

Course name: Group social work	Credits: 1
Code: SMAK410A	
The theoretical or practical nature of the subject, its "training character": 10 % theory, 90 % practice (kredit%)	
Type and number of course: full-time 30 lessons part-time 16 lessons per semester	
The method of assessment : practical grade	
Curriculum location of the course (semester): 4th semester	
Pre-study conditions (<i>if any</i>): SMAK211 Social Work Theory 2.	
Description of the subject: a brief but informative description of the knowledge to be acquired	
<p>Group work is "a goal-oriented activity with a small group of people to meet socio-emotional needs and to carry out tasks. The activity is directed both at individual members of the group and at the group as a whole within the service system." (Toseland and Rivas)</p> <p>The course provides students with the opportunity to learn about the types of groups they may encounter in their work, either as group members or as group leaders.</p> <p>In addition to theoretical and methodological principles, the course aims to demonstrate different group situations and exercises that can be implemented in groups.</p>	
List of the two to five most important compulsory or recommended literature (notes, textbooks) with bibliographic data (author, title, publication details, (possibly pages), ISBN)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Donelson R. Forsyth: Group Dynamics, 7th edition, Cengage, 2019. • Kurt Lewin: Group Dynamics, Field Theory and Group Theory 	
List of the required professional competences and competence elements (knowledge, skills, etc., KKK point 7) to the development of which the course typically and substantially contributes	
<p><i>e.g.:</i></p> <p>a) Knowledge</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Knowledge and understanding of the functioning of society, social processes, the origins and presence of social and social problems and their threats, and how these affect individuals, families, groups, organisations and communities. - Knowledge and understanding of human needs, the psychological factors of social behaviour and the interactions between people and their environment. <p>b) Skills</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The ability to distinguish between opinions, stereotypes and prejudices and social facts, descriptions and analyses supported by evidence. - Ability to build trust, open, credible and effective communication. <p>c) Attitudes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - He is open to getting to know others and has empathy for people, families, groups and communities. - Committed to social equality, democratic values, the rule of law and the European community of values. <p>d) Autonomy and Responsibility</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Their work is characterised by critical thinking, predictable, consistent, autonomous work and reflection on their own activities. 	
Responsible for the course: Bagdi Tímea, Drd.	

Lecturer(s) involved in teaching the course: Judit Nemes