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**INSTRUCTIONS:**

**This Paper Has Two Sections: Section A: Short and B: Long Answer Questions.**

**SECTION A: This Section Has Ten Questions Only. Read The Questions Carefully And Answer All Of Them. (3) Marks Each**

1. Define Health according to WHO
2. Development is the process of improving the quality of human life. List four different aspects of development that you know of.
3. According to the European Commission's Green paper on the urban environment, Sustainable development is a much broader concept than environmental protection. Explain.
4. (a)What is Well-being?
5. List four (4) different aspects of well being
6. Standard of living refers to the level of wealth, comfort, material goods and necessities available to a certain socioeconomic class in a certain geographic area. List six measurements of standard of living
7. State the concept of dignified livelihood in relationship to social science.
8. Explain three major factors under socio –economic status that can make an antenatal mother not access skilled delivery attendance in a hospital of her choice.
9. According to Professor David E. Bloom and Professor David Canning, list four (4) main reasons to believe that health determines wealth
10. Give two main arguments for the role that HIV/AIDS can play in economic development, and the larger discussion on health as a determinant of wealth

## **SECTION B. LONG ESSAY QUESTIONS.**

**The Section Has Four (4) Questions, Answer Any Two (2) Of Them (30 Marks, 15 Each). Omission Of Any Part Of The Question Would Result To Marks Deductions.**

1. You are working in the Ministry of Health headquarter as the manager incharge of health programmes. One of your responsibilities is to ensure the implementations of Health Sector Reforms (HSR)
  - (a). Define Health Sector Reforms (2mrks)
  - (b). State the objective of the health sector reforms (3mrks)
  - (c). Discuss the four main focuses of the Health Sector Reforms (6 mrks)
  - (b). Describe the focus during the HS review (6 mrks)
  
2. Mr Okii Omutata in Kenya is one of the chief activists of the civil society advocating for the human rights of Kenyans.
  - (a). Who is Civil Society? (2mrks)
  - (b). List six groups that forms the civil society (3 mrks)
  - (c). Describe the five major roles of civil society in health and development (10 mrks)
  
3. Poverty reduction is a major goal and issue for many international organizations such as the United Nations and the World Bank. The World Bank estimated 1.29 billion people were living in absolute poverty in 2008. Of these, the sub-Saharan Africa, Kenya included, was at 47% and had the highest incidence rate of absolute poverty.
  - a) Define poverty (2 mrks)
  - (b) List six (6) forms/aspects of poverty (3 mrks)
  - (c). state 6 strategies you would implement as poverty reduction in your community (3mrks)
  - ( ) Discuss how poverty affects health status of an individual (7 mrks)
  
4. You are a Reproductive Health Manager working in Garrissa County with the WHO. You have realized that there is a RH policy contributing to maternal health services in this community and amendments is required.
  - (i) What is policy? (2mrks)
  - (ii). List six factors that could be affecting the above policy (6 mrks)

With the aid of a diagram, describe the process of developing a policy (7 mrks)