

Loyola Knowledge Hub for Excellence in Child Protection (Loyola KHEChP)

Dept. of Social Work, Loyola College

Report on the Certificate Course on Child Rights for Social Work Students

The Weekend Certificate Course on Child Rights for the students Social Work was planned to cover the final year students of BSW and the students of MSW from the city colleges.

A total of 42 students registered for the class and of which 28 students have completed and issued course completion certificate.

List of Students Registered

S. No.	Name of the Candidates
1	Benisha Catherin A
2	Juli Gracia.V
3	Soundara Pandiyan. S
4	Karthick.K
5	Madhura Bashini. A
6	Krithiga Priya. S
7	Koushik Sriram. S
8	Worhinphy. CH
9	Gideon Augusteen. S
10	Angeline Roveena. S
11	Gowthaman
12	Kerithika Priyadarshini. P

13	Meghana Davis
14	Amul Cyril
15	Abraham Mathew. D
16	Nivedha. L
17	Merin Thomas
18	Rubia. K
19	Mary Verana. V
20	Delecta Josy. S
21	Janet. A
22	Punitha. K
23	Nivetha. S
24	Prasanna Chandru. S
25	Sridhar. R
26	Prakash. R
27	Sindhu. R. V
28	Ilavarasan. G
29	Santhosh Kumar. S
30	Yoganand. R
31	Prabhu. M
32	Aswini. M
33	Nandini. M
34	Elma Babyson
35	Bhuvanashwari
36	Rossi

37	Rathna
38	Haridas
39	Chitra
40	Mercy
41	Rebecca

Certificate Course – Dates and Topics

The certificate course classes started on 19th August 2017 and were completed on 25th Oct 2017. Totally 13 classes were held instead of the 7 days planned for the course due to the interest evinced by the participating students, since the topics were extensively covered

S.no	Date	Topic
1.	19/08/2017	Situational Analysis Children in India
2.	19/08/2017	UN Convention on the Rights of the Child
3.	20/08/2017	Situational Analysis II
4.	20/08/2017	UN Convention on the Rights of the Child II
5.	08/09/2017	Enabling environment for Child Rights
6.	17/09/2017	Child Rights Advocacy
7.	17/09/2017	Child Rights Advocacy
8.	24/09/2017	Schemes and Policies
9.	08/10/2017	Child Protection Mechanisms
10.	08/10/2017	Child Protection Mechanisms II
11.	15/10/2017	Child Rights Advocacy
12.	24/10/2017	Child Rights Advocacy
13.	25/10/2017	Enabling Legislations

Resource Persons

Faculty members from the department and child rights activists from the field handled the session.

The faculty include

1. Prof. Andrew Sesuraj. M
2. Prof. Semmalar Selvi
3. Adv. Monica Vincent
4. Mr. Arunmozhi, Program Officer, Childline India Foundation
5. Adv. Then Pandian, Child Rights Activist
6. Ms. Vijayalakshmi, Development Consultant
7. Ms. Saranya Vadhani, Child Rights Expert
8. Ms. Mala. E, Childline Coordinator, Arunodhaya

Evaluation

Assignments were given to students as part of the evaluation. Two choices were given to students and they were asked to submit either one

1. To prepare an advocacy tool on child rights issues
2. Field intervention in Chennai Central Railway station with Railway Childline

Certificate

Based on the completion of 70 percent classes and submission of assignment, the following social work students have been selected for the award of the certificate of course completion

Loyola Students

S. No	Name of Student	Dept No (For Loyola Students)
1.	Benisha Catherin A	17-PSW-004
2.	Juli Gracia V	17-PSW-003
3.	Soundara Pandiyan S	17-PSW-008
4.	Krithiga Priya. S	17-PSW-076
5.	Koushik Sriram S	17-PSW-088
6.	Gideon Augusteen S	16-PSW-070
7.	Angeline Roveena S	16-PSW-055
8.	Krithika Priyadarshini P	16-PSW-052
9.	Meghana Davis	16-PSW-077
10.	Nivedha L	17-PSW-057
11.	Merin Thomas	17-PSW-073
12.	Delecta Josy S	17-PSW-015
13.	Janet A	17-PSW-002
14.	Nivetha S	17-PSW-079
15.	Prasanna Chandru S	17-PSW-093
16.	Rathna	17-PSW-074
17.	Haridas. K	17-PSW-037
18.	Rebecca. D	16-PSW-054
19.	Amul Cyril	17-PSW-097
20.	Karthick. K	17-PSW-006
21.	Madhura Bashini A	17-PSW-052

Students from Other Colleges

1.	Prabhu M	Dr. Ambedkar Govt. Arts College, Chennai
2.	Gowthaman	Dr. Ambedkar Govt. Arts College, Chennai
3.	Sindhu R V	Madras School of Social Work, Chennai
4.	Ilavarasan G	Dr. Ambedkar Govt. Arts College, Chennai
5.	Santhosh Kumar S	Patrician College of Arts and Science, Chennai
6.	Yoganand R	Patrician College of Arts and Science, Chennai
7.	Mercy	Dr. Ambedkar Govt. Arts College, Chennai

Conclusion

The Certificate Course on Child Rights for Social Work students was organized with the objective of equipping the social work aspirants with knowledge and skill to work with children and which can also be a value addition to the skill set of employability to the students in the future was well addressed during the course.

Prof. Andrew Sesuraj. M
Course Coordinator – Loyola KHEChP

Annexure 1 – Syllabus

CERTIFICATE COURSE ON CHILD RIGHTS

Hours : 70 Hours

Objective

1. To empower with knowledge in understanding the status of children in India
2. To introduce the UN Convention on the rights of the child and its implementation in India.
3. To provide the analytical skills on understanding and working with children

Unit I	Situational Analysis Children in India	5 Hours
	a) Issues and Concerns in Child Protection – Child abuse, neglect, Sexually Exploited and Oppressed Children, Child Labour, Child Trafficking, Child Prostitution – Definition, Nature/Characteristics, Causes and Effects	
	b) Juvenile Delinquency – the age of innocence	
Unit II	UN Convention on the Rights of the Child	5 hours
	History of Child Rights, Geneva Declaration of Child Rights, UN Declaration of Child Rights, UN Convention on the rights of the Child, Optional Protocols	
	Child’s Right to Survival, Development, Protection and Participation	
Unit III	Enabling environment for Child Rights in India	10 Hours
	Nodal agency - Ministry of Women and Child Development,	
	Policies for Children - Policies - National Children Policy 2013, National ECCE Policy 2013, National Youth Policy 2015.	
	Enabling Legislations - Child Labour (Prohibition and Regulation) Act, 1986, and as amended The Child and Adolescent Labour (Prohibition And Regulation) Amendment Act, 2016 Pre-Conception and Pre-Natal Diagnostic Techniques Act, 1994, Persons with Disabilities (Equal Protection of Rights and Full Participation) Act, 2000, Commission for Protection of the Rights of the Child Act, 2005, Prohibition of Child	

Marriage Act 2006, Right of children to Free and Compulsory Education Act, 2009, The Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act, 2012 and Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2015,

Schemes

Programmes and Schemes by Central Government ministries for children, UNICEF, NGOs and INGOs

UJJAWALA : A Comprehensive Scheme for Prevention of trafficking and Resue, Rehabilitation and Re-integration of Victims of Trafficking and Commercial Sexual Exploitation, Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan, National Health Mission, DhanaLakshami – Conditional Cash Transfer for Girl Child with insurance cover, Integrated Child Protection Scheme, Sabla. Kishori Shakti Yojana Welfare of working children in need of Care and Protection, Rajiv Gandhi National Creche Scheme for children of working mothers,.

Unit IV Child Protection Mechanisms 10 hours

National Commission for Protection of Child Rights, TNCPCR, CARA and SARA, DCPU, CWC, JJB, SJPU, Childline services 1098, NIPCCD, CWPO

Unit V Child Rights Advocacy 20 hours

Understanding Advocacy, Strengthening the Foundation for Advocacy, Developing an Advocacy Strategy, Monitoring and Evaluating Advocacy, Managing Knowledge in Advocacy, Managing Risks in Advocacy, Working with Children and Young People in Advocacy.

Developing Advocacy tool – Field work

Unit VI Child Rights Research 20 hours

Scope of research related to Child Rights, Research – Definition, Objectives, Characteristics and Functions, Types of Research, Types of research design, Ethical issues in Research, Sampling: Concept, definition and Importance, Types of Sampling. Types of Data, Methods and Tools of Data Collection, Statistical Package for Research(SPSS).

Mini Research on Current issues related to child rights.

Methodology

Class room lectures, Field based assignments, Video/ Documentaries, Mini Research, Panel discussions and Assignments.

Reference

- a) Situation of Children in India – A Profile (May 2011) UNICEF, New Delhi
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- c) D. Sarada Child Rights and Young Lives: Theoretical Issues & Empirical Studies (2009) Discovery Publishing House.
- d) Tandon, R.K. & Sudarshan, K.N. Directory & Handbook on Children. New Delhi: Ashish Publishing House, 1998.
- e) Theis, Joachim. Promoting Rights – Based Approaches, Experiences and Ideas from Asia and the Pacific. Sweden: Save The Children, 2004.
- f) Wal, S. International Encyclopaedia of Child Development Priorities for 21Century. Vol., I – V. New Delhi: Sarup and Sons, 1999.

Online Resources

- a) http://www.unicef.org/sitan/files/SitAn_India_May_2011.pdf
- b) www.ncpcr.gov.in
- c) <http://www.childlineindia.org.in/rights.htm>
- d) http://www.unicef.org/india/children_3220.htm
- e) <http://wcd.nic.in/>
- f) <http://www.cry.org/rights-to-know/about-child-rights.html>
- g) https://www.unicef.org/evaluation/files/Advocacy_Toolkit.pdf

Annexure 2 – Attendance



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Attendance for Certificate Course on Child Rights for Social Work Students															
S. No.	Name of the Candidates	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
		19/8	19/8	20/8	8/9	17/9	17/9	24/9	8/10	15/10	15/10	22/10	25/10	25/10	
1	Benisha Catherin A	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	a	x	x	a	a	a	9
2	Juli Gracia.V	X	X	X	X	a	a	X	a	x	x	a	a	a	7
3	Soundara Pandiyan. S	X	X	a	X	X	a	X	a	x	x	a	x	x	9
4	Karthick.K	X	X	X	X	X	X	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	6
5	Madhura Bashini. A	X	X	X	X	X	a	X	a	a	a	a	a	a	6
6	Krithiga Priya. S	X	X	a	X	X	X	X	a	a	a	a	x	x	6
7	Koushik Sriram. S	X	X	X	X	a	a	X	X	a	a	X	X	X	9
8	Worhinphy. CH	X	X	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	2
9	Gideon Augusteen. S	X	X	a	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	a	X	X	11
10	Angeline Roveena. S	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	13
11	Gowthaman	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	a	a	a	10
12	Kerithika Priyadarshini. P	X	X	a	a	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	11
13	Meghana Davis	X	X	a	X	X	X	X	a	x	x	X	X	X	11
14	Amul Cyril	X	X	a	a	a	a	X	X	a	a	a	x	x	6
15	Abraham Mathew. D	X	X	X	a	a	a	X	X	a	a	a	a	a	5
16	Nivedha. L	X	X	X	a	a	a	X	a	x	x	a	x	x	8
17	Merin Thomas	X	X	X	X	X	a	X	X	a	a	x	a	a	8
18	Rubia. K	X	X	a	X	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	3
19	Mary Verana. V	X	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	1
20	Delecta Josy. S	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	a	x	x	a	a	a	9
21	Janet. A	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	a	X	X	a	a	a	9
22	Punitha. K	X	X	a	a	X	a	a	a	x	x	a	a	a	5



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Cordially invites you to the launch of

Certificate Course on Child Rights

Special Guest

Mr. Job Zachariah

Chief of Unicef office for Tamil Nadu and Kerala

Rev. Dr. M. Arokiasamy Xavier S.J.,

Principal, Loyola College, Chennai

Dr. Fatima Vasanth

Deputy Principal, Loyola College, Chennai

Mr. G. Kumaresan

Child Protection Specialist, UNICEF

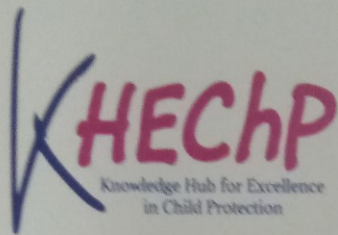
On 30th June, 2017 at 3.00 a.m

Conference Hall @ Department of Social Work, Loyola College



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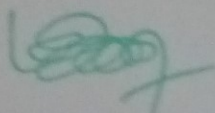


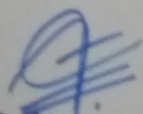
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Certificate of Course Completion

This is to certify that
Mr./Ms. YOGANAND R.
has successfully completed the
certificate course on Child Rights
for Social Work Students
organized by Department of Social Work,
Loyola College and UNICEF
from 19th August to 25th October 2017.


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