Record Nr. UNINA9910149560303321 Autore Van Wormer Katherine S. Titolo Social welfare policy for a sustainable future: the U.S. in global context // Katherine S. van Wormer, University of Northern Iowa, Rosemary J. Link, Simpson College Los Angeles : , : SAGE, , [2016] Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-4833-8009-2 1-4833-9900-1 1-4833-2242-4 1-4833-1157-0 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (426 pages): illustrations Disciplina 361.6/10973 Soggetti Social service - United States Public welfare - United States United States Social policy Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references at the end of each chapters and index. Nota di contenuto chapter 1. Social work and social policy: a sustainability framework -chapter 2. Historical foundations of social welfare policy -- chapter 3. Purpose and structure of social welfare policy -- chapter 4. Environmental sustainability and the social work profession -- chapter 5. Poverty and inequality -- chapter 6. Minority groups and the impact of oppression -- chapter 7. Child welfare -- chapter 8. Sustainable health care policies -- chapter 9. Mental health care policy -- chapter 10. Sustainable policy for older adults -- chapter 11. Human rights -chapter 12. Sustainability policy analysis and policy practice. Sommario/riassunto Unique in its use of a sustainability framework, Social Welfare Policy for a Sustainable Future goes beyond U.S. borders to examine U.S. government policies--including child welfare, social services, health care, and criminal justice--within a global context. Guided by the belief that forces from the global market and globalization affect all social workers in their practice, the book addresses a wide range of relevant

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