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COURSE CODE: CHN 220

COURSE TITLE: COMMUNITY HEALTH NURSING

TIME ALLOWED: 2 HOURS

MARKS: 75

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. There are 3 questions in this paper**
- 2. Answer all three questions**
- 3. Each question is allocated 25 marks**
- 4. Write legibly**

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QUESTION 1

Discuss the following community health concepts using Short Paragraphs:

- a) Health Benefits of family planning (5)
- b) Advantages and disadvantages of telephone contact (7)
- c) Objectives for conducting a home visit (7)
- d) Causes of Gender Based Violence (GBV) (6)

Total Marks = 25 marks

QUESTION 2

You conducted a home visit at Gobholo area in the outskirts of Mbabane and you encountered a family wherein the father and mother are newly remarried. The mother is a widow and the father had two previously failed marriages. They each had three children from their previous relationships who live with them in the same household. The father is working while the mother is a housewife.

- a) Discuss five social problems that may occur from this blended/remarried family(5)
- b) Discuss five Functions of a family (10)
- c) Discuss the Role of the Community Health Nurse in the health of families (10)

Total Marks = 25 marks

QUESTION 3

Following your graduation in October you are posted for duty to Dvokolwako Health Centre and you have never been to this area. In order to deliver services effectively you realize that you need to conduct a community diagnosis

Discuss how you would conduct a community diagnosis (20)

State five challenges you may encounter as you engage this community (5)

Total Marks = 25 Marks