



**Karolinska
Institutet**

Course syllabus for

Social work in health care - advanced course, 7.5 credits

Psykosocialt arbete i hälso- och sjukvård - fördjupningskurs, 7.5 hp

This course has been cancelled, for further information see Transitional provisions in the last version of the syllabus.

Course code	2QA100
Course name	Social work in health care - advanced course
Credits	7.5 credits
Form of Education	Higher Education, study regulation 2007
Main field of study	Not applicable
Level	Second cycle, in-depth level of the course cannot be classified
Grading scale	Pass with distinction, Pass, Fail
Department	Department of Neurobiology, Care Sciences and Society
Decided by	Styrelsen för utbildning
Decision date	2010-03-25
Revised by	Education committee NVS
Last revision	2020-02-14
Course syllabus valid from	Autumn 2010

Objectives

The aim of the course is to reach in-depth knowledge and understanding for social work in health care, comprising theoretical bases as well as their applications. The students will develop ability to integrate theoretical knowledge with problems seen in the social situation of patients and their relatives. The students will enhance their ability to analyse these problems and accordingly choose evidence based methods and social interventions.

The student will after the course be able to

- explain and discuss concepts relevant to social work in health care
- relate the discipline to possible applications within the field
- seek and assess evidence for relevant methods
- independently assess social needs and choose theoretically derived and appropriate interventions within the actual context.

Content

Up-date of theoretical concepts relevant to social work in health care; systems theory, psychodynamic and cognitive theory, theory of change, narrative and existential psychology. Focus will be laid upon

applications of these theories. The concept of salutogenes and empowerment will be covered. Boarders to other disciplines will be discussed. Analysis of a chosen aspect of social work in health care is expected.

Teaching methods

Lectures, group-discussions and seminars will take place. Of special importance are forms supporting the student's own activities. Group discussions and seminars use a modified case-methodology.

Examination

Examination takes place by the students active participation in seminars. These seminars deal with individual assignments as well as group assignments.

One written individual paper will examine understanding of aspects of the course literature.

The grade VG in the course, needs VG in both individual tasks and G in the group assignment.

Transitional provisions

The course has been cancelled and was offered for the last time in the autumn semester of 2012.

Examination will be provided until the spring semester of 2021 for students who have not completed the course

Other directives

Evaluating according to guidelines established by the Karolinska Institutet's Board of Education.

Literature and other teaching aids

Anknytning i praktiken : tillämpningar av anknytningsteorin

Broberg, Anders

Stockholm : Natur och kultur, 2008 - 427 s.

ISBN:978-91-27-11484-5 (inb.) LIBRIS-ID:11179623

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Narrativa metoder i socialt arbete

Larsson, Sam; Sjöblom, Yvonne; Lilja John, d 1942-

1. uppl. : Lund : Studentlitteratur, 2008 - 476 s.

ISBN:978-91-44-01298-8 LIBRIS-ID:10486706

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Payne, Malcolm

Modern teoribildning i socialt arbete

Nilsson, Björn

2., svenska utg. : Stockholm : Natur & Kultur, 2008 - 527 s.

ISBN:978-91-27-02564-6 (inb.) LIBRIS-ID:10558142

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Rehabiliteringsvetenskap : rehabilitering till arbetslivet i ett flerdisciplinärt perspektiv

Vahlne Westerhäll, Lotta

Lund : Studentlitteratur, 2006 - 229 s.

ISBN:91-44-04505-0 LIBRIS-ID:10128922

URL: <http://www.studentlitteratur.se/omslagsbild/artnr/32242-01/height/320/width/320/bild.jpg>

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Strang, Peter

Livsglädjen och det djupa allvaret : om existentiell kris och välbefinnande

Stockholm : Natur & kultur, 2007 - 159, [1] s.

ISBN:978-91-27-02575-2 (inb.) LIBRIS-ID:10354284

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Svensson, Kerstind 1959-; Johnsson, Eva; Laanemets, Leili

Handlingsutrymme : utmaningar i socialt arbete

1. utg. : Stockholm : Natur & kultur, 2008 - 255 s.

ISBN:978-91-27-11517-0 (inb.) LIBRIS-ID:10648646

URL: <http://www.nok.se/BR/allmlitt/9789127115170.jpg>

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