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SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION PAPER
FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES
DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS AND DEMOGRAPHY
COURSE CODE: STA420
TITLE OF PAPER: MONITORING AND EVALUATION
TIME ALLOWED: 2 HOURS

Instruction

1. Answer any two (2) questions in Section A and answer Section B (compulsory)

Special Requirements

Scientific calculator

Additional Material (s)

None

Candidates may complete the front cover of their answer book when instructed by the Chief Invigilator and sign their examination attendance cards but must NOT write anything else until the start of the examination period is announced.

No electronic devices capable of storing and retrieving text, including electronic dictionaries and any form of foreign material may be used while in the examination room.

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Section A

Question 1

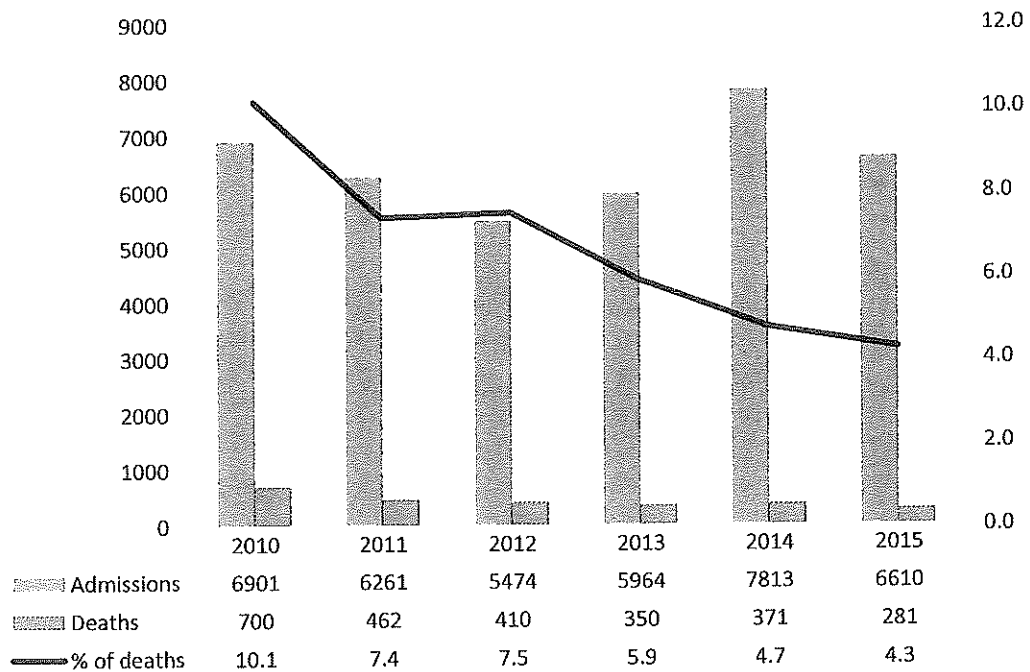
- What is Monitoring and Evaluation?
- Why is Monitoring and Evaluation important?
- Outline five (5) differences between Monitoring and Evaluation

[6+4+10]

Question 2

- A good objective/goal should be SMART, explain the five (5) characteristics of a good objective.
- The Millennium Development Goals (MDGs) are inter-dependent; all the MDG influence health, and health influences all the MDGs, explain.
- Goal number 4 of the MDGs was to reduce child mortality by year 2015. Studying the figure below; was this goal achieved? Support your answer and comment on the reliability of the data.

Under 5 Death Rates in Health Facilities (2010 - 2015)



Source: M & E Unit/HMIS (Ministry of Health)

[10+5+5]

Question 3

- Distinguish between Programs and Projects, giving three (3) differences.
- Name any two existing policies within the Ministry of Health and hence explain three differences between policies and plans
- What is a Monitoring and Evaluation Plan?

[6+8+6]

Section B

Question 4

Discuss the features of a good Monitoring & Evaluation System. In your discussion you may include the

following but not limited to; M&E unit, clear goals, indicators, data collection & analysis.

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