

**UNIVERSITY OF SWAZILAND**

**FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES**

**SUPPLEMENTARY EXAM**

**JULY 2017**

**COURSE : GNS 120**

**TITLE OF PAPER : SOCIOLOGY IN HEALTH**

**DURATION : 2 HOURS**

**MARKS: 75**

**INSTRUCTIONS**

- 1. DO NOT OPEN THIS PAPER UNTIL PERMISSION HAS BEEN GRANTED BY THE INVIGILATOR**
- 2. ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS**
- 3. EACH QUESTION IS TO BE ANSWERED ON A SEPARATE SHEET OF PAPER**

## QUESTION 1

**1.1. Category the following concepts under material and non – material culture;**

- Nurses' pledge
- Nursing theories
- Nurses' uniform
- Language
- Norms
- Sanctions
- Nurses' epaulettes
- Values
- Symbols
- Bible

(10 marks)

**1.2. Explain five (5) types of families you know of;**

[5 marks]

**1.3. Effective communication skills are important in group dynamics. State ten (10) guidelines which are important in therapeutic communication**

[10 marks]

**[25 MARKS]**

## QUESTION 2

**2. 1. What does respecting cultural differences involve: (mention 5 points)**

[5 marks]

**2.2. In the contemporary society women have opted for dual – career families why? Give five (5) reasons**

[5 marks]

**2.3. Group dynamics are a challenge in any given group process. Discuss how conformity to group norms can be determined - Ten (10) points**

[5 marks]

**2.4. The number of group members is very important in determining how a group functions.**

**Discuss how increase in size affects the function of a group (10 points)**

[10 marks]

**TOTAL – 25 MARKS**

### QUESTION 3

**3.1. Briefly discuss the term “inverse care law “with regards to social class in health and give an example**

[2 marks]

**3.2. Explain the six (6) reasons for drug addiction. Give two (2) ideas for each category of reasons**

[12 marks]

**3.3. Explain the feminists’ attitude with regards to rape (Give five (5) points**

[5 marks]

**3.4. You are a nurse in Ward 13 briefly describe the three (3) possible families you might interact with in the ward;**

[6 marks]

**TOTAL – 25 MARKS**

**GRAND TOTAL – 75 MARKS**