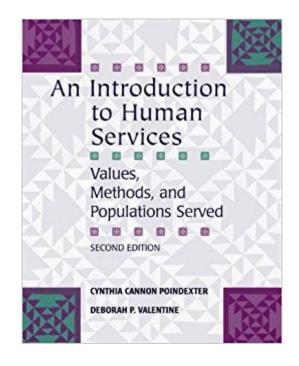


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# An Introduction To Human Services: Values, Methods, And Populations Served





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