

## OSS030 – Introduction to Social Welfare

<b>Credit Hours:</b> 3-4 Semester Hours
<b>Pre-Requisite:</b> None
<b>Related TAG:</b> Social Work
All of the learning outcomes with an asterisk (*) are required and must be met.
1. Demonstrate knowledge of the history and development of social welfare and of social services in the United States.*
2. Identify the role of current federal and state social policy in the delivery of social services.*
3. Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of the ideologies, values and ethics that form the foundation of social services.*
4. Identify the financial, organizational and administrative structures that influence the delivery of social services.*
5. Demonstrate knowledge of the fields of practice and populations served in social services.*
6. Identify and discuss forms and mechanisms of poverty, oppression and discrimination and how these impact social services.*
7. Demonstrate an understanding of human diversity issues in the development and delivery of social services with emphasis on empowering at-risk and vulnerable populations.*

**SOCIAL WORK TAG: COURSE REVISION  
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