

TITLE OF PAPER : ADVANCED COMMUNITY MIDWIFERY

FINAL EXAMINATION : NOVEMBER 2021

COURSE CODE : MWF 606

DURATION : THREE (3) HOURS

TOTAL MARKS : 100

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS**
- 2. FIGURES IN BRACKETS INDICATE MARKS ALLOCATED TO EACH OR PART OF A QUESTION**
- 3. ANSWER EACH QUESTION ON A NEW PAGE**

QUESTION 1

- a) Masculinity is a social construct, with consequences of perpetuating violence. Debate this statement with reference to violence against women during conflict situations.

[15 marks]

- b) Ill treatment of women is a crime against humanity. Discuss the relevant International Standards breached by perpetrators of violence against women during warfare.

[10 marks]

QUESTION 2

The global community is faced with youth poverty, particularly in low-income countries due to the high youth population.

- (a) Discuss negative outcome of poverty to an adolescent girl residing in a rural African community.

[15 marks]

- (b) Describe the global strategy (The Sustainable Development Goal, 2015) that should be applied by the global community members to mitigate poverty among girls.

[10 Marks]

QUESTION 3

Nduma region is located at a green valley, nourished by a deep waterfall, huge trees, shrubs of wild fruits and wild beasts grazing all day long. The indigenous tribes living at Nduma adhere to their cultural practices which may be viewed by civilized societies as primitive. The government declared Nduma region a heritage site, and re-located indigenous people from their ancestral communities to a peri-urban/slum area.

- a) Describe in detail how the indigenous people maintained their health and well-being in their native/ancestral home before eviction.

10 Marks

- b) Discuss in detail the health challenges the new settlers will have in the peri-urban/slum environment.

[15 Marks]

QUESTION 4

Mrs Masuku is a 35-year-old junior wife, living in an extended family household in a rural community. She gave birth to her 6th baby, at home, assisted by an 'experienced' relative. She bled profusely immediately after birth but was sent to the local health facility after 8 hours. Eventually she died before reaching the referral centre.

- (a) Identify socio-cultural factors that contributed to Mrs Masuku's death, base your argument on the scenario provided.

[15 Mark]

- (b) In pursuit of improving maternal health as indicated in the Sustainable Development Goal 3, discuss interventions that the advanced midwife will propose to stakeholders for Masuku's community.

[10 marks]