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Valori și etică în asistența socială / Values And Ethics in Social Work

Abstract:

This paper aims at presenting the importance of values in social work. Values represent a highly individual and personal view that must be constantly examined during practice. The social worker must be aware of the value system of the client and the values held by society that impinge upon the client. The social worker must be cognizant of his or her personal values, less they intrude into the helping process. In order to practice social work, one must be prepared to accept and understand people who hold values that are different from their own. The social worker also must be guided by the values and ethics of the social work profession.