

# SOCW-507

1.	<b>Program</b>	BS Social Work																						
2.	<b>Title</b>	Population Welfare																						
3.	<b>Semester</b>	5 <sup>th</sup>																						
4.	<b>Code</b>	SOCW-507																						
5.	<b>Rating</b>	03 Credit Hours																						
6.	<b>Introduction</b>	Many of our societies continue to face a diverse set of demographic challenges and opportunities, including rapid population growth. The world population is growing at a fast rate which is resulting into instability in certain spheres of life. Pakistan stands sixth in terms of high population in the world. The scarce resources of the country and high population is creating numerous socio- economic, Political and cultural challenges towards the growth and development of country.																						
7.	<b>Objectives</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The current course aims to equip students to the macro level population dynamics. The students will further be able to analyze the micro level processes that govern population change, including fertility and reproductive behavior.</li> <li>2. The course has an objective of special focus on trends of population growth in Pakistan.</li> <li>3. The emphasis will be on the population Planning policies, plans and programmes especially in country.</li> <li>4. The Course also includes information about education and motivation in family planning, techniques and skills of motivation and other important areas.</li> </ol>																						
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9.	<b>Outcome</b>	The prime objective of social work subject is to help individual, groups and communities to live a satisfactory life and contribute towards growth and development of the country. The teaching of introductory economics to social workers will help students gain the insight into the socio economic developments of the country. The students will be able to understand the basic economics which will eventually facilitate them to deal with the significant social issues which are the outcome of the economic issues exist in the country.
10.	<b>Recommended Books / Reference</b>	<p>Afzal, M. (2009). Population growth and economic development in Pakistan. <i>The Open Demography Journal</i>, 2(1).</p> <p>Chandrasekhar, S. (Ed.). (2011). <i>Infant mortality, population growth and family planning in India</i> (Vol. 19). London: Routledge.</p> <p>Freedman, R., &amp; Takeshita, J. Y. (2015). <i>Family planning in Taiwan: An experiment in social change</i> (Vol. 2186). New Jersey: Princeton University Press.</p> <p>Hardee, K., &amp; Leahy, E. (2008). Population, fertility and family planning in Pakistan: a program in stagnation. <i>Population Action International</i>, 3(3), 1-12.</p> <p>Omran, A. R. (2012). <i>Family planning in the legacy of Islam</i>. London: Routledge.</p> <p>Pasha, O., Fikree, F. F., &amp; Vermund, S. (2001). Determinants of unmet need for family planning in squatter settlements in Karachi Pakistan. <i>Asia-Pacific Population Journal</i>, 16(2), 93-108.</p> <p>Robinson, W. C., &amp; Ross, J. A. (Eds.). (2007). <i>The global family planning revolution: three decades of population policies and programs</i>. Washington: The World Bank.</p> <p>Stephenson, R., &amp; Hennink, M. (2004). Barriers to family planning service use among the urban poor in Pakistan. <i>Asia-Pacific Population Journal</i>, 19(2), 5-26.</p> <p>Sultan, M., Cleland, J. G., &amp; Ali, M. M. (2002). Assessment of a new approach to family planning services in rural Pakistan. <i>American journal of public health</i>, 92(7), 1168-1172.</p> <p>Sultan, M., Cleland, J. G., &amp; Ali, M. M. (2002). Assessment of a new approach to family planning services in rural Pakistan. <i>American journal of public health</i>, 92(7), 1168-1172.</p> <p>Whelpton, P. K., Campbell, A. A., &amp; Patterson, J. E. (2015). <i>Fertility and family planning in the United States</i> (Vol. 2200). New Jersey: Princeton University Press.</p> <p>National Institute of Population Studies (NIPS) &amp; ICF International. (2013). <i>Pakistan Demographic and Health Survey 2012-13</i>. Islamabad: National Institute of Population Studies.</p>

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Assignments/Quizzes/Project/Case Study/Team Presentations	
Mid-Term Exam	
Final Term Exam	