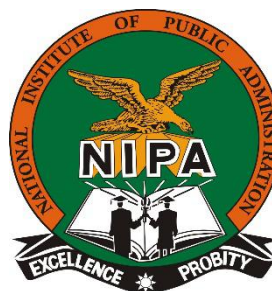


National Institute of Public Administration



BACHELOR OF SOCIAL WORK

1.0 Introduction

The Bachelor of Social Work (BSW) degree is designed to prepare students for second level entry above diploma level into the profession, as professional training in social work practice with individuals, families, groups, and communities. The programme seeks to encompass the diverse areas of social, political, cultural, economic, organisational and technological processes that affect change in societal dynamics.

Name of the Programme: Bachelor of Social Work

Programme Code: BSW

Programme Aims:

The primary purpose of the BSW programme is the preparation of the graduate for professional level practice as a social worker, thereby assuming the various knowledge and skills levels appropriate for prevention and resolving problems in social functioning, to empower people and identify and build on the strengths present in people and their localities.

2.0 Programme Structure

Year of Study	Semester I		Semester II	
	Course Code	Course Name	Course Code	Course Name
ONE	BSW 101	Introduction To Social Work & Social Welfare	BHRM 105	Introduction To Psychology
	BSW 103	Introduction To Social Work Methods	BSW 105	Introduction To Interpersonal Social Work Skills
	BSS103	Communication And Study Skills	BDS101	Introduction To Dev. Studies
	BPA 105	Introduction To Sociology	BPA 110	Principles Of Management
	BSW 101	Introduction To Social Work & Social Welfare	BHRM 105	Introduction To Psychology
		BSW 201	Social Planning	BSW 204
	BSW 202	Social Work Practice & The	BSW 208	Fieldwork I (Rural/Peri-

TWO		Law		Urban Setting)
	BHRM 204	Introduction To Contemporary Sociological Theories	BSW 209	Disaster Preparedness And Management
	BHRM 201	Principles Of Economics	BSW 210	Principles Of Public Health
THREE	RMS 300	Research Methods In Social Sciences I	RMS 301	Research Methods In Social Science Ii
	BSW 302	Social Administration	BSW 307	Contemporary Issues In Social Policy
	BSW 303	Contemporary Social Problems & Social Work	BSW 308	Fieldwork Ii (Urban/Per/Urban Setting)
		ELECTIVES		ELECTIVES
	BSW 304	Sexual & Reproductive Health	BSW 309	Rural Sociology
	BSW 305	Gender And Development	BBA 308	Entrepreneurship And Innovation
FOUR	BSW 401	Analysis Of Soc. Work Intervention	BSW 406	Social Change & Dev.V (National & Global Perspectives)
	BSW 402	Community Dev. & Social Justice	BSW 407	Social Services In Dev. Countries
	BSW 403	Social Policy Analysis	RMS 400	Research Project Report
		ELECTIVES		ELECTIVES
	BSW 404	Urban Sociology	BSW 409	HIV/AIDS Care & Counselling
	BSW 405	Mental Health	BSW 410	Criminology

3.0 Career Prospect:

Social workers work in a range of setting including: schools, hospitals, non-governmental organisations, in the courts and public service. Large corporations employ social workers to give guidance on various social impact assessments to the environment. Some social workers work as probation officers. Probation officers work closely with juvenile offenders in prisons so that they can help assess the juvenile justice system and to make recommendations to the courts about whether or not to mete out certain punishments to juvenile offenders. Others work in the public sector to assess vulnerability in communities. They give counsel to the state about social cash transfer schemes and benefits vulnerable families can have access to.

Possible job titles in social work include:

- Social Worker
- Probation Officer
- Community Officer

- Advice Worker
- Counsellor
- Youth Worker

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