UNIVERSITY OF SWAZILAND FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY AND SOCIAL WORK SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION QUESTION PAPER, JULY 2018

TITLE OF PAPER: FORENSIC SOCIAL WORK AND INTERVIEWING

COURSE CODE: SWK 429

TIME ALLOWED: TWO (2) HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS: 1. ANSWER ANY THREE (3) QUESTIONS

2. ALL QUESTIONS CARRY EQUAL MARKS

3. TOTAL MARKS 100

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Question 1

Critically discuss the role of forensic social workers. Use examples to support your answer.

Question 2

Examine the guidelines for questioning children. Use examples to support your views.

Question 3

Forensic interviews are hypothesis testing rather than hypothesis confirming (Ceci and Bruck, 1995)

Examine the eight phases of the investigative interview.

Question 4

Child abuse is a serious community problem. The maltreatment of children, whether through physical abuse or sexual abuse, can affect children's physical health and safety as well as their emotional health and well-being.

Discuss the role of a multidisciplinary approach in prevention or early detection of child abuse.

Question 5

Child abuse is a serious problem in Swaziland. Discuss some of the socio-economic and cultural factors responsible for such high prevalence.

Question 6

Examine the components of a child centered investigative interview using a verbatim.