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# **The Role of Social Worker in Enhancing Family Control to Prevent Children from the Risks of Informational Crimes**

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## **Summary**

### **The Study title:**

**The Role of Social Worker in Enhancing Family Control to Prevent Children from the Risks of Informational Crimes**

### **The Study problem:**

Family is responsible for taking care of children and raising them up in a correct and balanced way throughout many functions that distinguish it from other social institutions. The family is considered the first environment in which children find the appropriate climate for them during the different stages of their lives. Parents must be equipped with methods and trends that contribute to achieving a normal balanced raising for their children.

As considering it the primary social institution responsible for the social raising and social control of children, the family receives the child from birth, educates him and imparts values, customs and traditions to him, and thus constitutes the first line of defense to protect its children from the dangers that they may be exposed to as a result of the technological changes and transformations that the world is experiencing today, and since these changes have a direct impact on all social institutions, including the family, which requires that these institutions cooperate and support each other to face the dangers of these changes.

As a result of technological developments and the rapid dissemination of information with the speed of obtaining information easily and despite the advantages of these developments, they may be used in a wrong way that leads to exposure to a group of risks, opinions

and ideas that do not fit the culture and traditions of the society. Parents must monitor and follow up their children and provide advice and guidance in addition to their knowledge of proper family control methods and to be wise and mature control.

Considering that the family at the present time is not isolated from society, but rather that it needs specialized professionals to educate them on how to preserve their children and protect them from the dangers of information crimes, the researcher saw that the social worker in the school field contributes to multiple roles in that. By holding seminars and meetings for parents, in addition to the role of the boards of trustees in discussing children's behavior with parents. The social service, through its professional intervention, works to face all challenges and threats as a result of information progress, and works to change the sterile concepts inherited and acquired from it in order for the cohesion of the family to occur and facing the incoming streams that aim to collapse the family.

## **Second: The Study Objectives**

**Main Objective: Determine the role of the social worker in enhancing family control to protect children from the dangers of information crimes.**

### **Sub-objectives:**

- 1- Identifying the role of the social worker in guiding the family to protect children from the dangers of information crimes.
- 2- Identifying the role of the social worker in enhancing communication between the family and their children to protect them from the dangers of information crimes.

- 3- Identifying the role of the social worker in guiding the family to use positive control methods to protect children from the dangers of information crimes.
- 4- Identifying the obstacles facing the social worker to enhance family control to protect children from the dangers of information crimes.

### **Third: The Study Concepts**

- 1- Reinforcement.
- 2- Family control.
- 3- Information crimes.

### **Fourth: The Study methodological procedures:**

#### **A- The Study type:**

This study belongs to the type of descriptive analytical studies

#### **B- The Study method:**

The current study relied on the quantitative and qualitative approach using the method of a comprehensive social survey of social workers in preparatory schools in Fayoum Governorate, their number is (71 individuals), and a sample of parents, their number is (180 individuals), participating in the Board of Trustees.

#### **C- The Study fields :**

##### **a. Spatial domain:**

Preparatory schools, West Fayoum Educational Administration,  
Fayoum Governorate

##### **b. Human domain:**

(71) Social worker (180) parents in preparatory schools in the  
West Fayoum Educational Administration - Fayoum  
Governorate.

### **c. Time domain:**

The period of conducting the field study is from (November-December) 2022.

### **Fifth: The Study general results:**

The results of the current study reached a set of conclusions represented in the following:

1. The necessity to pay attention to holding awareness seminars about the dangers of information crimes and their impact on children.
2. Developing family awareness of family control methods and communication skills with their children, and encouraging them to be good digital citizens.
3. Conducting specialized training courses on modern therapeutic methods in social work.
4. Preparing well-studied preventive programs on how to deal with the risks of information crimes and their impact on family harmony
5. The necessity of paying attention to family control over the behavior of children by not letting them do what they want, but at the same time we do not take away their freedom, as they need rational control that prevents them from falling into the dangers of information crimes.