

VALUE ADDED COURSE

COURSE MATERIAL

Programme code:	MSW	Programme Title :	Master of Social Work	
Course Code:	22USWVA1	Title	Batch :	2022-2024
Hrs/Week:	2	Introduction to Participatory Rural Appraisal (PRA)	Credits:	2

Course Objectives

- To incorporate the knowledge and opinions of rural people in the planning and management
- To make the concept of PRA clear to the participants and develop their skills to prepare Social Map.

Course Outcomes (CO)

K1	CO1	To provide conceptual knowledge and framework of PRA for the learner.
K2	CO2	To change the perceptions & attitude of learners about the Rural Development.
K3	CO3	To generate important insights this can contribute policies.

Syllabus

Unit	Content	Hours
Unit I	Introduction to PRA, RRA - Rapid Rural Appraisal, difference between PRA and RRA, objectives, Importance and Principles of PRA, Role descriptions of PRA team members, Organization of PRA.	10
Unit II	PRA Techniques: Resource Mapping, Social Mapping, Timelines, Venn diagram, Transect Walk, Seasonal diagram, Matrix Scoring/ Ranking, Daily Schedule, Wealth and wellbeing Ranking, Pair wise Ranking, Flow Diagrams, Mobility Map, Force Field Analysis, SWOT Analysis, Pie Diagram, Body Mapping, Interviewing and dialogue	10
Unit III	Advantages and disadvantages of PRA, Strength and weakness of the RRA/PRA, Prerequisites for success of RRA/PRA approach, case studies, Practical Application of PRA methods in a village.	10
	TOTAL	30