

Social Development - A Search for Conceptual Linkages

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Abstract

Social development is a concept with multiple definitions. Very few studies have attempted to locate the similarities and dissimilarities among these definitions. The purpose of this speech is to lay out a strategy that takes into account the various theories underlying the current definitions of social development. The definition of social development developed here not only offers a lucid description but also clearly outlines a strategy to measure and evaluate the success of social development programs.

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