professional Self Care http://www.compassionstrengths.com/uploads/NASW.ProfesionalSelf-Care.pdf
9/19	Understanding the purpose of theory; mezzo, macro, and micro	Service Learning Agency Selection Due 9/19	Textbook Readings Finn, Chapter 5
9/24	Dyads; discuss case project and advocacy		Canvas Readings Scourfield, What is Advocacy?
9/26	Individual Engagement	Reflection 4 Due 9/28 by 11:59pm	Textbook Readings Birkenmaier, Berg-Werner & Dewees, Chapter 3

10/1	Engaging young people and other challenges to engagement		Textbook Readings Finn, Chapter 6
10/3 Asynchronous	Assessment, Teaching- Learning, and Planning with Individuals Asynchronous, posted in canvas via zoom	Reflection 5 Due 10/5 by 11:59pm	Textbook Readings Birkenmaier, Berg-Werner & Dewees, Chapter 4
10/8	More about Assessment; ecomaps and genograms		Canvas Posting Interactive Use of Genograms and Ecomaps in Family Caregiving Research https://search.lib.utexas.edu/permalink/01UTA U INST/apl7st/cdi proquest miscellaneous 57 234966
10/10	Intervention and Accessing Community Resources	Reflection 6 Due 10/12 by 11:59pm	Textbook Readings Birkenmaier, Berg-Werner & Dewees, Chapter 5
10/15	Action and Accompaniment		Textbook Readings Finn, Chapter 8
10/17	Social Work Practice with Families – Engagement and Assessment	Reflection 7 Due 10/19 by 11:59pm	Textbook Readings Birkenmaier, Berg-Werner & Dewees, Chapter 6
10/22	Social Work Practice with Families – Intervention, Termination, and Evaluation		Textbook Readings Birkenmaier, Berg-Werner & Dewees, Chapter 7
10/24	Social Work Practice with Groups – Engagement and Assessment	Reflection 8 Due 10/26 by 11:59pm	Textbook Readings Birkenmaier, Berg-Werner & Dewees, Chapter 8
10/29	Social Work Practice with Groups – Intervention, Termination, and Evaluation		Textbook Readings Birkenmaier, Berg-Werner & Dewees, Chapter 9
10/31	Social Work Practice with Communities – Engagement and Assessment	Reflection 9 Due 11/2 by 11:59pm	Textbook Readings Birkenmaier, Berg-Werner & Dewees, Chapter 10

11/5 Asynchronous	Social Work Practice with Communities – Intervention, Termination, and Evaluation Asynchronous Zoom	VOTE	Textbook Readings Birkenmaier, Berg-Werner & Dewees, Chapter 11
11/7	Social Work Practice with Organizations – Beginning to Endings	Reflection 10 Due 11/2 by 11:59pm	Textbook Readings Birkenmaier, Berg-Werner & Dewees, Chapter 12, 13
11/12	Dyad Presentations 10, 11, 12		
11/14	Dyad Presentations 4, 5, 6		
11/19	Dyad Presentations 7, 8, 9		
11/21	Dyad Presentations 1,2,3		
Week of 11/25- 11/29	Fall Break	No Class	
12/3	Service-Learning Fishbowls In-class activity		
12/5	Endings: Self-Care and Moments of Excellence LAST DAY OF CLASS		

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