

UNIVERSITY OF SWAZILAND
FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES
GENERAL NURSING
FINAL EXAMINATION

TITLE: ADVANCED MEDICAL-SURGICAL NURSING
COURSE CODE: NUR 430
DURATION: 2 HOURS
MARKS : 75

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS.**
- 2. EACH QUESTION CARRIES 25 MARKS**
- 3. EACH POINT CARRIES ½ MARKS FOR A FACT AND
½ MARKS FOR AN EXPLANATION.**
- 4. ANSWER ALL YOUR QUESTIONS IN THE
ANSWER SHEET PROVIDED.**

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QUESTION 1

SCENARIO: Mrs. Khuluse a 40year old lady was admitted in your ward with complications of heart failure and she chronic pain related to arthritis. She has seen traditional healers and have been in and out of hospital. She has three children. Her husband died two year ago and she is now the breadwinner. She was looked after by her younger sister and the mother in-law was looking after her children at home

Discuss the Nursing perspectives applicable in the management of this client

- 1.1 Loss, grief and dying (5)
- 1.2 Advantages and disadvantages of complementary and alternative medicines (5)
- 1.3 Principles of adult teaching (5)
- 1.4 Cultural factors that influence her view towards seeking health care (5)
- 1.5 Human sexuality (5)

QUESTION 2

- 2.1 Describe the Pathophysiology of burns (10)
- 2.2 Develop the nursing management protocol of a burned patients based on Five Priority Nursing Diagnosis (15)

QUESTION 3

- 3.1 Develop the nursing management protocol based on five nursing diagnosis of Mr. Luthuli who was admitted in your ward with severe hypertension related to poor self management (15)
- 3.2 Describe the therapeutic management of Asthma giving examples of drugs, their action and side effects (10)