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THIRD SEMESTER M.S.W. DEGREE (REGULAR/SUPPLEMENTARY) EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2023

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Master of Social Work

SOW 3C 11—QUANTITATIVE AND QUALITATIVE METHODS FOR SOCIAL WORK RESEARCH

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 30 Weightage

Section A

Answer any **four** questions not exceeding 100 words.

Each question carries 2 weightage..

- 1. Social work research.
- 2. Quantitative research.
- 3. Pilot study and its significance.
- 4. Reliability and Validity.
- 5. PRA.
- Tabulation and Frequency Table.
- SPSS and its importance.

 $(4 \times 2 = 8 \text{ weightage})$

Section B

Answer any four questions not exceeding 300 words.

Each question carries 3 weightage.

- 8. Discuss the aims and significance of social work research.
- 9. Define hypothesis and its types. Substantiate the significance of the hypothesis in research.
- 10. Write a short note on data processing and analysis.

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- 11. Briefly describe the different types of experimental designs.
- 12. What are the uses and limitations of statistics in research?
- 13. Write a short note on the measures of dispersion.
- 14. Define sampling. What are the different types of probability sampling?

 $(4 \times 3 = 12 \text{ weightag})$

Section C

Answer any two questions not exceeding 800 words.

Each question carries 5 weightage.

- 15. Elaborate on the types of research.
- Discuss the methods of data collection in quantitative research.
- 17. Describe the content and style of a quantitative research report.
- 18. Explain graphic and diagrammatic presentation of data using examples.

 $(2 \times 5 = 10 \text{ weightage})$