

FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES

GENERAL NURSING

FINAL EXAMINATION, MAY, 2013

COURSE TITLE: ADVANCED MEDICAL-SURGICAL NURSING II

COURSE CODE: NUR 431

TIME: 2 HOURS

TOTAL MARKS: 75

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. ANSWER ALL YOUR QUESTIONS ON THE PROVIDED ANSWER SHEET**
- 2. EACH QUESTION CARRIES ½ A MARK FOR A FACT AND ½ A MARK FOR A RATIONALE (1POINT)**
- 3. START A NEW QUESTION ON A NEW PAGE**

DO NOT OPEN THE QUESTION PAPER UNTIL THE INVIGILATOR ALLOWS YOU!!!!!!

QUESTION 1

- 1.1 Discuss the Activities of Living in relationship to the principles of rehabilitation (10)
- 1.2 Compare and contrast venous and arterial leg ulcers (10)

Mrs Mbuli, a 70 year old lady is bedridden related to CVA and one of the potential problems is the development of pressure ulcers.

- 1.3 Based on the above, discuss how you would go about preventing the development of pressure ulcers of Mrs Mbuli. (10)

QUESTION TWO

- 2.1 Develop Nursing diagnosis of Increased Intracranial pressure(ICP) based on the clinical manifestations of increased ICP (10)

Scenario: Mr. Thulase Mazibuko was involved in a car accident and sustained head injuries.

Based on Mazibuko's condition answer the following questions:

- 2.2 Describe the Pathophysiology of Diffuse axonal injury (DAI) (5)
- 2.3 Develop the nursing management protocol from the nursing diagnosis of head injury up to the nursing orders applying the ADL and Rehabilitation process (10)

QUESTION THREE

Mr Musi is 65 years old and his diagnosis is a prostate cancer

- 3.1 Describe the Pathophysiology of prostate cancer (5)
- 3.2 Develop nursing diagnosis of a prostate cancer (5)
- 3.3 Discuss the risk factors that can lead to the development of breast cancer (10)