



DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WORK

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Semester: II	Academic Year: 2025–26	Venue: AI035F04-LH, AIGS Block 2
Event Date: 31/07/2026	Time: 09:00 AM to 01:30 PM	Duration: 04:30 Hrs

TYPE OF EVENT: WORKSHOP

**EVENT NAME: WORKSHOP ON ENHANCING SKILLS ON FIELDS OF
SOCIAL WORK**

Target Audience: II Sem MSW Students	Number of Participants: 30	Event Coordinator: Dr. Robin K J
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Objectives:

1. To strengthen the professional knowledge and practical skills of social work students and practitioners in various methods and fields of social work practice.
2. To enhance participants' competencies in communication, assessment, counselling, case documentation, community engagement, and ethical decision-making required for effective social work intervention.
3. To familiarize participants with emerging trends, challenges, and best practices in the diverse fields of social work, including medical and psychiatric social work, community development, child welfare, family welfare, and human resource management.

Program Introduction:

The Department of Social Work organized a workshop on "Enhancing Skills on Fields of Social Work" to strengthen students' professional competencies through expert sessions on Human Resource Management, Medical and Psychiatric Social Work, and Community Development. The workshop enhanced students' career awareness, practical knowledge, and preparedness for diverse fields of professional social work practice.

Theme of the Event:

The theme emphasized the importance of strengthening professional competencies and practical skills required for effective social work practice across diverse fields of specialization. It highlighted the



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need to bridge academic learning with real-world practice, preparing students to become competent, ethical, and skilled social work professionals.

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Detailed Report:

The Department of Social Work organized a Workshop on “Enhancing Skills on Fields of Social Work” to strengthen students’ professional competencies and expose them to diverse fields of social work practice. The programme commenced with a welcome address by Dr. Mirshad Rahaman T. M., Head, Department of Social Work, who emphasized the importance of specialization, continuous learning, and professional ethics in social work. This was followed by the invocation by Ms. Jinu James, II Semester MSW student. The resource persons were introduced by Ms. Jerin Sebastian, Ms. Anusree, and Ms. Ashna, II Semester MSW students. Ms. Pavithra, II Semester MSW student, efficiently compered the programme and invited the resource persons to deliver their sessions.

The first technical session commenced with Dr. Manjunatha S., Assistant Professor (Psychiatric Social Work), Department of Psychology, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Yeshwanthpur Campus, Bengaluru, delivering a talk on Medical and Psychiatric Social Work. He



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explained the expanding role of psychiatric social workers, career opportunities in healthcare, international licensing, higher education prospects, and the professional competencies required for ethical mental health practice. The session concluded with an interactive discussion.

The second session was delivered by Dr. S. Rama Gokula Krishnan, Assistant Professor, Department of Social Work, St. Joseph's University, Bengaluru, on Community Development. He emphasized personality development, leadership, self-awareness, CSR initiatives, NGO management, participatory development, and sustainable community interventions, motivating students to become effective change agents.

The final technical session was handled by Mr. Jayaram Ramaiah, Head – Human Resources, Admin & SHE, ACE Micromatic Limited, Bengaluru, on Human Resource Management. He discussed HR specialization, corporate expectations, employability skills, workplace ethics, international opportunities, and strategies for professional growth.

Each session concluded with an interactive question-and-answer session, followed by a Panel Discussion and Open House. The programme concluded with a Vote of Thanks proposed by Dr. Mirshad Rahaman T. M., who expressed gratitude to the distinguished resource persons, faculty members, student volunteers, and participants for making the workshop a meaningful and successful academic programme.



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Welcome address by Dr. Mirshad Rahaman T. M., Head, Department of Social Work



Session was delivered by Dr. Manjunatha S



Session was delivered by Dr. S. Rama Gokula Krishnan



Session was delivered by Mr. Jayaram Ramaiah



Mementoes distributed as a token of gratitude by the department

Outcomes:

1. The workshop enhanced participants' knowledge and practical understanding of various fields of social work, enabling them to appreciate the scope, opportunities, and professional competencies required for effective practice across diverse settings.
2. Participants strengthened their communication, counseling, documentation, assessment, and intervention skills through interactions with experts, thereby improving their preparedness for fieldwork and professional social work practice.
3. The programme enabled participants to develop a deeper understanding of ethical principles, professional values, and evidence-based approaches, empowering them to make informed decisions while addressing social issues and delivering quality social work services.

Conclusion and Audience Feedback Summary:

The workshop provided an enriching and career-oriented learning experience for both BSW and MSW students by exposing them to diverse fields of professional social work practice. The expert sessions delivered by Mr. Jayaram Ramaiah, Dr. Manjunatha S., and Dr. S. Rama Gokula Krishnan enhanced students' understanding of Human Resource Management, Medical and Psychiatric Social Work, and Community Development, while highlighting career opportunities, professional competencies, and emerging trends in each specialization. The interactive discussions and panel session enabled students to clarify their doubts, relate theoretical concepts to professional practice, and make informed career choices. Overall, the workshop strengthened students' professional knowledge, confidence, ethical



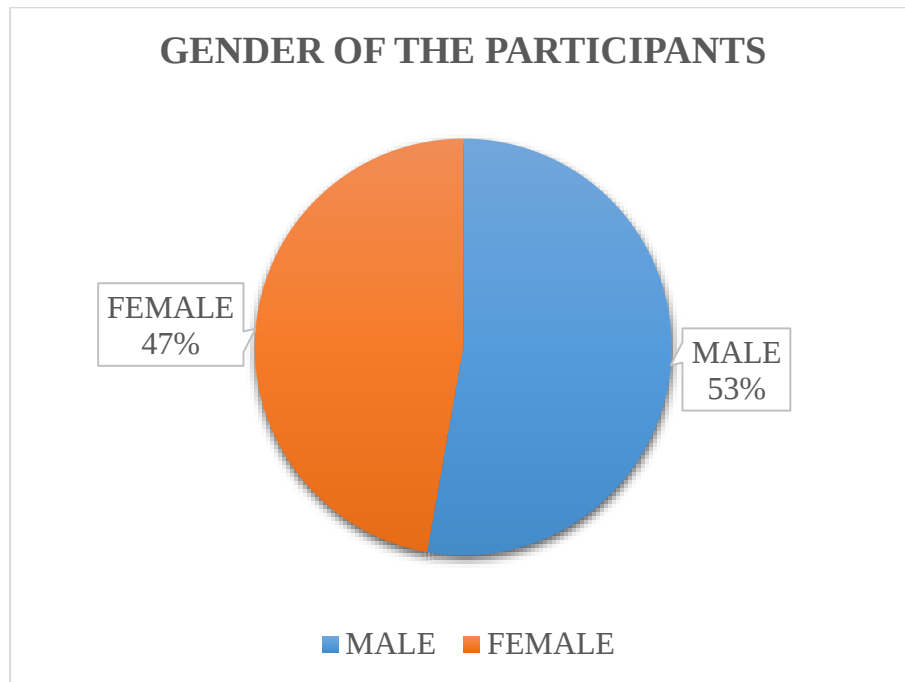
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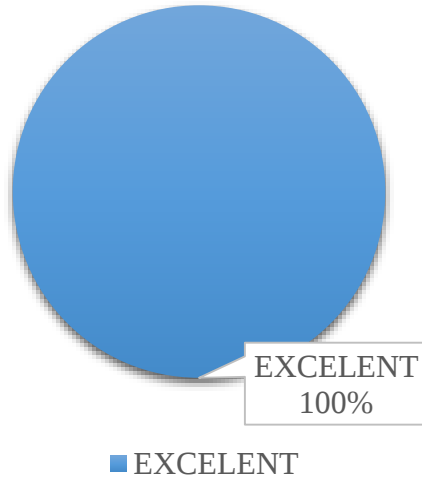
perspective, and readiness for social work practice. The programme concluded with a vote of thanks delivered by Dr. Mirshad Rahaman T. M., Head, Department of Social Work, who expressed sincere gratitude to the resource persons for their valuable contributions and appreciated their efforts in enhancing students' professional awareness and career preparedness.

The feedback analysis indicated an overwhelmingly positive response, with participants appreciating the workshop for its relevant content, interactive sessions, and practical insights into diverse fields of social work. Overall, the programme was rated highly for enhancing professional knowledge, career awareness, and preparedness for social work practice.

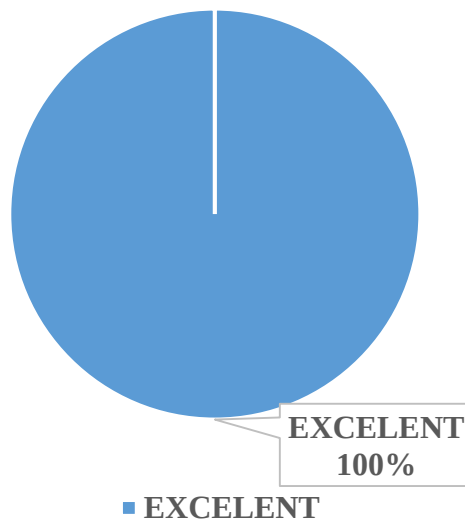
Feedback Analysis



CONTENT AND RELEVANCE OF THE TALK

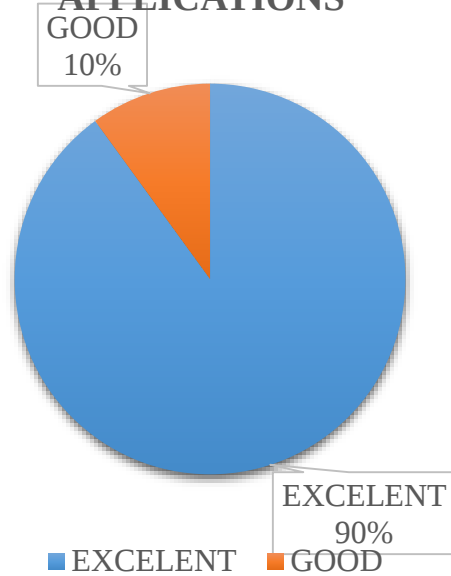


ENGAGEMENT AND INTERACTION





PRACTICAL INSIGHTS AND APPLICATIONS



OVERALL EXPERIENCE

