

Subject card

Subject name and code	Legal aspects of social work and care, PG_00175300						
Field of study	Social Work						
Date of commencement of studies	October 2025		Academic year of realisation of subject		2025/2026		
Education level	Bachelor's studies		Subject group		Obligatory subject group in the field of study		
Mode of study	full-time studies		Mode of delivery		at the university		
Year of study	1		Language of instruction		Polish		
Semester of study	2		ECTS credits		1.0		
Learning profile	practical		Assessment form		without credit		
Conducting unit	Division of Social Pedagogy -> Institute of Education -> Faculty of Social Sciences -> Rector						
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)	Subject supervisor		dr Małgorzata Szpunar				
	Teachers						
Lesson types	Lesson type	Lecture	Tutorial	Laboratory	Project	Seminar	SUM
	Number of study hours	0.0	30.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	30
	E-learning hours included: 0.0						
Learning activity and number of study hours	Learning activity	Participation in didactic classes included in study plan		Participation in consultation hours		Self-study	SUM
	Number of study hours	30		0.0		20.0	50
Subject objectives	legal solutions in the field of social assistance, leading legal acts organizing social assistance in Poland, with regulations where social assistance co-implements tasks in the field of counteracting domestic violence, upbringing in sobriety, social security, support for individuals with problems, legal solutions in the field of the Family and Guardianship Code, with particular emphasis on the legal effects of marriage, divorce, parental authority, alimony. familiarizing students with the Act on Family Support and Foster Care, which is the implementation of social welfare tasks						

Learning outcomes	Course outcome	Subject outcome	Method of verification
	[PRACSOCL3_U01] is able to correctly interpret social phenomena (cultural, political, legal, economic) specific for social work	Can apply knowledge to the analysis of specific situations of social welfare clients in the field of social law and other regulations	[SU1] oral statement/conversation/discussion
	[PRACSOCL3_W10] will gain and advanced understanding basic notions and principles in the scope of industrial property protection and copyrights	He knows what the responsibility of a social worker for private and industrial property is, knows the principles of protecting property and the rights that the client has. He can list the basic principles of property protection. He knows what the responsibility of a social worker for private and industrial property is, knows the principles of protecting property and the rights that the client has. Can list the basic principles of property protection	[SW4] test/exam - oral or written
	[PRACSOCL3_W02] will gain and advanced understanding typical types of social structures and institutions (cultural, political, legal, economic), in particular their basic elements	The student has knowledge of legal solutions regarding the functioning, establishment and tasks of social welfare institutions. He knows on what terms they cooperate with other entities implementing support. The student has knowledge of legal solutions regarding the functioning, establishment and tasks of social welfare institutions in the field of family support and foster care. He knows on what terms they cooperate with other entities implementing support. Knows the basic effects of marriage, divorce,	[SW4] test/exam - oral or written
Subject contents	Tasks of social assistance at individual levels of local government administration.Social Services CentersSocial worker and family assistant tasks and duties, formal and legal requirements, entitlements in the light of the law.Counteracting unemployment and active forms of support for the unemployed.Upbringing in sobriety, tasks of municipal commissions for solving alcohol problems, tasks of social assistance in this areaLegal consequences of marriage.Parental authority in the light of the law.Divorce and its consequences for minors.Community support for the family by a social worker and an assistant.Institutional and family foster care.Independence of the pupil		
Prerequisites and co-requisites			
Assessment methods and criteria	Subject passing criteria	Passing threshold	Percentage of the final grade
		51.0%	100.0%
Recommended reading	Basic literature	Act of 12 March 2003 on social assistance /consolidated text of 2009 Journal of Laws No. 175, item 1362 as amended. d./Act of 13 June 2003 on social employmentAct of 28 November 2008 on family benefits (Journal of Laws of 2006)No. 139, item 992, as amended. d./Act of 7 September 2007 on Assistance to Persons Entitled to Maintenance (Journal of Laws of 2009) No. 1, item 7, as amended. Changes/Act of 21 June 2001 on housing allowances /Journal of Laws of 2002. No. 71, item 73/Act of 09 June 2011 on family support and the foster care system (Journal of Laws of 2011). No. 149, item 887/Act of 19 July 2019 on the establishment of social service centresGudowski J., Family and Guardianship Code. Literature. Jurisprudence., GUDI-LEX, Warsaw, 2022.The Family and Guardianship Code of 25 February 1964, as amended. ChangesThe Act of 7 September 2007 on Assistance to Persons Entitled	

	Supplementary literature	Gudowski J., Family and Guardianship Code. Literature. Jurisprudence., GUDI-LEX, Warsaw, 2022. The Family and Guardianship Code of 25 February 1964, as amended. Changes The Act of 7 September 2007 on Assistance to Persons Entitled
	eResources addresses	
Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed	Legal effects of marriage Rights under the Social Assistance Act Family support in accordance with the Family Support and Foster Care Act Securing a minor	
Work placement	Not applicable	

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