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FINAL EXAMINATION PAPER SECOND SEMESTER

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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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PERMISSION TO DO SO.**

QUESTION 1

Write Short Notes on the following:

- a) Child headed households are currently on the increase in our society.
Describe challenges or potential challenges faced by a child- headed household/family (6 marks)
- b) For each of the scenarios listed below identify the most ideal type of family-nurse contact and state three advantages and three disadvantages of each:
- 1) Client works night shift but needs information on facility opening hours (6 marks)
- 2) People living with HIV embark on information sharing on ART adherence (6 marks)
- c) Family Developmental theory stages and developmental tasks (7marks)

Total = 25 Marks

QUESTION 2

Community Health Nurses should know the communities they work with so that they are efficient in delivering the health services expected of them.

- a) Mention five demographic data categories and give one example for each that should be collected by a community health nurse during a home visit (5 marks)
- b) List five possible users of demographic data giving two examples of the uses of demographic data for each user (10 marks)
- c) Describe Five demographic characteristics affecting health care (10 marks)

Total = 25 Marks

QUESTION 3

Community mobilization is a process through which action is stimulated by a community itself, or by others, that is planned, carried out, and evaluated by a community's individuals, groups, and organizations on a participatory and sustained basis to improve the health.

Discuss the community mobilization and community development using the following sub-topics:

- a) Advantages of community mobilization (5 marks)
- b) Five Challenges of community mobilization (5 marks)
- c) Contribution of the community during community mobilization (5 marks)
- d) Core principles of community development (5 marks)
- e) Five problems of community development (5 marks)

Total = 25 Marks