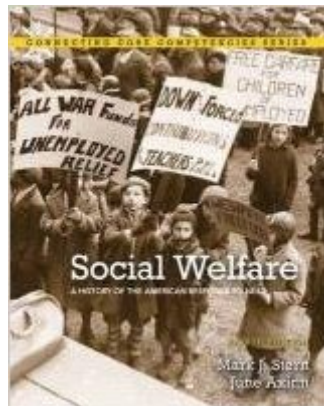


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# Social Welfare: A History Of The American Response To Need, 8th Edition



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