

**M. SC. (HOME SCIENCE—  
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND  
EXTENSION MANAGEMENT)  
(MSCHSC)**

**Term-End Examination**

**June, 2025**

**MHC-002 : COMMUNITY ORGANISATION AND  
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

*Time : 3 Hours*

*Maximum Marks : 100*

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**Note :** (i) Attempt any *five* questions.

(ii) All questions carry equal marks.

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1. (a) Define community. Describe 'identity based communities'. 10
- (b) Describe the characteristics of urban communities. 10

2. Give any *two* definitions of community organisation. Describe the different models of community organisation. 6+14
3. (a) “Cooperative-led community organisations play a vital role in making communities self-reliant.” Justify the statement with the help of a case study. 10
- (b) What are the kinds of power involved in community based empower strategies and how can the community organiser achieve empowerment for the marginalised and disadvantaged groups ? 10
4. (a) Describe the process of community development and the community development principles. 15
- (b) What are the different community development approaches used by the community organisers today ? 5

5. Highlight the concept of group development.

Describe the following : 20

(i) Theories of group formation

(ii) *Five* stages of group development

6. Discuss various social policies pertaining to health. 20

7. (a) Write about any *one* major social welfare programme that focuses on employment. 10

(b) Explain the importance of fund raising and capacity building in the management of social welfare services.

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8. Write short notes on any *four* of the following : 4×5=20

(a) *Two* theories based on communities

(b) Benefits of people's participation in community development

- (c) Any *two* steps in community mobilisation
- (d) Collective action
- (e) Tribal community development programmes
- (f) Definition and scope of social action

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